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Dear Seniors and Parents/Guardians of Seniors:

As we approach the upcoming due dates for the first elements of the Senior Project, we would like to remind you of the importance of the Senior Project and its four components. In accordance with Sacramento City Unified School District requirements, all seniors **MUST** pass a Senior Project to receive a graduation diploma.

The Senior Project is compiled of four separate but connected elements: **The Paper, The Project, The Portfolio, and The Presentation. Each element must be completed and receive a passing grade for the senior to pass the Senior Project.** This information can also be found in greater detail in the Senior Project Handbook your senior received in the fall of 2007.

The suggested due dates are as follows:

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| The Paper        | Feb. 19-22, 2008                  |
| The Project      | Mar. 28, 2008                     |
| The Portfolio    | Apr. 7-11, 2008                   |
| The Presentation | Apr. 30 and 31; May 1 and 6, 2008 |

The Paper, Project and Portfolio due dates are subject to change by the Senior English teachers who best know the specific needs of the students in their classrooms. However, **ALL ELEMENTS OF THE SENIOR PROJECT MUST BE COMPLETED BY THE PRESENTATION DATE.**

To better support struggling students, a Senior Projects Tutorial is offered after school, Mondays through Thursdays from 3:30-4:30 for credit.

Finally, we are looking for 40 parents to help evaluate the Presentations. We would love to include the parents of seniors at CKM in this important project. If you are interested in helping with these evaluations, please contact Jerry Crosby, AP, at:

(916) 264-4401 ext. 1003 or [Jerry-Crosby@sac-city.k12.ca.us](mailto:Jerry-Crosby@sac-city.k12.ca.us)

If you have any questions, please contact your senior's English teacher or Jerry Crosby.

Sincerely,

Cynthia Clark  
Principal  
C. K. McClatchy High School

**MISSION: "C.K. McClatchy is a place where real learning takes place, where students have positive experiences and where they feel like they belong."**