MEMO TO: Selected 2020 Governor's Scholars and Parents/Guardians

FROM: Aristofanes Cedeño, Executive Director

**REF: SCHEDULE** 

Because of this year's changes in terms of time on a GSP campus, and following the recommendations from the CDC and the State Government for social distancing, the Governor's Scholars Program will begin creating a parallel virtual community to enhance your one-week, on-site experience. In general terms, the following schedule applies to all 2020 Selected Governor's Scholars, regardless of the on-site attendance. A few aspects of this schedule are applicable to the Governor's Scholars who have been assigned to a GSP campus. In some cases, there are reminders applicable to those Governor's Scholars attending a specific GSP-Campus/Session. The traditional Opening Day meeting with Parents/Guardians and the Opening Ceremonies have been combined into a few virtual segments which will be released according to the schedule.

Monday, June 15 – Governor's Scholars assigned to the GSP-Centre 1 Session, which begins on Sunday, June 28<sup>th</sup>, please begin today checking your temperature in order to complete the 14-day Pre-Arrival medical form

<u>Wednesday</u>, <u>June 17</u> – Introduction to the Governor's Scholars Program – Segment 1: "The Honor and Privilege of Being a Governor's Scholar"

<u>Thursday, June 18</u> – Introduction to the Governor's Scholars Program – Segment 2: "The GSP Community: Balancing Growth and Regulations"

<u>Friday, June 19</u> – Introduction to the Governor's Scholars Program – Segment 3: "The GSP Personal Investment: Roots and Wings"

<u>Saturday, June 20</u> – Introduction to the Governor's Scholars Program – Segment 4: "The GSP Investment: A Public-Private Partnership"

<u>Monday, June 22</u> – Introduction to the Governor's Scholars Program – Segment 5: "The New Structure Approach" – and Welcoming Remarks by the Campus Directors

Monday, June 22 - Governor's Scholars assigned to the GSP-Centre 2 Session and to the GSP-Bellarmine 2 Session, which begin on Sunday, July 5<sup>th</sup>, please begin today checking your temperature in order to complete the 14-day Pre-Arrival medical form

<u>Tuesday</u>, <u>June 23</u> – Virtual video: Introduction to Faculty and Residential/Office campus personnel

<u>Wednesday, June 24</u> – Virtual video: A collage video from alumni, clips from previous years and thankyou blogs

<u>Thursday</u>, <u>June 25</u> – Virtual video: Welcoming Remarks from GSP Board Members and from Representatives from the Host Campuses

Monday, June 29 – Governor's Scholars assigned to the GSP-Centre 3 Session and to the GSP-Bellarmine 3 Session, which begin on Sunday, July 12<sup>th</sup>, please begin today checking your temperature in order to complete the 14-day Pre-Arrival medical form

<u>Monday, July 6<sup>th</sup></u> – Governor's Scholars assigned to the GSP-Centre 4 Session and to the GSP-Bellarmine 4 Session, which begin on Sunday, July 19<sup>th</sup>, please begin today checking your temperature in order to complete the 14-day Pre-Arrival medical form

Monday, July 13 – Governor's Scholars assigned to the GSP-Centre 5 Session and to the GSP-Bellarmine 5 Session, which begin on Sunday, July 26<sup>th</sup>, please begin today checking your temperature in order to complete the 14-day Pre-Arrival medical form

## **GSP** Campus-specific websites

While we advise all Governor's Scholars and Parents/Guardians to keep checking this website, we would like to invite you also to begin checking the GSP-Centre and the GSP-Bellarmine campus-specific websites. There you will find information that is related to the specific campus to which you have been assigned. Those websites are: <a href="mailto:centre.edu/gsp/">centre.edu/gsp/</a> and <a href="mailto:bellarmine.edu/governors-scholars-program">bellarmine.edu/governors-scholars-program</a>.

These websites will be available with specific information on Tuesday, June 16<sup>th</sup> or at the latest on Wednesday, June 17<sup>th</sup>. Upcoming specific information includes:

- a) Program Guide and Rules and Regulations, including the Non-Negotiable Policies.
- b) There will also be a list recommended items to bring with you to campus.
- c) On these websites, at the appropriate time, you will also find the arrival and departure schedule so you and your parents/guardians can plan accordingly.