September 21st, 2020

Dear Parents/Guardians,

Smith Vocational and Agricultural High School will once again offer after school homework help during the 2020-2021 school year. The program will begin on October 5th and run through June 3rd, 2021 Monday-Thursday from 2:40-3:40 and will be staffed by a licensed educator and/or a paraprofessional. Homework help will be available to all students, and students who take advantage of this program can expect homework support in all academic areas. During remote and hybrid learning the program will be held virtually. Students will be able to access homework help by joining through zoom at: https://zoom.us/s/98692580593. This link is password protected. To request the password please email me at mparks@smithtec.org and/or Liz Flores at elflores@smithtec.org.

When all students return to campus full time, the program will be held in the A building library from 2:15-3:15. Students will be expected to stay for the entire after school session unless parents provide a note for early dismissal. Students participating in after school sports are exempt from this policy. If a student is dismissed early from the program, they must leave campus. No student can be on campus unsupervised after school hours. This is a school-sponsored program, so students will be subject to the rules and expectations of Smith Vocational and Agricultural High School while participating in the program.

Smith provides single-day passes for the PVTA, which can transport students to bus stops in Williamsburg, Hadley, Easthampton, and Holyoke. Please refer to the PVTA bus schedules for more information at http://www.pvta.com/. Families are responsible for making arrangements for transportation home from the school or PVTA bus stops.

If you have any questions about this program, please contact me at 413-587-1414 x3478 or at mparks@smithtec.org. We look forward to your child’s participation in this year’s after school homework help program.

Sincerely,

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