



# THE HARKER SCHOOL

## Support at the Upper School

### Faculty Advisor

The faculty advisor stays with your child from orientation day through graduation. This advisor can give you an overall picture of how your child is doing and serves as a point of contact (when specific concerns arise). Your child has a group meeting with the advisor every D schedule and individual meetings throughout the year.

### Teachers

Your child's teachers are available for professional input within their subjects. Teachers are available to students after class, during common preparation periods, office hours, and via appointments outside of normal school hours. Teachers are also available to parents via phone, email and appointments. Teachers make recommendations for and give approvals of course selections each spring.

### Academic Counselor

One of the academic counselors meets with each student during grade 9 and stays with the student through graduation. The counselor is available for consultation and works with teachers and the faculty advisor if a student needs academic and social-emotional support.

#### Academic Counselors (support students by last name)

Hui Hui Chang (A-Gao) - 408.345.9255  
Jonah Alves (Gau-Liu) - 408.345.9202  
Kelly Leahy McKeown (Lo-St) - 408.345.9215  
Rosalyn Schreiman (Su-Z) - 408.345.9696  
Kadar Arbuckle, Learning Specialist - 408.345.9237

### Dean of Students

The dean of students, Kevin Williamson (408.345.9604), is available to answer questions and to provide support for students in the areas of student life and activities during the school day. Mr. Williamson can also answer questions regarding the Honor Code and student discipline.

### Assistant Division Head

The assistant division head, Kelly Horan, guides the academic planning and pre-college counseling program at the upper school. Ms. Horan educates students and parents in an effort to help students draft a four-year plan of courses and extracurriculars that best meets the needs and interests of the student. This includes pre-college counseling information to prepare students to transition into our college counseling program in second semester of grade 11.

Ms. Horan also oversees LIFE (Living with Intent, Focus and Enthusiasm) which guides the non-academic well-being programming for our students..

### Upper School Head

The upper school head, Paul Barsky (408.345.9673), is responsible for all areas in the upper school. Mr. Barsky can answer questions about policies and procedures in the upper school both academic and extracurricular.