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Good Morning Raiders,

As today is Veteran's Day, I'd like to send a special message of gratitude to all our Veterans in Raider Nation. Thank you for your service to our country. Your time, bravery and sacrifice underpin the strength of the United States and enable us all to enjoy our precious freedoms. Today you are honored by our country and our community. I would be honored to hear from our veterans in the Raider Nation today, so I know more personally the men and women who are receiving my heartfelt gratitude today. Reach out to me via Twitter or Instagram @AHSPricipal K so I can share with our community our Raider veterans.

Attention students and parents, as we finish up the 13 ½ week grading period, we begin looking more closely to the end of the semester. The last three days of fall semester are about 1 month away on December 14th, 15th, and 16th. These days are ½ days only with the school day ending at 12:30. Class periods are 2 hours long and we only have two classes per day. Students, please review your course syllabus and clarify with your teacher what the expectations will be for your class on the final days of the semester. Students in semester only classes may have final exams. Students in year long courses may have mid-term exams. Teachers are not required to give exams. If a course does not include an exam, students still have an assignment to complete on these days which we often refer to as a "gradable experience" because it could be a project, a presentation, an essay or even a quiz. Remember that a student's course determines the assignment for the last day of the semester, so be certain to get clarification now in order to be prepared.

[AHS Final Exam Bell Schedule - Fall 2022](#)

Next week, I will share information about our exemption policy.

[Fall 2022 AHS Final Exam and Gradable Experience Exemption Policy](#)





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I want to thank the AHS Foundation for once again hosting our Faculty Holiday Celebration in December.

This is a special time when we come together off campus to celebrate our amazing teachers and staff for all their hard work for our school, students and community. Please consider donating to this special event to help me honor our amazing faculty! Donate using the link below:

<https://www.alpharettahighschoolfoundation.com/2022-faculty--staff-holiday-gathering.html>

Raiders, tonight we host round 1 of Varsity Football Playoffs. Congratulations to Coach Kervin, the entire coaching staff, our players and their supportive families for this accomplishment. Congratulations also to Ms. Sarah Stoffle and our Alpha Theatre thespians who won Region for One Act and now will compete at State tomorrow with their outstanding performance of Mother Hicks. Speaking of outstanding performances, last night our band had an amazing fall performance! Talent abounds in Raider Nation!

That's all for today, Raiders! Stay Safe!

With Raider Pride,

Shannon N. Kersey, Ph.D.

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