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Location: Lawrence Auditorium
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■ **Life in the Middle School**
(also at 9:15 a.m.)
Location: Morrison Forum—Pratt Middle School
Speakers: John Gifford, *Head of the Middle School and Assistant Head of School*, panel of middle school students
Description: Ask John Gifford and middle school students questions about academic rigor and skill development, the social adjustment to a new school and the transition to the upper school at Nobles. You will also learn about the Afternoon Program, consisting of offerings in many sports as well as non-competitive activities, and our many clubs and organizations.

■ **Science in the Upper School**
(also at 10:00 a.m.)
Location: Room 100 - Baker Building
Speakers: Dr. Jen Craft, *Head of Science Department*, panel of students
Description: The Nobles science curriculum is designed to nurture the development of strong analytical and critical thinking skills in students and a dynamic curiosity for the world around them. Join department head Dr. Jen Craft and a panel of students for a Q & A session on what it’s like to study science at Nobles.

■ **Diversity and Inclusion at Nobles**
(also at 9:15 a.m.)
Location: Room 101—Academic Center
Speakers: Erica Pernell, *Dean of Diversity and Inclusion*
Description: Join Dean of Diversity and Inclusion Erica Pernell for a session exploring identity, diversity and inclusion at Nobles. Take part in an interactive activity to explore your own identity and hear about the experiences of others. Learn about the work being done to advance inclusion and equity at Nobles.

■ **EXCEL (Service, Travel/Immersion and Applied Learning) at Nobles**
(also at 9:15 a.m.)
Location: Recital Hall—Henderson Arts Center
Speaker: Ben Snyder, *Director of EXCEL*
Description: Unique among independent schools, EXCEL (Experiential and Community Engaged Learning) touches the lives of every Nobles student. From hands on, project based learning inside the classroom to challenging service and immersion programs connecting Nobles with over 100 partner organizations around the world, it is through EXCEL that Nobles best develops citizenship, collaborative and individual problem solving skills, empathy, resilience, character and an understanding of appropriate risk taking.

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■ **Life in the Upper School**
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Location: Towles Auditorium–Baker Science Building
Speakers: Michael Denning, *Head of the Upper School*, panel of students
Description: Our programs aim to develop in our students the skills, ethics, knowledge, attitudes, and confidence necessary to tackle the most difficult challenges and solve the most complex problems. We also endeavor to prepare leaders who will inspire and instill confidence while working collaboratively with others. Please come and learn more about our programs and pedagogies; we think you will enjoy meeting our students, too!

■ **Athletics at Nobles**
(also at 10:00 a.m.)
Location: The Castle—Main Dining Hall
Speakers: Alex Gallagher, *Athletic Director*, panel of students
Description: Successful varsity athletic teams receive all the publicity, but a strong athletic program begins with solid coaching and skill development. We will discuss the philosophy behind athletics at Nobles and our approach for all participants.

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Description: Ask questions of a panel of faculty representing the Math, Science, Social Studies, English, Classics and Modern Language departments.

■ **Performing Arts at Nobles**
(also at 10:45 a.m.)
Location: Vinik Theatre – Henderson Arts Center
Speakers: Daniel Halperin, *Director of Theatre*, panel of students
Description: Join department faculty and students to learn about exciting opportunities in dance, music, and theatre!

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■ **Financial Aid**
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Location: Admission Lobby–Shattuck Schoolhouse
Speaker: Nan Bussey, *Director of Financial Aid*
Description: Nan Bussey will provide an overview of the various options available to finance an independent school education and will review the forms required in the financial aid process and answer any questions that arise.

■ **Student Life and Wellness**
(also at 10:45 a.m.)
Location: Room 102—Academic Center
Speakers: Michael Hoe, *Director of Academic Support*, Mark Spence, *Dean of Students* and Jen Hamilton, *Director of Counseling*
Description: At Nobles, we pride ourselves on our rigorous curriculum and our multi-layered support system for all of our students. Our goal is to cultivate resilience and equip our students with the tools that they will need to be happy and successful at Nobles, in college and beyond. Come learn more from three experts.

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■ THE FIVE DAY BOARDING PROGRAM - 11:30 A.M.

Location: Wiggins Dormitory—Common Room
Speakers: Karen Gallagher, *Director of Residential Life*, panel of students
Description: The Nobles five-day boarding program offers a unique opportunity for students interested in a valuable residential life experience during their high school years. If you are interested in boarding at Nobles, please join us at the conclusion of today's program, at 11:30 a.m., to tour the dormitory and speak with Karen Gallagher and some of our boarding students.

ONGOING

■ The Curriculum Fair

Location: Gleason Hall—Shattuck Schoolhouse
Description: Meet our talented, passionate teachers and learn about our curriculum and pedagogy. Faculty of the following departments will be on hand: English, History, Mathematics, Modern Language, Science, Classics, Performing Arts, Computer Science, EXCEL and Admission.

■ Campus Tours

Student-led campus tours will depart from the Academic Center lobby. The last tour will begin at 10:45 a.m.

■ Putnam Library/Academic Center

Stop by and see our beautiful new space and meet our wonderful librarians.

■ Visual Arts at Nobles

Explore the studios of the Visual Arts Wing located in the Pratt Middle School Building to understand the integral role the Visual Arts play in every Nobles student's education. Faculty members will be on hand to answer questions.

■ Foster Gallery

On view in Foster Gallery is the work of Nayda A. Cuevas, the fall 2018 artist-in-residence at Nobles. Cuevas uses her show #FluidIdentity and classroom visits to explore latin@ identity. Please stop by the gallery, meet our visual arts faculty and enjoy a special treat!

OUR MISSION

Noble and Greenough School is a rigorous academic community dedicated to inspiring leadership for the public good. Through mentoring relationships, we motivate students to achieve their highest potential and to lead lives characterized by service to others.

THE NOBLES COMMUNITY:

- Generates critical, creative, socially conscious thinkers;
- Upholds a commitment to diversity;
- Develops character and intellect in deliberate conjunction;
- Cultivates purposeful citizenship on local, national and global levels;
- Builds independence and self-respect through challenge and achievement;
- Espouses humility, humor, collaboration, honesty and respect for others as the foundations of a vibrant intellectual community.

CREATE YOUR OWN NOBLES

