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Neway Works partners with DPSCD to support rebuilding of Pershing High School



With this partnership, Neway Works seeks to play an active role in revitalizing the school's athletic programs while supporting students in reaching their full potential.

"This partnership with Neway Works is an exciting step forward for Pershing High School and our student-athletes," said Bryant Tipton, Pershing Principal.

PRNewswire/ -- Neway Works, Inc. is proud to announce a new community partnership with the Detroit Public Schools Community District (DPSCD), kicking off with Detroit Pershing High School, known as the Pershing Doughboys. This collaboration aims to support Pershing in its rebuilding efforts, including working directly with the school's athletic programs to enhance opportunities for student-athletes both on and off the field.

Through this partnership, Neway Works will provide educational programming services including tutoring, mentoring, financial literacy and entrepreneurship, career and college readiness, workforce development, scholarships, and athletic support to Pershing High School students. The initiative aligns with Neway Works' mission to empower inner-city youth by offering programs focused on breaking barriers toward whole life success.

"We are thrilled to collaborate with Detroit Pershing and DPSCD to create meaningful opportunities for students," said Shane Gianino, Founder of Neway Works. "By working with the basketball and football teams, we aim to not only strengthen their athletic programs but also provide guidance that extends beyond the game, ensuring students have pathways to success in education, career, and life."

Pershing High School, a historically significant institution in Detroit, has produced outstanding professional athletes and leaders, such as Spencer Haywood, Willie King, DeShawn Sims, Larry Foote, Glenn Doughty, Paul Seal, Lenny Green, Marvin Lane, and Ted Sizemore.

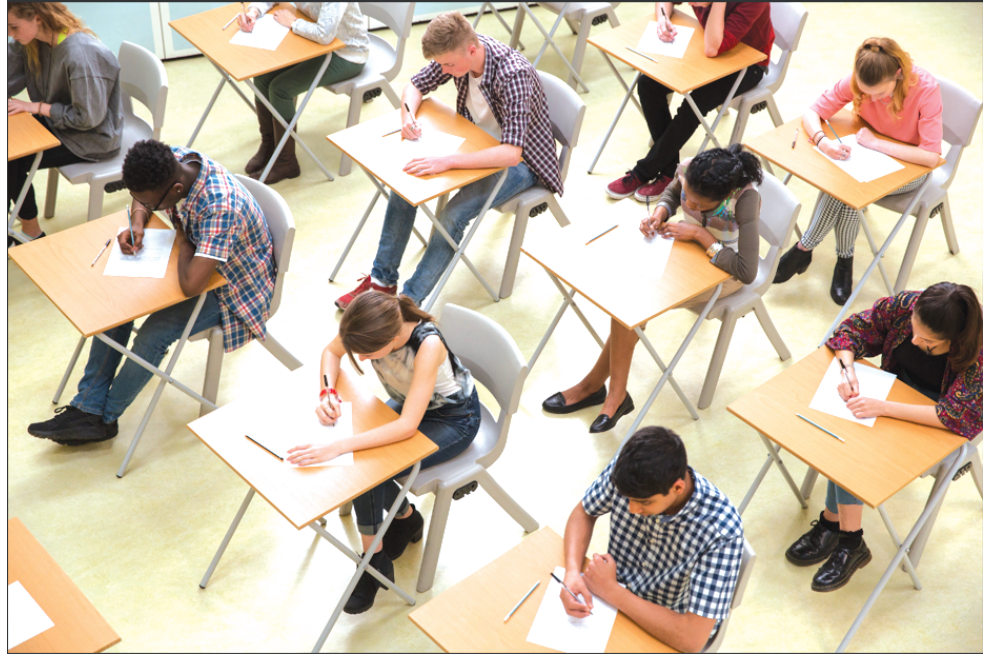
With a \$77 million investment, the Doughboys are bringing a state-of-the-art facility to life, scheduled for completion in 2027. This new school will offer modern classrooms and innovative learning spaces, along with cutting-edge athletic facilities designed to inspire and support the next generation of Detroit's leaders.

What makes this project truly special is the inclusive design process. They have engaged students, alumni, staff, and community members every step of the way. Together, they are reimagining Pershing High and continuing to rebuild the Detroit Public Schools Community District—Brick by Brick.

Neway Works has also opened an office in the heart of downtown Detroit a part of their strategic 2025 plan at 2111 Woodward Avenue, with a vision of helping more DPSCD students in the city experience whole life success through its no cost wrap-around services.

Neway Works invites community members, organizations, and businesses to join in this initiative to uplift Detroit's youth. To learn about partnership opportunities or support the program, please contact Shane Gianino of Neway Works.

Don't forget these six things on the day of your college entrance exams



(StatePoint) While every institution weighs college entrance exam scores a little bit differently, one thing is certain: doing well can only boost your application to the school of your choice. That's why you don't want to leave anything to chance on the day of your test. Pack these items the night before so you can grab extra sleep in the morning:

1. An extra layer: There is nothing more distracting than being hot or cold. Remember, you'll be sitting still in the test site for a long time, so you want to make sure you're prepared. Dress in layers so you can stay comfortable, no matter what temperature the room is.
2. A snack and water bottle: Bring a snack and a water bottle so you can stay focused on the test questions, not a growling stomach. The college entrance exam is a marathon, not a sprint, so opt for brain-healthy snacks that will keep you fueled to think straight for hours, such as nuts, dark chocolate or berries, and avoid options that will make you sluggish or cause your blood sugar to spike and crash.
3. A calculator: Ace the math portion of the exam with a calculator you can count on. The fx-9750GIII graphing calculator from

Casio, for example, is approved for the SAT, PSAT, ACT and AP tests, and features an intuitive icon menu, making it incredibly easy to use, even when your work is being timed. With hundreds of hours of battery life, it's a reliable choice for a long day of testing.

4. Writing utensils: While some college entrance exams are now being administered digitally, you'll still want to make sure you're equipped with several pens or freshly-sharpened pencils for scratch work. And if you are taking the test on paper, be sure to bring No. 2 pencils with erasers.
5. A testing device: If you'll be taking the test digitally, bring a fully-charged, approved testing device and charger. The device should also have any needed testing software already installed.
6. Your identification and test ticket: Most exams require you to bring an admissions ticket and photo identification. For a smooth test day, don't leave these items at home.

Tests like the ACT and SAT are important pieces of the college admissions puzzle. Being prepared for test day with all the items you need can help you stay focused, and perform your best.

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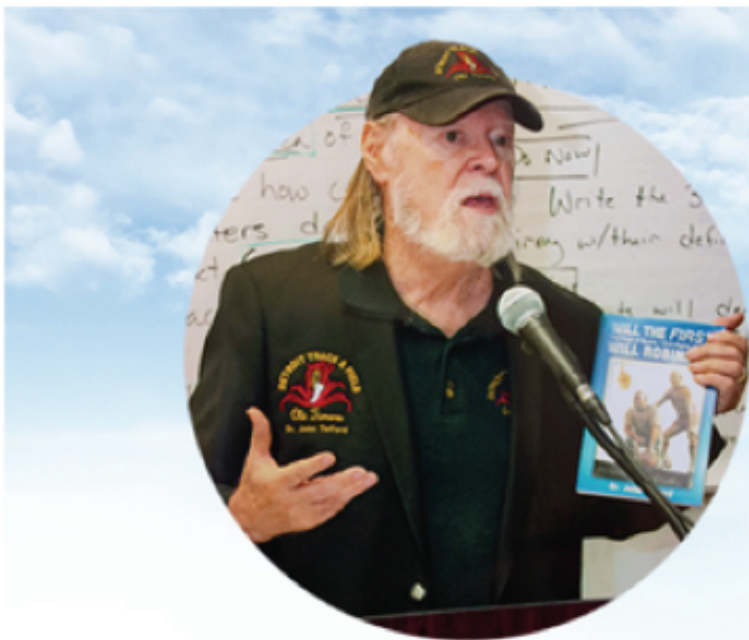
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