

Parent University: April 2, 2019
Opening: 7 PM MS Library

Debate Team Demonstration: The Jericho High School *Tournament Debate* program includes coursework and the extracurricular Debate Team. Students who participate in this program acquire a set of communication and research skills that they can use throughout high school and college as well as in most professions. Students compete against other Long Island and New York State Debate teams.

Our Parent University presentation will include a demonstration in which two students debate a Lincoln Douglas style resolution while an expert judge demonstrates how to “flow” and evaluate their performance. Following the demonstration, coach Mary Drayer and her students will discuss the program with parents.

This workshop will run from 7:10-7:40 PM.

Session I: 7:45-8:15

Session II: 8:20-8:50

(Parents will have the opportunity to attend two of the following workshops.)

Naviance: At each grade level (6-12), counselors and students work together to explore and use the different features of the program Naviance. This parent workshop, run by Curriculum Associate for Guidance Greg Sloan, will highlight the different tools that students will utilize along their path to college & career readiness. Parents will also learn how they can access their own Naviance account and have an opportunity to do so in the computer lab during the session.

Science Research: We see our students winning amazing awards and recognitions, but what is science research? This program begins in 10th grade with an overview of science research related skills and a more intensive review of a variety of science disciplines occurs in 11th and 12th grade. Come meet Dr. Serena McCalla and learn more about this program.

Social Media and Your Children: What’s up with kids and devices? We’ll take a look at the ways in which kids are using their devices through social media, video and gaming. A panel of students will share their expertise. Middle school principal, Don Gately, will facilitate.