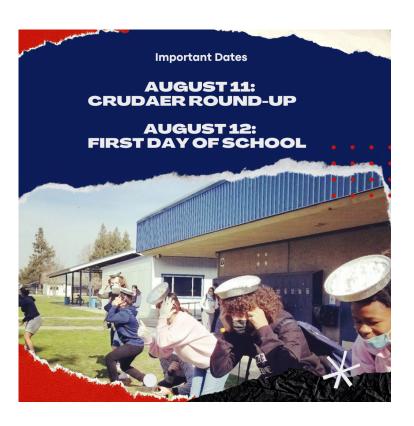
### **MODESTO CHRISTIAN MIDDLE & HIGH SCHOOL BULLETIN**



Monday, August 9 - Friday, August 13, 2021



## Safe and Healthy Learning Environment

Modesto Christian School will continue to follow important measures to ensure our students and their families, and our employees are safe. The faculty and staff will adhere to cleaning and disinfection procedures for classrooms, restrooms, offices and other common areas.

We are asking all students and parents/guardians to be diligent in monitoring your student's health on a daily basis. To ensure the health and welfare for our MCS family, please keep the following in mind:

- Stay home from work or school when sick. Remain home until you are fever free for at least 24 hours without the use of fever reducing medicines
- Seek medical care if symptoms become more severe (high fever or difficulty breathing)
- Wash hands frequently with soap and water for at least 20 seconds. If water is not available, use an alcohol-based hand sanitizer (hand sanitizer and wipes are in every classroom)
- Avoid touching your eyes, nose, mouth with unwashed hands
- Cover your cough or sneeze with a tissue, then dispose of the tissue properly
- Clean and disinfect touched objects and surfaces
- Avoid contact with those who are sick.



- August 11: Crusader Round-Up and Picture Day Check-in Times
  - 8:00 am Freshmen
  - 9:00 am Sophomores
  - 10:00 am Juniors
  - 11:00 am Seniors
  - 12:00 pm Middle School (6th-8th grade)

#### Location: Gym

All students are required to attend. Students will receive class schedules, lockers, and textbooks. Additionally, student yearbook and ID pictures will be taken.

- August 12: First Day of School
- Summer Reading Assignments: Summer Reading
  Assignments are due the first day back to class. Once
  Google classroom is up and running for their next
  English class, students will upload writing assignments
  to turnitin.com. Each teacher will provide that
  information via the Google Classroom prior to the start
  of school.

Book assignments for students entering the following grades are listed below:

- 6th Old Yeller
- 7th Old Yeller
- 8th The Witch of Blackbird Pond
- 9th CP/H The Goose Girl
- 10th CP/H The Book Thief
- 11th CP/H To Kill A Mockingbird
- 12th CP/H All the Light We Cannot See
- 9/10 General English The City of Ember
- 11/12 General English The Hobbit
- Middle School T-Shirts: Modesto Christian School T-shirts will be available for purchase at Crusader Round-up for Middle School students.
- Middle and High School Hot Lunch: Hot Lunch is BACK! Students are required to use the Hot Lunch Form (attached) to order from specified vendors on Monday's and Wednesday's.



#### **College Applications Dates & Deadlines**





Fall 2022 Filing Period:

Fall 2022 Application Opens: August 1, 2021

October 1 - November 31, 2021 Fall 2022 Filing Period:

November 1 - 31, 2021

\*click on images to be directed to 'Date & Deadlines' website for each University

#### **Credit Recovery**

The deadline to submit credit recovery course(s) assigned by Mrs. Arroyo has passed (August 1st, 2021). If you have completed your course(s) or are still working on them, please contact Mrs. Boek, Academic & College Counselor, to inform her of your progress and completed courses. An official transcript needs to be requested and sent to the email below. Please remember that staying on track for graduation requires that you complete your credit recovery courses.

Mrs. Boek email: geigy.boek@modestochristian.org

#### **Dual Enrollment**

Students please remember that you NEED counselor approval before you take a course offsite. Please refer to the Student Handbook on this matter - CONCURRENT ENROLLMENT HIGH SCHOOL/COLLEGE CREDIT page 11.

- 1. Remember that core curricula courses that are offered at MCHS will NOT be approved for concurrent enrollment.
- 2. Choose subjects wisely that will add to your college portfolio the depth of who you are as a student. Choose subjects that demonstrate your passion and pursuits over time.
- 3. Additionally, there is a limit to the courses that we will add to your MCHS transcript. However, you are free to take as many outside courses as you please.

IMPORTANT: COUNSELOR APPROVAL NEEDED. Without approval, MCHS will be at liberty to not accept your outside course for transcript inclusion. Any questions, please come and talk to your counselor.

## Welcome To The MC Family!

# Jennifer Carrasquel

MS/HS Spanish Teacher

Jennifer Carrasquel joins Modesto Christian as our new Middle & High School Spanish Teacher. She grew up in Ripon and is an alumna of Ripon Christian High School and Biola University. She holds a BA in Anthropology with a minor in

Biblical Studies, as well as a MA in Intercultural Studies with an emphasis on Relief & Development.

Before coming to MC she was missionary with YWAM in Venezuela for 10 years. While there, she met and married her husband, and they had two children. As a missionary couple they taught Bible schools, leadership and English classes. They also led local and international mission trips, preached in their church, mentored young people, and led evangelical outreaches in their local city and around the country.

Jennifer is excited to start teaching again and join a wonderful team at a Christian school. She believes that knowing Spanish is a useful tool for living in California, and learning about a new language and culture broadens the horizons and makes us good stewards in God's kingdom. Her children will be joining the MC family as well and they are looking forward to making new friends.



Associated Student Body











More information regarding clubs will be available at Crusader Round-Up!