NYS Living Environment Regents Exam - Important Notes

When: Wednesday, June 15th at Noon (be at IHS by 11:40am) until 3pm

Where: IHS Gym

What: Bring pens (blue or black ink) and pencils. **All** Multiple Choice and Free Response Questions need to be answered using pen (blue or black ink). Drawings and Graphs may be done in pencil or pen.

***You may not have your cell phone or smartwatch on you during the test!!!! If you are found with a cell phone or smartwatch on your person during the test you will be escorted out of the test and your test will be voided earning a zero. Cell phones may be left at the front of the testing center prior to sitting for the exam, **but they must be turned off**. You may retrieve your phone when you leave the exam. Your teacher is not responsible for your lost or stolen cell phone.

*** Communication between students of any kind is also grounds for removal and voiding of your test score.

***per NYS requirements, you will not be dismissed from the exam prior to 2pm.

Test Format: Total of 85 questions, broken into four parts A through D. Test questions will include: multiple choice, construct one graph, and short answer questions. Part D will include questions from the four NYS labs.

Important Tips for Success:

1. Please get a good night's sleep prior to taking the exam...Please eat a good breakfast / lunch prior to coming to the exam. (No food is allowed during the test, you may bring in a bottle of water – no other beverages allowed).
2. Answer all questions, **do not leave any blanks.**
3. Read each question carefully, highlight or underline important information.
4. Do all review activities assigned by your teacher prior to taking the test.
5. Think about creating a Tip Sheet after the test begins (do not bring one to the exam), the tip sheet can include quick reference information that you may want to jot down before you begin.

   Example:
   Photosynthesis = $CO_2 + H_2O \rightarrow C_6H_{12}O_6 + O_2$
   Respiration = $C_6H_{12}O_6 + O_2 \rightarrow CO_2 + H_2O$