



## Graduation Matters Education Matters Hamilton

### Time Line:

March SynergE - get communications out to staff  
Get PR developed, designed, implemented.  
April 4 – Present update on GM/EM to Student Affairs Committee  
April 9 - Present update on GM/EM to School Board  
April 11 – Community Luncheon Kick-off, and staff meeting with OPI – Steve York  
April 11 & 12 – Information available for Parent Teacher conferences, Information to PACs  
April 12 – Downtown Business Association meeting  
April 16 – 8<sup>th</sup> grade parent night / Bronc Beginnings  
April 19 - WA – Spaghetti Dinner  
April – get Olweus program started (ordered)  
May – HHS Students present GM/EM curricula to HMS students (Kimzey/Conwell developing)  
May 11/12 – HHS art show  
May 24 – HMS 5<sup>th</sup> to 6<sup>th</sup> grade event with parent piece.  
May 31 - All sports banquet – possibly bring in an athlete (a big one) to talk about charting your sports career (SATs, etc.) Lay out the path through the system. Have GM banners up, info. table.  
June 3 – HHS grade graduation (banners and information)  
June 4 – 8<sup>th</sup> grade promotion (banners and information)

Summer – building community partners/ business & school partnerships. Community outreach, planning, GM/EM events, Media relationship building. Attend GM Summit.

August— Freshmen only day—GM/EM information and mentoring.

Parent workshops – present key educational materials to parents.

Community outreach.

Fall—Kick off of “Graduation Matters / EDUCATION MATTERS—Hamilton” to all of HSD3.

Big event for HHS & HMS, smaller events to all grades. (Still being designed)

Start of AmeriCorps position to work towards GM/EM.

Career heavy emphasis on core curricula and education – HHS & HMS.

“Destination Success” career fairs to middle school (hands-on) and high school.

Community outreach. Parent education. Media relationship building.

Winter – on-going emphasis that education matters and graduation matters to all grades, monthly reinforcing activities.

Spring, Summer – repeat all efforts, reevaluate, resume.

(updated 3/28/12)