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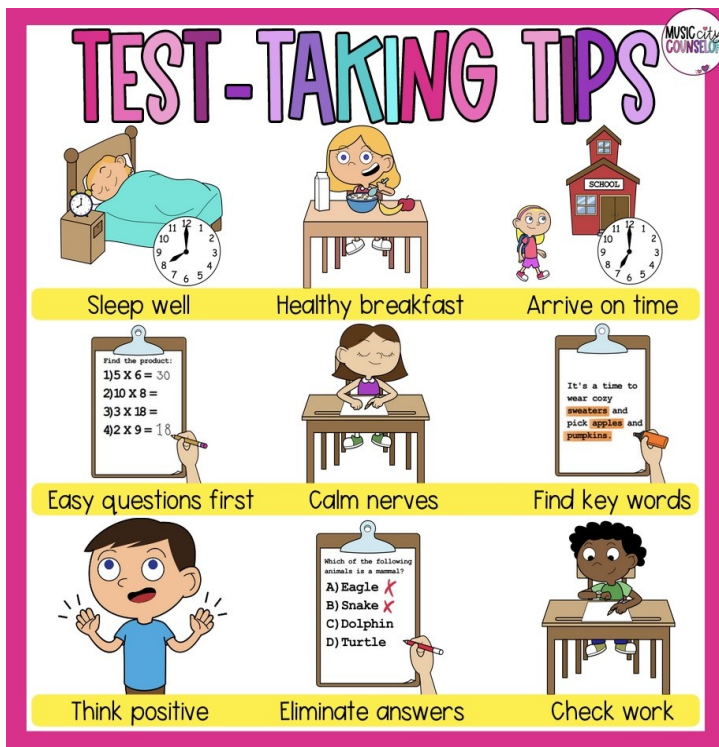
Principal Mrs. Rebecca Palomino

March 7, 2025

Key West High School Mission Statement
To empower all students to maximize their potential and prepare them with the skills and experiences necessary to be college or career ready and to develop those character traits that will enable them to be productive members of society.



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UPCOMING EVENTS MARCH 2025

- ♦ **March 14th**— No School-Professional Day
- ♦ **March 17th—March 21st**— No School-Spring Break

Testing Season has begun!!!
See testing schedule at the end of this newsletter!

KWHS SOCIAL MEDIA:

Instagram— [kwhs_news](#)

Facebook-Key West High School Athletics & Student Activities

Twitter- [@kwhsnews](#)

Website— www.keysschools.com/kwhs



Students must show their KWHS ID when entering the campus and when a staff member asks to see it. Thank you for your support and effort in keeping our school safe! Please see the next 3 pages for our Fortify Florida information.



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FortifyFL is a suspicious activity reporting tool that allows you to instantly relay information to appropriate law enforcement agencies and school officials.



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*Does someone you know
need brownie points or a
Spring Break?*

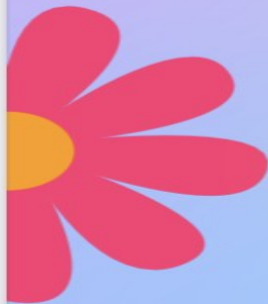


SUPPORT
THE
CLASS OF 2028

\$3

**PURCHASE A
BROWNIE & HAVE IT
DELIVERED TO
YOUR FAVORITE
PERSON**

SCAN HERE TO
PRE PURCHASE
ONLINE
(PLEASE PUT FIRST & LAST
NAME)



*For sale during Lunch
from 3/3 - 3/11*

\$3

Will be delivered on 3/13



**Happy National School Social
Worker Week!**



Jessica Phillips
KWHHS



Annie Rojas
KWHHS



Stephanie Hassell
KWHHS



OFFICIALS NEEDED!

Local Official Association Contacts

- Middle Keys: Casey Sheu
305-360-3054
- Lower Keys: Chad Rodriguez
305-619-0972

Standard Pay Rates

- Football \$111 per game
- Volleyball \$79 per game
- Soccer \$79 per game
- Baseball \$85 per game
- Softball \$85 per game

Without officials, our kids can't play!

APPLY NOW!

<https://fhsaa.arbitersports.com/front/103524/Site>

OR SCAN HERE




If you are interested in becoming an official, you can find all the information you need by clicking the link below.

https://fhsaa.com/sports/2020/5/28/Become_An_Official.aspx


Attention:

Current
10th and
11th
graders


CRITERIA FOR *Off Campus Lunch*

- ATTENDANCE MUST BE 90% OR HIGHER FROM CURRENT SCHOOL YEAR
- NO CREDIT RECOVERY NEEDED AFTER SUMMER SCHOOL
- 2.0+ GPA



Congratulations!
YOUR ARE ELIGIBLE FOR OFF CAMPUS LUNCH

Lunch passes are reviewed twice every 9 weeks
(progress reports & report cards) based on
grades and attendance.





SEE SOMETHING
SAY SOMETHING



SPREAD THE WORD
TO END THE WORD

Pledge #Respect at r-word.org





Over 430 KWHS students and staff, as well as a few ACE students and staff, MCSD staff, School Board member Sue Woltanski, community members, and news reporter Gwen Filosa got to go through the experience. Students were brought with their 10th grade English class and a few of Ms. Geho's 11th grade US History classes.

The first half of the experience was in the cattle car (replica). As we entered the cattle car, we saw over

100 pairs of footprints representing the amount of people who would be crammed into the cattle car. Students were asked to stand on a set of footprints so they could get an idea of what it would be like with many people crammed into it. Then 25-40 of us sat on the floor as the cattle car was closed and a video was played on all 4 walls of the cattle car, telling the stories of 2 Holocaust survivors (with the trip in the cattle car being emphasized). After the video, we went to the lobby of the auditorium where 20-25 authentic Holocaust artifacts were presented in a lesson format. Authentic Nazi propaganda, money, a Jewish star, Nazi armbands, a children's book, passports and ids, and an actual prisoner uniform were displayed and talked about.



Our students asked great questions, were attentive, and were able to have an authentic learning experience that isn't readily available to us down here. The docents had great things to say about our students and their day on our campus.

Thank you to the Keys to Be the Change donor who funded the whole thing. She came after school and was able to also experience what the students did, getting to understand the impact of her financial donation on our school and community.

Thank you to Ms. Kyla Shoemaker who organized the event for our students.

Thank you to the teachers who willingly gave up their class periods to participate and bring their students, as well as the admin and district who supported this experience.





Mrs. Tara Jackson's Human Body Systems classes performed a viral plaque assay. They used E. Coli host cell culture mixed with serially diluted patient samples to demonstrate the effectiveness of two different antiviral medications. Viral plaques form when viruses in patient samples are able to enter and infect bacterial cells in cell culture, forming "clearing" patterns upon incubation. The viral plaques were counted and then calculations performed to determine plaque forming units and the two compared to find the more effective antiviral medication.



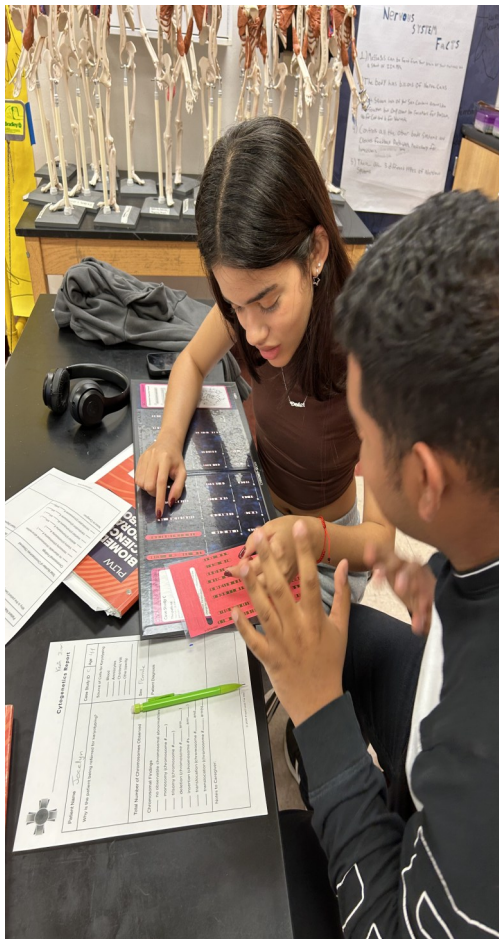
Mrs. Misty Nelson's class conducted a Titration lab! She had a class competition — who can reach the lightest pink!





The best way to figure out how something works is to cut into it and look inside. This is the theory behind what makes dissections such a powerful tool in studying anatomy and physiology of organ systems.

Mrs. Tara Jackson's Human Body Systems students dissected cow eyes to examine and explore the anatomical structures and understand the pathway that makes vision possible.



Mrs. Tara Jackson's Principles of Biomedical Science students collaborated and sorted through chromosomes to create karyotypes in order to determine chromosomal abnormalities and diagnose patients.





Key West High School

SAC Meeting Dates—2024-2025

September 3rd
October 1st
November 5th
December 3rd
January 7th
February 4th
March 4th
April 1st
May 6th



All meetings are at 5:30 in the library and online.

Pep Rally Bell Schedule	
1 st	07:35—08:20
2 nd	08:24—09:08
3 rd	09:12—09:59
4 th	10:03—10:47
Lunch	10:47—11:31
5 th	11:35—12:19
6 th	12:23—01:07
7 th	01:11—01:55
Pep Rally	02:00—02:30

Standard Day	
1 st	07:35—08:25
2 nd	08:29—09:18
3 rd	09:22—10:14
4 th	10:18—11:07
Lunch	11:07—11:51
5 th	11:55—12:44
6 th	12:48—01:37
7 th	01:41—02:30

7th Period Exams	
7 th Exam	07:35—09:10
1 st	09:14—09:56
2 nd	10:00—10:42
3 rd	10:46—11:30
Lunch	11:30—12:16
4 th	12:20—12:58
5 th	01:02—01:44
6 th	01:48—02:30

Early Release	
1 st	07:35—08:00
2 nd	08:04—08:29
3 rd	08:33—08:58
4 th	09:02—09:27
5 th	09:31—09:56
6 th	10:00—10:25
7 th	10:29—10:54
Lunch	10:54—11:30



KWHS **2024-2025** **Bell Schedule**

Managed by Sebastian Dietrich

Updated 8/6/2024 8:31 AM

Early Release Exam	
Exam	07:35—09:10
Lunch	09:10—09:51
Exam	09:55—11:30



Scan for latest or visit
kwhs.mcscd.link/bell-schedule

Attention Seniors and Senior Parents~~~

The **1st, 2nd and 3rd** round of scholarship lists have been posted!

I attached the lists to the end of this newsletter.

Seniors have been notified through text by Mrs. Lydia Estenoz. Seniors can stop by Mrs. Estenoz's office to pick up the scholarship applications. Stay tuned to this newsletter for weekly updates of the new scholarships offered. There will be 100 scholarships offered between now and mid-April! What a wonderful opportunity for our Seniors!!! Thank you to all the Local sponsors of these scholarships!!



SAT Test Dates and Registration Deadlines



<u>Test Date</u>	<u>Registration Deadline</u>	<u>Late Registration</u>	<u>Format</u>
March 8, 2025	February 21, 2025	February 25, 2025	Digital
May 3, 2025	April 18, 2025	April 22, 2025	Digital
June 7, 2025	May 22, 2025	May 27, 2025	Digital



Monroe County School District 2024-2025 Calendar

August 5-6	New Teachers Report - BLPT Reports
August 7-9	All Teachers Report (Professional Days)
August 12-13	All Teachers Report (Professional Days)
August 14	Students Report
September 2	Labor Day Holiday (No School)
October 11	End of First Marking Period (42 Days)
October 14	Professional Day (No Students) = <i>Priority #2 Hurricane Makeup</i>
November 1	Professional Day (No Students) = <i>Priority #3 Hurricane Makeup</i>
November 11	Veteran's Day Holiday - No School
November 25-27	Non-work / Non-Paid Days (No School)
November 28	Thanksgiving Holiday - No School
November 29	Non-work / Non-Paid Day (No School)
December 20	End of 1st Semester (84 days) - Early Dismissal Day
December 23- January 6	Winter Break - No School
January 6	Professional Day (No Students) - Full Day for Grading
January 7	Classes Reconvene
January 20	Martin Luther King Jr. Day Holiday - No School
February 14	Professional Day (No Students)- <i>Priority #4 Hurricane Makeup</i>
February 17	President's Day Holiday - No School
March 13	End of the 3rd Marking Period (45 Days)
March 14	Professional Day (No Students) = <i>Priority #1 Hurricane Makeup</i>
March 17-21	Spring Break - No School
March 24	Classes Reconvene
April 18	Professional Day (No Students)- <i>Priority #5 Hurricane Makeup</i>
May 26	Memorial Day Holiday (No School)
May 30	End of Second Semester (93 Days)- Early Dismissal Day
June 2	Professional Day (No Students) - Full Day for Grading
June 3	Professional Day (No Students) - School Based PD



KWHS AFTERSCHOOL TUTORING

Late Bus departs at 4:45- Must have a late bus pass
AFTERNOONS (SEE BELOW)– 2:45 TO 3:45
(REPORT TO THE CLASSROOM DIRECTLY)

Science	Cerkleski 4-225	Thurs
Science STEM	E. Smith 2-102 J. Smith 4-109	Tue/Thur Tue/Thur
ELA /SAT Prep	Estenoz 1-115	Tue/Thur
ELA Recovery/ FAST Prep	Kinnune 4-209	Tue/Thur
Math/Chemistry & AP Chem/Physics	Nelson 1-208	Mon/Thur
AP Writing	Laubenstein 4-201	Mon/Thur
Math	Castro 4-118 (ELL) Hutman 4-234 (Alg 1 & Geo) Blackwell 4-204 (Alg 1 & Alg 2)	Thurs Tue Tue/ Thur
ESE/ Career Support	Berenz 4-106	Mon/Thur
Essay Writing	Rein Media Center	Mon/Tue/ Thur
Cosmetology Students only	Oropeza 1-133B	Mon (2:45-4:45)

Show your Conch Pride!



What are Conch Pride Accounts?

They are free checking accounts with Conch debit cards help raise money up to \$1,000 per month for Key West High School. Keys FCU donates:

\$5 to [KWHS for each account opened](#).

- \$2 to KWHS for each box of checks ordered.
- 1% of each account holder's debit card transactions, up to \$15 per month to KWHS during specific promotional periods like Back to School, Spring Break and Christmas season.

Conch Pride accounts include free adult and teen online & mobile financial education programs that teach them how to save and manage their checking account and credit history and more.

Who can get a Conch Pride Checking Account?

Conch Pride Checking Accounts and Debit Cards are perfect for KWHS students- 14 years and older, parents, teachers, staff, alumni, and fans-that live or work in the Florida Keys.

Where can you open a Conch Pride account?

In Keys Federal Credit Union at 3022 N. Roosevelt Blvd. in Key Plaza, 514 Southard St., and 5300 Overseas Hwy. in Stock Island.

How can KWHS raise more money?

Create awareness of, and encourage students, staff, parents, and fans to open a Conch Pride checking account by:

- Announce/socialize account at staff meetings, school assemblies, pep rallies, sporting events, parent encounters and in classrooms
- Send flyer out in weekly newsletter and Peach jar email service
- Hang posters and banners in school/visible areas

Partner with Keys FCU to promote account openings at school events like open house, [orientation](#), [college](#) fairs, graduation, sports events, meet the teacher

- Identify promotional/sponsorship opportunities on school materials/areas
- Circulate donation photos and information

Who creates and provides the Conch Pride marketing materials?

Keys FCU will create and provide all Conch Pride marketing materials. KWHS must distribute, hang, communicate, and publish them.



Athletics



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KWHS Track had a meet on Tuesday against Coral Shores and on Saturday against Palmer Trinity!!

KWHS Tennis played against Coral Shores on Tuesday and against Marathon on Thursday!



BIGSTOCK

KWHS Boys Lacrosse played Coral Shores on Wednesday and Ransom Everglades on Friday!!
Go Boys!!!!



KWHS JV Baseball play ABF Academy on Saturday!

KWHS Varsity played St. Thomas Aquinas on Tuesday and Westminster Christian on Friday and Saturday and Spanish River on Saturday too!!



Andrew Stock | 8339467215



KWHS Girls Lacrosse played Palmer Trinity on Thursday, and Gulliver on Friday

Go Girls!!!



The KWHS Boys Wrestling have their STATE tournament Wednesday through Saturday!!!

Let get this, Conchs!!!!



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KWHS JV Softball played against Coral Springs Charter on Tuesday, and Florida Christian on Thursday!
KWHS Varsity Softball play Ransom on Saturday!!
Go Lady Conchs!!!

Activities

STAY INVOLVED!!!

SENIORS

Class of 2025 Executive Board would like every Senior to join!!
Senior Class of 2025 shirts can be purchased at Ramona's.

President— Deanna Gumarova Mercier
Vice President— Skye Sterling
Secretary— Pablo Anaya
Treasurer— Jada Franco
Historian— Alexa Condella

Class Sponsor: Mrs. Kristen Condella

Student Council

Please join Student Council to get involved in the planning of our pep rallies, Homecoming, student government activities, Teacher Appreciation and so much more!!!

President— Skye Sterling
Vice President— Chloe Blackwell
Secretary— Maya Gray
Treasurer— Tamika Kelly
Historian— Prometheus Delacerda

Student Council sponsor: Miss Ayesha Osborne

#CONCHSTRONG!!

JUNIORS

Class of 2026 Executive Board would like every Junior to join! Class shirts can be purchased at Ramona's

President— Kieran Smith
Vice President— Emmy Jackson
Secretary— Tamika Kelly
Treasurer— Janelle Rodriguez
Historian— Prometheus Delacerda

Class sponsor: Mrs. Paula Mercer

SOPHOMORES

Class of 2027 Executive Board would like every Sophomore to join! Class shirts can be purchased at Ramona's

President— Jordan Greene
Vice President— Lily Smith
Secretary— Jillian Cullum
Treasurer— Ryleigh Harnish
Historian— Pilar Rivera

Class Sponsor: Ms. Melissa Thomas

FRESHMEN

Class of 2028 Executive Board would like every Freshmen to join! Class shirts can be purchased at Ramona's

President— Kaine Dickerson
Vice President— Ben Delostrinos
Secretary— Jalynn Morales
Treasurer— Kaleaya Dickerson
Historian— Hailey Morales

Class sponsor: Miss Miranda Acevedo



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Rebecca Palomino
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David Perkins
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Yanelys Ballard
Assistant Principal
Ja-Ronika Veldheer

Key West High School Spring Testing Season Dates

as of 12/03/24 Student Copy

January

Date	Assessment
Wednesday, January 15 th	9 th & 10 th ELA FAST PM2

February

NO TESTING (Enjoy the month off!!)

March

Date	Assessment
Tuesday, March 4 th	PSAT 9 th & PSAT 10 th
Tuesday, March 11 th	SAT 11 th Gr.
Tuesday, March 25 th	SAT 12 th Gr. (Reportable- Sign up)

April

Date	Assessment
Tuesday, April 1 st	9 th Gr. FAST Writing
Thursday, April 3 rd	10 th Gr. FAST Writing

State Testing Windows

ACCESS for ELLs: January 20th – March 14th

FAA-Performance Task: March 10th – April 25th

FAST Writing 9th & 10th: March 31-April 11th

Florida Civics Literacy Exam: March 31st - May 30th

(Algebra, Geometry, US Hist, Biology) Retake: May 1st – 30th

PM 3 FAST State Testing: May 1st – 30th

May (Get ready for the ride....)

Date	Final Exams	State Test	AP Test	8 AM	12 PM
Thursday, May 1 st		ELA Retake			
Friday, May 2 nd		Algebra Retake			
Monday, May 5 th			Biology	X	
			European History		X
Tuesday, May 6 th			Chemistry	X	
			Human Geography	X	
			US Gov't		X
Wednesday, May 7 th		10 th Gr. ELA FAST PM3	English Lit.	X	
Thursday, May 8 th			World History: Modern		X
Friday, May 9 th		9 th Gr. ELA FAST PM3	US History	X	
			Macro		X
Monday, May 12 th			Calculus AB	X	
			Seminar		X
Tuesday, May 13 th			French Lang. & Culture	X	
			Precalculus	X	
			Environmental Science		X
Wednesday, May 14 th		US History EOC	English Lang. & Comp.	X	
Thursday, May 15 th			Spanish Lang. & Culture	X	
			Computer Sci. Principles		X
Friday, May 16 th	Senior Exam Period 4	Biology EOC	Physics 1	X	
			Psychology		X
Monday, May 19 th	Senior Exam Periods 3 & 5	Algebra EOC			
Tuesday, May 20 th	Senior Exams Periods 2 & 6				
Wednesday, May 21 st	Senior Exams Periods 1 & 7	Geometry EOC			
Thursday, May 22 nd					
Friday, May 23 rd					
Monday, May 26 th		NO SCHOOL- Memorial Day			
Tuesday, May 27 th	Underclass Period 2				
Wednesday, May 28 th	Underclass Periods 3 & 4				
Thursday, May 29 th	Underclass Period 5 & 6				
Friday, May 30 th	Underclass Period 1 & 7	Last Day of School			

KWHS Local Scholarships 2025

FOR SENIORS
ONLY

ROUND 1 (Released: 2/18/2025)

	SCHOLARSHIP	RELEASED	DUE	CRITERIA	INSTRUCTIONS
1	Brooke Pazo Memorial Scholarship for Fashion	2/18/2025	3/13/2025	(For Fashion Design, Interior Design, Marketing or related majors.)	Turn in to Mrs. Estenoz
2	Lower Duval Merchants "Business & Hospitality Scholarship"	2/18/2025	3/26/2025	Requires a minimum 2.5 GPA. • Applicant must be planning to attend college to study hospitality, tourism or business related.	Turn & to Mrs. Estenoz
3	G. Ross McKee, Jr. Scholarship for Educational Excellence	2/18/2025	3/26/2025	Requires minimum 2.5 GPA weighted; participation in school clubs or sports and proof of acceptance to a college or university.	Applications due to Mrs. Estenoz
4	ZONTA 3 in 1: Leadership/STEM/Z-Club Member	2/18/2025	3/26/2025	Offering 3 scholarships in one application online at Zontakeywest.com. Open to women only	Turn into Mrs. Estenoz. Interview may be required.
5	ZONTA INTERNATIONAL for YOUNG WOMEN in PUBLIC AFFAIRS	2/18/2025	3/10/2025	Open to women only. For volunteerism, student government, leadership and support of women.	Turn application into Mrs. Estenoz except for the two required letters of recommendations which must be mailed in by the recommenders via postal mail- post marked no later than March 10th to: ZONTA of KEY WEST, c/o M. Douthett, P.O. BOX 184, Key West, FL 33041
6	Marathon & Lower Keys Association of Realtors	2/18/2025	4/15/2025	Applicants must reside between Layton and Saddlebunch Key regardless of where they attend school.	Due by postal mail or may be also emailed in to CEO@MLKAR.com
	SUNRISE ROTARY of the CONCH REPUBLIC: 4 in 1 Unified Scholarship Application Packet	2/18/2025	4/11/2025	Criteria varies for each; see application. Use 1 application to apply for all 4 scholarships.	Turn in via email by April 11th to: kwsr.scholarships@gmail.com
7	1. Sunrise Rotary for Memorial	2/18/2025	4/11/2025	For significant community service. Min. 3.0 GPA	Turn in via email by April 11th to: kwsr.scholarships@gmail.com
8	2. Eckwood Solomon/Glynn Archer Scholarship	2/18/2025	4/11/2025	For scholar athletes (requires 3.0 min GPA)	Turn in via email by April 11th to: kwsr.scholarships@gmail.com
9	3. Sunrise Rotary "Conch Republic" Scholarship	2/18/2025	4/11/2025	For academic merit & comm. Serv.- 3.0 GPA min.	Turn in via email by April 11th to: kwsr.scholarships@gmail.com
10	4. Mike & Debbie Horne Vocational Scholarship	2/18/2025	4/11/2025	For associate, certificate or vocational college/trade school. Min. 2.0 GPA	Turn in via email by April 11th to: kwsr.scholarships@gmail.com
11	Judy Hobbs Memorial Scholarship by Society for Human Resource Managers (SHRM)	2/18/2025	3/7/2025	For majors in Human Resource Management or Business Mgmt. Requires 3.0 min. GPA.	Turn in to Mrs. Estenoz
13	Laura Jane Baker Dwyer Scholarship for Black Students	2/18/2025	3/13/2025	For black students only who reside in the City of Key West with a minimum 2.5 GPA who will attend college.	Turn in to Mrs. Estenoz
14	VOICES Carol Parker Memorial Scholarship-2.0	2/18/2025	4/1/2025	Recently modified to broaden criteria of hardship. The mission of the Carol Parker Scholarship is to provide financial assistance to students who have faced personal challenges and continue to persevere and pursue post educational opportunities.	Turn in to Mrs. Estenoz

This list is updated weekly through April by Mr. Estenoz, KWHS College & Career Counselor lydia.estenoz@keysschools.com

15	Islamorada Fishing and Conservation Trust (IFACT)	2/18/2025	4/21/2025	<i>For bachelor or associate degree seekers in marine affairs, marine engineering, wild life, conservation, or trade school for outboard or diesel mechanic.</i>	<i>Due by mail or email to IFACT scholarship contact: KIMCOL1@hotmail.com</i>
16	Gina Soldano Smith Memorial Scholarship for Teaching	2/18/2025	3/28/2025	<i>(For students who will attend college to become educators, or any degree when the student was an EL (English Learner) student at any time during high school.)</i>	<i>Turn in to Mrs. Estenoz</i>
17	United Teachers of Monroe (UTM)	2/18/2025	4/18/2025	<i>Open to the children/dependents of employees of the Monroe County School District that are also member of UTM.</i>	<i>Due by Mail 4/10, or by 4/07 if given to Mrs. Estenoz</i>
18	Florida Keys Flight Academy	2/18/2025	3/31/2025	<i>To support students in getting their pilot school hours through Florida Keys Flight Academy.</i>	<i>Email application to floridakeysflightacademy@gmail.com</i>
19	The Isaac Cuervo Archer Memorial "Diamond Fund Scholarship"	2/18/2025	3/26/2025	<i>To support a student with any post-graduation plan, not limited to college. Considers school and sports participation as well as any hardships overcome in high school.</i>	<i>Turn in to Mrs. Estenoz</i>
20	Rotary Club of Key West Paul J. Sher Memorial Scholarship	2/18/2025	3/10/2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A min. of 100 community service hours • A min of a 3.0 unweighted GPA • A min SAT of 1100—OR—ACT of 22 • Completed (or still enrolled in) a minimum of seven (7) DE and/or AP courses • Have a Student Aid Index (SAI) of \$30,000 or less per the FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Financial Aid) 	<i>Turn in to Mrs. Estenoz</i>
21	Rotary Club of Key West Robert G. Walker Memorial Scholarship	2/18/2025	3/24/2025	<i>Requires 300 minimum hours of community service.</i>	<i>Turn in to Mrs. Estenoz</i>
22	Rotary Club of Key West Andy Griffiths	2/18/2025	3/24/2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • For bachelor's degree in the field of education. • Min. 2.5 GPA • Have a Student Aid Index of \$30,000 or less as determined by the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) • Not be a child or grandchild of a member of the Rotary Club of Key West 	<i>Turn in to Mrs. Estenoz</i>
23	Hemingway Look-A-Like Society's "Opportunity Scholarship"	2/18/2025	3/13/2025	<i>Awards \$2500 to a student who will attend any college/university. Requires proof of acceptance to said college.</i>	<i>Turn in to Mrs. Estenoz. Interview may be required.</i>
24	Hemingway Look-A-Like Society's "Shine Forbes" Scholarship for College of the Florida Keys (CFK)	2/18/2025	3/13/2025	<i>Awards \$1500 to a student who will attend the College of the Florida Keys. Requires proof of acceptance to CFK.</i>	<i>Turn in to Mrs. Estenoz</i>
25	The Dexter Lang Butler Memorial Scholarship	2/18/2025	4/18/2025	<i>Requires 2.5 min. GPA, an athlete at KWHS and proof of acceptance to a college or university.</i>	<i>Turn in to Mrs. Estenoz</i>
26	Guide Trust Foundation (GTF)	2/18/2025	4/15/2025	<i>For students pursuing majors in marine affairs, marine biology, enviro. studies and related.</i>	<i>Must be be turned into Mrs. Estenoz, emailed or mailed with post-mark by 04/15/25</i>
27	Monroe County Bar Association (MCBA)	2/18/2025	4/15/2025	<i>For studies in law enforcement, criminology, paralegal, legal studies, forensics, corrections or related field.</i>	<i>Submit via email to: admin@monroecountybar.net</i>

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	SCHOLARSHIP	RELEASED	DUE	CRITERIA	INSTRUCTIONS
54	Chief Petty Officers Association C.P.O.A.	3/6/2025	4/15/2025	For a graduating Conchette with good academic standing and exemplary leadership.	Due to Mrs. Estenoz
55	First State Bank "Diego Caso Memorial Scholarship" for Business majors.	3/6/2025	4/15/2025	For Business and Finance Majors. Requires min. 3.0 GPA. Award amount increased to \$4000 for 2025.	Due to Mrs. Estenoz
56	Ocean Reef Conservation Association	3/6/2025	3/27/2025	For degrees in environmental science, marine studies and conservation related studies.	Due to Mrs. Estenoz
57	Key West Masonic Lodge #64	3/6/2025	4/10/2025	For any degree. Requires proof of admission.	Due to Mrs. Estenoz
58	Stephen Jones Memorial Scholarship for Sports	3/6/2025	3/27/2025	Open to male and female students; preference for participation in sports and choir.	Turn in to Mrs. Estenoz
59	Deb Oliver Courtney Memorial Nursing Scholarship	3/6/2025	4/7/2023	Requires min. 3.0 GPA and proof of acceptance.	Turn in to Mrs. Estenoz
60	Sugarloaf School P.T.O.	3/6/2025	4/7/2023	For students who attended Sugarloaf School; min. 2.5 GPA; requires essay.	Due to Mrs. Estenoz
61	<i>Elma Lillian Whitehead</i> Memorial Nursing Scholarship	3/6/2025	4/3/2025	For nursing degree, RN or BSN. Requires 75 hours of community service and 2.5 GPA min.	Due to Mrs. Estenoz
62	Kevin Piper Jr. Memorial Fund Scholarship	3/6/2025	4/1/2024	Requires min. 3.0 weighted GPA and essay on diving safety.	Due to Mrs. Estenoz

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63	The Debbie Steadman Zarate Memorial Scholarship for Conchettes	3/6/2025	3/27/2025	<i>For a Conchette in good standing academically that has demonstrated participation in school clubs and served in a leadership role.</i>	<i>Due to Mrs. Estenoz</i>
64	Key West Little Conch Baseball (KWLCB)	3/6/2025	4/2/2025	<i>For students who have played or volunteered in the Key West Little Conch Baseball League.</i>	<i>Turn in to Mrs. Estenoz</i>
65	Interfaith Ministerial Alliance	3/6/2025	4/2/2025	<i>Open to stuents with a minimum 2.0 GPA and adjusted household income of parents \$60,000 or less.</i>	<i>Apply online after being accepted to the CFK.</i>
66	Gail Heintz Scholarship Fund for Nursing	3/6/2025	4/11/2025	<i>For studies to become a nurse.</i>	<i>Due to Mrs. Estenoz</i>
67	The American Legion Auxiliary Post 28- Key West	3/6/2025	3/27/2025	<i>For a female nursing student. Min. 2.75 GPA</i>	<i>Due to Mrs. Estenoz</i>
68	ANDREA STACI CARBONELL MEMORIAL for Medical or Health related studies	3/6/2025	3/27/2025	<i>Requires minimum 3.0 GPA and acceptance to a college or university for health or medical studies.</i>	<i>Due to Mrs. Estenoz</i>
69	The Phyllis Allen Teacher Recruitment Fund	3/6/2025	4/30/2025	<i>Awards up to \$5000 for students pursuing education careers.</i>	<i>Turn in to Mrs. Estenoz</i>
70	United Way of Collier and The Keys (UWCK) Marine Science Educational Advancement Scholarship	3/6/2025	4/24/2025	<i>Requires 2.5 min. GPA. Applicant must have resided in Monre County for at least one year. For environmental and marine related studies.</i>	<i>Apply online.</i>
71	Wardlow Memorial Scholarship for Firefighting, EMT/Paramedic	3/6/2025	4/2/2025	<i>For students pursuing fire college, EMT or paramedic studies. Reference given to students in the KWHS FireFighter Academy</i>	<i>Due to Mrs. Estenoz</i>
72	Fred Cabanas Memorial Scholarship for Aviation	3/6/2025	4/2/2025	<i>For aviation, aerospace, pilot school and related.</i>	<i>To Mrs. Estenoz</i>
73	Katie Higgs Wyrwicki Memorial Culinary Scholarship	3/6/2025	4/11/2025	<i>For college studies in Culinary Arts, Kitchen Mgmt, Restaurant Mgmt., Food Dev., Pastry Chef, Catering, and related areas.</i>	<i>Turn in to Mrs. Estenoz</i>
74	Ms. Betty Radics Scholarship Fund	3/6/2025	3/31/2025	<i>For students going to college for hospitality, culinary or medical related studies.</i>	<i>Turn in to Mrs. Estenoz</i>
75	Key West Art & Historical Society Scholarship	3/6/2025	3/27/2025	<i>For any college degree field with preference for certain areas. Requires 3.5 min. GPA, 75 hours of community service.</i>	<i>Turn in to Mrs. Estenoz</i>
76	Key West Garden Club at West Martello Scholarship	3/6/2025	4/2/2025	<i>For any college degree field with preference for certain areas. Requires 3.5 min. GPA, 75 hours of community service.</i>	<i>Turn in to Mrs. Estenoz</i>
77	Key West Gator Club Scholarship	3/6/2025	4/2/2025	<i>Requires that student has been accepted to the University of Florida.</i>	<i>Turn in to Mrs. Estenoz</i>
78	Conch Royal Court Scholarship	3/6/2025	3/27/2025	<i>For students who have been members of Key West High School's Homecoming Court at any age, whether as a Candidate for Queen, an Escort or as a young Page.</i>	<i>Turn in to Mrs. Estenoz</i>
79	Caleb E. Hiller Aeronautical/Aviation Scholarship	3/6/2025	4/7/2025	<i>For university, military academy or tech. school in aviation, aerospace, pilot or aeronautics studies.</i>	<i>To Mrs. Estenoz</i>


The Scholarship Running List is updated and released on Fridays through April 15th.

New scholarships are added each week. For any questions or to be added to the weekly Text List to receive updates, email Mrs. Lydia Estenoz, College Counselor at lydia.estenoz@keysschools.com

2024-2025 SENIOR DATES



DATE	TIME	EVENT	LOCATION	CONTACT
August 16, 2024	2:00pm	1st Pep Rally	Gym	Student Council
August 30, 2024	ALL DAY	College Color Day--wear college shirts or colors	Campus	n/a
September 3--September 9, 2024	ALL DAY	<u>Homecoming Nominations</u> --in order to be nominated, senior girls must have been in 3 clubs or performance group during her Junior AND Senior year	Nomination forms will be in the front office. Please submit the completed Nomination form back to the front office.	Mrs. Saunders
September 10, 2024	ALL DAY	Voting for your Homecoming Court	History Classes	Mrs. Saunders
October 16 & 17, 2024	ALL DAY	Senior Pictures	Auditorium	Herff Jones
October 18, 2024	ALL DAY	Underclassmen & Senior Pictures--Make ups and Retakes	Auditorium	Mrs. Saunders
October 28, 2024	6:00pm	Homecoming Parade	KWHS	Mrs. Saunders
October 31, 2024	ALL DAY	Homecoming Queen Voting	Auditorium	Mrs. Saunders
October 31, 2024	2:00pm	Homecoming Pep Rally	Gym	Student Council
November 1, 2024	7:00pm	Homecoming Game & Crowning of the Queen	Tommy Roberts Stadium	Mrs. Saunders
November 2, 2024	TBD	Homecoming Dance	TBD	Student Council
November 13th & 14th	lunch time & 5:30pm	Order Senior Announcements	Courtyard & Library	Herff Jones
November 21, 2024	ALL DAY	Club Pictures and Sports Pictures	Gym/Courtyard	Mrs. Saunders
February 4, 2025	8:30am	Senior Panoramic--please wear your red Senior shirt	Gym	Herff Jones
April 17, 2025	ALL DAY	Junior/Senior Field Day	Backyard	Mrs. Condella/Mrs. Mercer
May 1, 2025	7th period	National College/Military/Vocational Decision Day	Courtyard	Mrs. Estenoz
May 9, 2025	6:00pm-9:00pm	Junior/Senior Luau	Lagerheads	Mrs. Condella/Mrs. Mercer
May 22, 2025	ALL DAY	Last Day for Seniors	Campus	n/a
May 22, 2025	7th period	Ring of the Bell for Seniors	Courtyard (Bell)	KWHS
May 22, 2025	6:00pm	Senior Banquet	Cafeteria/Auditorium	Mrs. Condella /Mrs. Saunders
May 23, 2025	8:00am	Investiture Practice-- Cap & Gown Distribution	Auditorium	Mrs. Saunders
May 23, 2025	7:00pm	Investiture Ceremony-- Dress Code	Auditorium	Mrs. Saunders
May 25, 2025	10:30am	Baccalaureate-- Dress Code	St. Mary's Church	n/a
May 25, 2025	11:00am	Baccalaureate-- Dress Code	5th Street Baptist Church	n/a
May 25, 2025	12:30pm	Baccalaureate-- Dress Code	Trinity Presbyterian Church	n/a
May 27, 2025	TBD	Prom	Southernmost House	Mrs. Kristen Condella
May 28, 2025	6:00pm	Class Night-- Dress Code	Auditorium	Mrs. Estenoz
May 29, 2025	6:00pm	Graduation Practice	Tommy Roberts Stadium	Mrs. Saunders
May 30, 2025	8:00pm	Graduation-- Dress Code	Tommy Roberts Stadium	Mrs. Saunders
May 30, 2025	10:00pm	Operation Graduation	KWHS	Mrs. Brindisi

Dress Code for Graduation Ceremonies, Yearbooks and Graduation Fees:			
Boys-- white button up shirt (long or short sleeve), black pants, black socks, black shoes, black clip on tie	Girls-- white dress (no color on the dress), white shoes	Yearbooks are \$85.00. You can purchase a yearbook by going to www.yearbookordercenter.com and enter KWHS code #17196	<p>Graduation fees are \$80.00 and it includes the cap and gown, tassel, and diploma cover. Please see Mrs. Saunders to make your payment. You can pay with cash, check or credit card. Please use the QR code to the right to pay using a credit card.</p>  <p>SCAN ME</p>