

MEMORANDUM

TO: High School Principals

THRU: Brian Schultz, Chief Academic Officer
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FROM: Becky Graf, Director of Humanities
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DATE: August 31, 2016

RE: High School Study Abroad Parent Information Session

ACTION: Share Event Information with Staff, Students, and PTSA by September 14, 2016

This year marks the eighth year CMS has organized a Study Abroad Information event for high school students. This year CMS will offer two Study Abroad Information Sessions. The first will be held in the south end of the district, and the second will be held in the north end. Both sessions will take place in the evening. In the past, the Study Abroad Fair was held once in the fall as a daytime event and was offered to a limited number of teachers and students. This year the Study Abroad Information Sessions are available to all high school staff, parents, and students interested in receiving information on Study Abroad programs and scholarships. Participants will have the opportunity to speak directly with representatives from a variety of agencies about program choices, available scholarships, and important fall deadlines.

The first Study Abroad Information Session will take place Monday, October 10, 2016 from 6:00-8:00pm at South Mecklenburg High School in the Media Center. The second Study Abroad Information Session will be held at North Mecklenburg High School. Details about the date and time for this session will be published as they become available.

Each high school is asked to share the event flyer and information with their staff, students, and parents. Persons attending the event are asked to sign-up by completing the Study Abroad Information Session Form found at <http://bit.ly/2btz1uc> no later than October 3, 2016. The link to the form can also be found on the event flyer.

Monday, October 10th, 2016
South Mecklenburg HS - Media Center
8900 Park Road, Charlotte, NC 28210
6:00pm-8:00pm

HIGH SCHOOL STUDY ABROAD PARENT INFORMATION SESSION

Please sign-up to attend the information session: <http://bit.ly/2btz1uc>

Service learning and study abroad are valuable experiences that enhance world language proficiency and cultural understanding. If your child is interested in exploring other cultures and studying languages, join us to learn more about the study abroad programs and scholarships available to high school students. High School parents and students will have an opportunity to speak directly with study abroad program representatives.



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