



FHS Announcements

Friday, January 19, 2018



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Today is an "A" day

- February 5 - CAP Family Information Night - 4:30-8:00
- February 26 - CAP Conferences - 4:30 - 8:30
- In order to accommodate testing, February 27 will be a "B" day and February 28 will be an "A" day. The week of February 26 - March 2 will be: Monday B day, Tuesday B day, Wednesday A day, Thursday A day, Friday B day.
Due to the inclement weather experienced by much of the state and the closures of schools, AGS will be accepting nominations and applications through Sunday, January 21. Please see your counselor if you have any questions!
- Spirit Week will be January 29 - February 2
Monday: Meme Monday
Tuesday: Celeb Look-Alike Tuesday
Wednesday: Out-of-this-World Wednesday (Space Jam/alien)
Thursday: Through-the-Years Thursday (Decade Day)
Friday: Purple Out

The GAME THEME against Bentonville on February 2nd is still JERSEY.

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- The University of Arkansas is looking for incoming freshmen who are interested in working as athletic training students at the University of Arkansas. The goal each year is to bring in students who have an interest in a career in the medical field and expose them to the profession of athletic training and sports medicine. Interested students should pick up an application from Mrs. Zeagler in the College and Career Center. The deadline to apply is April 15.
- The FHS soccer booster clubs will be holding a tamale sale from 1/17-1/31. You can order online during this time for pick-up on February 3rd from 1-3 at the main entrance to Harmon Field. Tamales and chili must be pre-ordered online at www.fhssoccerstore.com. Be the MVP of your Super Bowl party with homemade tamales! If you would like to order using cash or check, please see an FHS soccer player or parent for an order form.
- Students remember if you are registered to take the ACT on Feb. 10th don't forget your admission ticket, ID, pencils and a working approved calculator. Students should be in the school no later than 7:45 a.m.

- Have old, unwanted phones? DONATE THEM TO GREEN TEAM! All donations will go towards Medic Mobile, which is an international program that funds medical services in South Asia and Africa. Turn in you old electronic devices to Mrs. Harris's room in Phase 3, Floor 3 OPL.
- Colors day pep rally is scheduled for January 26th during EDGE. Students are being asked to wear the following colors based on their grade level:
Freshman: Red
Sophomore: Blue
Junior: White
Senior: Black
- Would you like to Doodle 4 Google? Have a chance at scholarship money? Win a behind the scenes experience with the Doodle Google team? stop by room 1503 for more information and an entry form or go to doodle4google.com. This year's theme is "what inspires me" and the deadline is March 2.
- Family CAP Information Night will be Monday, February 5th. There will be "General Information Sessions" that are audience specific to provide an overview of the CAP process including information on zero hour, advanced placement, block scheduling, advisory, graduation requirements, and academic planning including concurrent and virtual credit options. Parents are encouraged to attend one of the following:
 - * Current 9th 11th grade: 4:30 p.m. in FHS Performing Arts Center
 - * Current 8th grade: 5:30 p.m. in FHS Performing Arts Center
 - * English Language Learners, current 8th-11th grade: 5:30 p.m. in Blackbox Theatre
 - * Current 9th-11th grade: 6:30 p.m. in FHS Performing Arts Center
 - * **Additional session 7:30 p.m. for current 8th grade, Performing Arts Center** High school teachers will be available from 4:30-8:00 p.m. in the cafeteria and atrium to answer curricular questions for core, Advanced Placement and elective programs. Representatives from Northwest Arkansas Community College, Northwest Technical Institute and Fayetteville Virtual Academy will also be available. Parking is available in front lots south of the building and in the lots north of Bulldog Blvd.
- CAP Conferences for students who are currently in grades 8-11 are Monday, February 26th. Each CAP conference will be held in the FHS cafeteria. Beginning February 6th, appointments can be made by visiting pickatime.com/fayettevillehs. Please note that parents will need to create a separate login for this site as it is not tied to our Home Access Center (HAC). Parents of students in grades 9-11 need to make an appointment with their 7th period advisor. Eighth grade parents should select an appointment with any 8th grade advisor.
- To recover credit (DC on transcript) in a class due to excessive absences (under 13), please take note of the following information:
Attendance Recovery Schedule for Fall 2017:
Dates: Jan 13, Jan 20, Jan 27, Feb 3, Feb 17 and Mar 3
Time: 8am-11am
Location: Cafeteria
If you have any questions, please see Donna Little in the Phase 3, 3rd floor office or Mr. Glade in Student Services, Phase 2, 1st Floor.
- Ozarks Electric Cooperative Youth Tour Each year, Ozarks Electric Cooperative sends two area high school juniors to visit Washington, D.C. at no charge to the

student. This program, called Youth Tour, is sponsored by electric cooperatives all over the nation. Youth Tour was created to allow students the opportunity to visit our nation's capital and see firsthand how our government works. Last year, Youth Tour participants were able to visit national monuments and memorials, Smithsonian Museums, Monticello, Mount Vernon and meet with their state's representatives and senators. As in years past, Ozarks Electric pays for all lodging, transportation and meals for the students selected for Youth Tour. The selection process for Youth Tour 2018 is currently underway. We are asking that any interested students choose one of the three projects listed in the Youth Tour guidelines. Winners will be selected based on their project and interview. Youth Tour 2018 will be held June 8-14. The application deadline is February 1. Application packets for the OECC Youth Tour are available in the College and Career Center.

PTSO Information:

- FHS Parents! The PTSO would like to give you the opportunity to say Thank You to your favorite teacher by making a donation to our Teacher Grant Fund in their honor! The Teacher Grant Fund is used to award money to teachers for projects in the classroom that directly impact students. Donate using our Pay Pal link, make a note of the teacher you are honoring in the space provided on the payment page, and we will send them a note letting them know you appreciate the job they are doing at FHS!
[Teacher Grant Fund PayPal link](#)
- [FHS PTSO Webpage](#)
- [Pay PTSO membership online](#)

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Athletic Events:

For a calendar of athletic events follow this link: [FHS Athletics](#)

College and Career Information:

- The Office of Diversity Affairs in the Walton College is accepting applications for several summer programs listed below. All are one-week residency programs where students will be living in a co-educational residential facility. The deadline to apply is March 30 and students will be notified of their acceptance by April 15. Application can be found at this [link](#)
Fleischer Scholars Program I - June 10-15, 2018. Rising juniors and seniors chosen to participate will work in teams to develop business plans and work with business professionals to gain greater understanding of the business world. Completers will have the opportunity to apply to receive a \$40,000 to attend the University of Arkansas Walton College of Business.
Technology Awareness Program - June 17-22, 2018. Designed to introduce underrepresented 11th and 12th grade students to the field of computer information systems.
Fleischer Scholars Program II - June 24-29, 2018. For former Fleischer Scholars I completers. These students will be engaging in an unpaid internship to gain valuable hands on experience in an area of business that interests them as well as leadership development and skills training to prepare them for college.
Accounting Career Awareness Program - July 15-20, 2018. Designed to introduce underrepresented rising high school juniors and seniors to accounting and business careers. ACAP students will attend undergraduate-level classes and network with accounting professionals from local companies.

- The National Youth Science Camp will be held this summer from June 27 through July 21. Two high school seniors from each state will receive a full scholarship to exchange ideas with scientists and other professionals from academic, governmental and corporate worlds. The nearly month-long experience includes lectures and hands-on research projects presented by scientists from across the nation; overnight outdoor trips into the Monongahela National Forest; and a visit to Washington D.C. The selected delegates must not only demonstrate academic achievement in science, but also show potential for thoughtful scientific leadership. The NYSCamp experience is offered at no cost to its participants, so that selected delegates may attend regardless of their financial status. Contributions to the National Youth Science Foundation allow delegates to participate in this "once in a lifetime" experience. Educational and recreational programming, as well as meals, lodging, and round-trip air travel are provided free of charge. Delegates arrive in Charleston, West Virginia, on Wednesday, June 27, and depart on Saturday, July 21, 2018. The NYSCamp is held near Bartow in the eastern mountains of West Virginia, within the Monongahela National Forest. The application process is available on the NYSCamp website at <http://apply.nysc.org>. Applications must be submitted by Wednesday, February 28 by 6:00 pm.
- All students who qualify for Free and Reduced Lunch are eligible to receive a fee waiver for one SAT and ACT during their junior year as well as an additional fee waiver for both tests during their senior year. Also included in the ACT fee waiver is complimentary online ACT preparation. SAT preparation is free to all students online through [KHAN ACADEMY](#). Students may pick up a fee waiver from their counselor or from the College and Career Center.
- Seniors, please check the scholarship list in your Family Connection Account on Naviance regularly. Each scholarship received by the College and Career Center will be posted here along with the qualifications and links to each scholarship application. To get to the scholarship list, log into Naviance, select the "College" tab at the top of the page and then select "scholarship list" at the bottom of the page. You may also complete a national scholarship search by selecting "national scholarship search" and answering the questions on the link that will filter scholarships unique to each student. Please contact Lesli Zeagler in the College and Career Center if you have any questions.
- If you have questions about your student's Naviance Family Connection Account, please contact your student's EDGE advisor.
- FASFA and FSA ID tips for parents [watch this video](#)
- Need help filling out the FASFA, [watch this video](#)
- Confused about the different types of Federal Student Aid, [watch this video](#)
- The Free Application for Federal Student Aid for the 2018-19 school year is now open and accepting applications. Students who are current seniors will use this FAFSA. The FAFSA is used and required for many post-secondary funding opportunities including the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship funded by the Arkansas Lottery (also known as the "Lottery Scholarship"). The deadline to complete the 2018-19 FAFSA is June 1, 2018. Once a student files the FAFSA, that student should receive a Student Aid Report within three to five days indicating the Expected Family Contribution (or how much the family is expected to pay for the student's education). You may access the FAFSA online [here](#).
- ACT Prep courses taught by Bryan Hembree, Director of ACT Outreach for the

University of Arkansas will be held throughout the school year to correspond with the October, December and April test dates. The cost is \$180 for 12 hours of instruction. The cost is \$40 for students who qualify for free and reduced lunch. Please email Mr. Hembree if you are interested in enrolling in one of these courses at Hembree@uark.edu. You will not need to bring your fee until the first night of class. Dates and times are as follows: November class - 12 hours All courses are held on Monday night from 6:00 to 9:00 in the FHS Lecture Hall

- April class - 12 hours

All courses are held on Monday & Tuesday night from 6:00 - 9:00 in the FHS Lecture Hall

April 2 and April 3, 2017

April 9 and April 10, 2017

List of College Visits to FHS:

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Students interested in visiting with the representative from one of the above colleges may do so by signing up on their Naviance Family Connection account on the "college tab". Students will receive a "school business" (SB) excuse from class and the absence will not be counted toward their absences for the semester. Each visit will last approximately 30-45 minutes with time after the sessions for students to ask specific questions pertaining to their particular interests.

- **ACT TESTING DATES Test Dates:** You may register for the ACT online by clicking the ACT Registration link on the College and Career Website. Or, you may sign up by going to actstudent.org. Our school code is 040770.
- **SAT TESTING DATES Test Dates:** You may register for the SAT online by clicking the SAT Registration on the College and Career Website. Or, you may sign up by going to collegeboard.org. Our school code is 040770.



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