



SHS Newsletter 02/02/18

MIDTERMS FOR 3RD NINE-WEEKS

Midterms will be handed out to students on Wednesday, February 7th. Remember, you can log into [PowerSchool](#) at any time and view your student's academic progress. If you need password assistance, call the office at 317-398-9731. Also, access [SHS teacher contact](#) information from our web page.

8th GRADE PARENT NIGHT AT SHS Feb 7 @ 6:00

As your 8th grade student completes his/her final semester at the middle school, the high school counselors are busy preparing for the 2018-2019 school year. There are a couple of important dates this month that will affect your student's 9th grade schedule.

An 8th Grade Information Night will be held in the high school auditorium on Wednesday, February 7, at 6:00PM with breakout sessions throughout the building. Administrators and counselors will discuss high school graduation requirements, specialized academic opportunities, athletics, and extracurricular activities. The evening is very informative and is designed to address the questions and concerns you may have as your student enters high school.

The high school counselors will meet with 8th grade students at the middle school on Tuesday, February 20. We will discuss graduation requirements, begin developing four-year high school plans, and select courses to take in the 9th grade. You will have the opportunity to review their course selections and make changes before their schedule is finalized. The courses selected at this time will be the courses that students will take in 9th grade unless a scheduling conflict arises. The high school counselors will also use recommendations from 8th grade English, math, and science teachers to assist in course placement.

Lastly, the high school counselors are available to discuss or make changes to your student's selected courses. Your student's future counselor can be reached by phone or email in late February or early March to discuss these issues. Final schedules indicating your student's courses and teachers can be accessed online through your PowerSchool account mid-July.

We look forward to seeing you at the 8th Grade Information Night on February 7 and to working with you and your student over the next four years! Please feel free to contact SHS counselors 317-398-9731 or email [SHS Staff](#) (scroll down to find counselors email and phone extensions).

SNOW MAKE-UP DAY SCHEDULED AS ELEARNING DAY MONDAY, FEB 19

Shelbyville Central Schools will be making up the missed school day (Jan 12th), as an eLearning Day on Monday, Feb 19th. Students won't be in session on Monday, Feb 19th, but they should access their eLearning assignments, which will be due one week later.

To learn more about eLearning visit <https://sites.google.com/shelbycs.org/scselearning> and check out the menu in the upper right-hand corner for FAQ menu.

COUNSELING NEWSLETTER

See the latest news on filing for FAFSA, advanced level course information as well as scholarships and College Go Sunday. [Counseling Newsletter Feb 2.pdf](#)

SCHEDULING COURSES FOR 2018-19

Parents will have the opportunity to view student course requests and make adjustments, if necessary, until February 6. Counselors will be meeting with students individually to review student requests during the months of February, March, and April to ensure that graduation requirements are being met.

If you would like to be present at the scheduling meeting, contact your student's counselor to make an appointment during the week of February 12. All course requests will be considered final for the 2018-19 school year as of May 1, 2018. The only changes that will be made after that must meet the criteria listed in the schedule change policy. The following link will take you to the SHS Course Guide for specific information about courses [SHS Course Guide](#)

STUDENT TUTOR AVAILABLE TO HELP

SHS Senior, Katie Brammer, is interested in tutoring students who need academic assistance. See flyer for more information. [Tutoring flyer.pdf](#)

2ND ANNUAL "LET US LIGHTEN YOUR LOAD" RUMMAGE SALE @ SHS GOLDEN BEAR ROOM SAT, MARCH 17TH

See attached flyer for more information. [Post Prom Rummage Sale Items Needed.pdf](#)

PROJECT PROM

Prom season is upon us. We are reaching out to the community and asking for donations. Project Prom was started to help students in our district who don't attend the Prom due to financial burdens. Again this year, we would like to make sure that every student who wants to attend has the opportunity to go.

There are a couple of ways to help: 1) donate a gently used or new prom dress or gently used black suits or tuxes 2) make a cash donation. Prom tickets are \$40 a person, which includes dinner.

Contact Lori Creech @ SHS for more information on how to get involved or donate 317-398-9731

Deans Cleaners has supported Project Prom from the beginning, they are graciously cleaning the dresses for us free of charge.

SCHOLARSHIPS

Seniors it's a great time to start working on scholarship applications. There are many local scholarships now available on the scholarship listing, which is available on the Counseling website on the [Scholarships & Financial Aid page](#).

SHS GIFT IDEAS

Drawstring Bags \$15

Call Jodi @ SHS for ordering information 317-398-9731



FOOD PANTRY

Gleaners' School-Based Pantry Program is an exciting new front in the struggle to end hunger for children and teens. School-Based Pantries make staple grocery items, including personal hygiene products, available to high school students and their household family members at no cost. Too many students are forced to deal with the anxiety that accompanies living without day-to-day necessities, often making school the least of their worries. School-Based Pantries give students one fewer thing to worry about, allowing them to devote their energies toward school in a healthy, positive environment. Shelbyville High School is excited to be partnering with Gleaners for this wonderful opportunity for our high school students and families, as well as Shelbyville Central School employees.

Enter through the silver doors to the SHS Gymnasium closest to Gate #1. You must be a current student of Shelbyville High School, have a student currently enrolled at SHS, or be an employee of Shelbyville Central Schools to participate in this program. The School-Based Pantry Program will be open the following Wednesdays from 3:15 to 3:45 pm. – Feb. 7 and 21, Mar. 7 and 21, Apr. 4 and 18, and May 2 and 16. In addition to the Wednesday public hours, there are STUDENT ONLY hours on Fridays. Contact Mrs. McLeod in Room 139 or call 317-398-9731 ext. 2307 or email dlmcleod@shelbycs.org with questions.

SCS FOUNDATION

We hope you consider becoming a partner with Shelbyville Central Education Foundation by funding some unique programs for our students' school. All donations are tax-deductible and will provide our students with the resources to be successful now and in the future. Please visit shelbycs.org and look for the foundation

page, there you will find the Golden Opportunities page. On this page you can browse all the projects that are in need of funding. Here is a direct link to that page. <https://goo.gl/KvrXap>

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