

Access GHS

Spring Finals Policy

Students – Keep this in mind as you journey through this Spring semester and get ready to take finals:

You will be exempt from Spring finals if:

- 1) You have all A's & no more than 2 excused absences
- 2) You have all A's & B's & no more than 1 excused absence
- 3) You have all A's, B's, & C's & ZERO absences

If you have a doctor's appointment, it must be scheduled during seminar. If you leave earlier, it will be counted as an absence.

Just a reminder, students that are enrolled in college classes must take the college final whether or not they are exempt from finals.

Foreign Language Field Day

Mrs. Pate will be selecting some Spanish 1 and 2 students to attend Joplin's annual Foreign Language Field Day on Friday, February 23rd. They will compete against 15-20 other area high schools in vocabulary recognition, reading comprehension, geography and culture facts, poetry, and art categories. They will also learn Latin dance moves and enjoy lunch at a local Mexican restaurant.

Platinum Bulldog Dates

Phase 2 for 3rd quarter – March 27

Phase 1 for 4th quarter – April 17

Upcoming Athletic Events

Feb. 16 – Basketball @ Columbus

Feb. 20 – Basketball vs. Colgan – Senior Night

Feb. 25-Mar. 3 – Substate Basketball – TBA

Feb. 26 – Baseball, Softball, & Track start

Mar. 7-10 – State Basketball – Emporia

Upcoming School Events & Meetings

Feb. 16 – NO SCHOOL – Teacher Inservice

Feb. 19 – NO SCHOOL

Feb. 20 – National Honor Society applications due to Mrs. Ballantyne by 3:30

Feb. 22-25 – All State Band & Choir @ Wichita

Mar. 2 – Dr. Seuss Read Across America Day

Mar. 2 – PSU Jazz Festival

Mar. 7 – Student Council meeting

Mar. 9 – Bulldogs on Broadway

Mar. 14 – NHS Blood Drive

Mar. 19-23 – NO SCHOOL – Spring Break

Mar. 28 – CNC Vocal & Instrumental Festival @ Baxter

Mar. 30 – NO SCHOOL – Good Friday

Apr. 14 – Regional Music Solo & Ensemble Festival @ PSU

Apr. 21 – Prom @ Twin Hills Country Club

Apr. 28 – State Music Solo & Ensemble Festival @ Salina

Message From OPAA!

Tired of the slow lines at lunch? Well, starting Feb, 12th we are replacing out Salad Bar with Opaa! To Go *Fast and Fresh* Lunch Menu. Everyday you can choose from a salad, wrap, or sandwich pre-made and packaged for speed. Lines are so 2017 anyway, right?

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Upcoming ACT Test Dates

FYI – A lot of sophomores and juniors that are going to be taking college classes next year take the ACT test in April, especially if they have never taken it before.

| Test Date | Registration Date |
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| Apr. 14 | Mar. 9 |
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| June 9 | May 4 |
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Cost: \$46.00 for ACT only
\$62.50 for ACT plus Writing