

# Asociación de padres y familia

¡Bienvenidos a la familia Bloodhound!



OCTOBER 2020

**Partnering with Parents to Support Your Student**  
October 23 from 5:30pm-6:30pm

[Register Here](#)

**Parent Meet Up**  
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## Important Dates

November 26-29 - Thanksgiving Break

December 9 - Last Day of Classes

December 14-20 - Finals

## HOW PARENTS CAN HELP KEEP THEIR STUDENTS ON TRACK

This is the hardest school year experienced by many college students. In the best of times, graduating on time is fraught. The current COVID-19 pandemic puts students at risk of losing years of progress in academic advancement. At John Jay College we are working to prevent that by virtually providing the same essential services to our student population. This finds parents in the role of providing an environment that allows college students at home to adjust schedules, manage, and navigate new social situations. Below we identify some steps for parents to help boost their college student engagement for staying on track and graduating on time.

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## ADVICE FROM A STUDENT: WHAT IS YOUR STUDENT GOING THROUGH WHEN IT COMES TO PICKING THEIR NEXT SEMESTER CLASSES?

Hi, my name is Kira! I am a junior and I am a Global History major with a minor in Digital Media and Journalism.

As a college student for over three years now and a proud class picker for six semesters, I can tell you it's a bit of a nerve-wracking thing; not knowing if the classes we need to take are going to be available, if they are going to be available at times that work around the rest of our schedules, taking unnecessary classes etc

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## OFFICE FEATURE: ACADEMIC ADVISEMENT CENTER

In the Academic Advisement Center (AAC), we help undergraduate students explore, define, and achieve their academic goals. Academic Advisors explain all degree requirements with a specific focus on general education requirements and provide ongoing academic support all the way to graduation.

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## WHY SHOULD YOU BE ACTIVE IN OUR PARENT & FAMILY ASSOCIATION?



The Office of Student Transition Programs understands and recognizes the vital role parents and family members play in the academic success of their students. Because family members are a very important part of our College community, we will make every effort to promote family communication and involvement. Whether you are family members of new or returning students, we hope your experience with John Jay is positive and rewarding.

The purpose of the Parent and Family Association is to:

Assist family members in navigating campus resources, services, and programs

Assist family members in supporting their students and empowering them to take responsibility while enrolled at the College

Enhance communication between the College and family members

Develop a sense of community amongst John Jay families to provide support, advice, and opportunities for involvement.

This year, we will be sending newsletters, hosting webinars and virtual meet ups!

If you have suggestions of topics for our newsletter and webinar or ideas for Parent and Family Association events, please submit them here: <https://bit.ly/parentsuggestion>

We hope you stay engaged with us while your student is enrolled at John Jay!