




From the Superintendent Brad Detering

Congratulations to the Class of 2022! We are so proud of your big accomplishments that came from “Such Small Things”. The ability that you have shown to set big goals and achieve them through small steps will serve you well after your time at SCHS. #SalemWildcatPride.

As we look forward to the fall, there are several large building and grounds projects that will be completed this summer. The entire HVAC system is being replaced that will allow each room individual control over their temperature settings. The window panels are being replaced with more windows that will allow for more natural light and return SCHS to an original look. Most lighting is being upgraded to new LED fixtures that will reduce the energy footprint of the school. We are proud to continue to make upgrades and improvements to keep our storied Salem Community High School as one of the most beautiful schools around.

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Salem Community High School

From the Principal John Boles

As the 2021-2022 school year closes, this is a great moment to reflect on the accomplishments of the past year and look forward to the 2022-2023 school year.

The class of 2022 just graduated a class of 139 students. We wish them well in their academic and personal endeavors in the future. On the other end of the spectrum, we prepare for the arrival of 183 incoming freshman - the Class of 2026.

The Senior Awards night program honored the accomplishments of the Class of 2022. Local scholarships, awards, and university endowments were presented in excess of \$758,000. This is a showcase of the potential of the Class of 2022.

We would like to take this opportunity to thank Mr. Steward for his many years of service to SCHS. Mr. Steward has dedicated over 30 years to the district in many capacities. We wish him a happy and relaxing retirement.

As this year comes to an end, I want to thank each and every one of you for going the extra mile. Your hard work, dedication, and kindness is greatly appreciated.



Special Notes

School Physical & Immunization Requirements

Freshmen are required by The Illinois School Code to provide a dental and physical exam with up-to-date immunization records.

Seniors must show proof of receiving two doses of meningitis vaccine. The second dose must be administered on or after 16 years of age. If the first dose was administered on or after 16 years of age, then only one dose is required at twelfth grade entry.

Forms may be uploaded during online registration or dropped off in the Main Office prior to 1st day of school.

Residency

ALL SCHS students must be in compliance with the state-mandated residency requirements. If you are moving or have moved since the start of the school year, be sure to bring us updated residency information or upload forms during online registration this fall. Give us a call at 548-0727 if you have any questions or visit us on the web at salemhigh.com.

Main Office Summer Hours

7:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.
Monday through Thursday
Closed on Fridays

Have a Safe and Enjoyable Summer!

The 2021-2022 school year was my first year as Assistant Principal at SCHS. What a year in which to begin! I want to take a moment to thank our student body for the approach they chose to take this year. Returning to regular attendance following the pandemic required flexibility and some adjusting from everyone. I feel that our students did an awesome job getting back into the groove of school. While we understand that unavoidable issues do occur, the first step in making that happen is simply coming to school. A prime example of getting back into the routine of school are the students below. They maintained perfect attendance for the 2021-2022 school year. Great Job!

Olivia Ashby
Jillian Bailey
Hayden Biagi
Macie Brandt
Ellee Bumgarner

Elijah Davis
Kyle Kurwicki
Caleb Paddick
Olivia Powless
Shayla Prosisie

Oliver Purcell
Tabitha Sherwin
Bianca Shults
Alexander Smith
Faith Smith

Evan Stanford
Bailee Taylor
Emma Ulrey
Seth Ulrey
Aaron Wilzbach

I hope you have a fun and relaxing summer Wildcats. I look forward to seeing you all in August!

FALL REGISTRATION

Register Online in Skyward Family Access Open July 11th – July 29th

Note: Student's schedule will NOT be released until online registration is complete

Stay tuned for Picture Information

Freshmen & New Student Orientation
Thursday, August 11, 2022
9:00 am – 1:00 pm

Limited transportation provided. Students who attend will be credited 4 iPad hours and receive their iPad.

2022-2023 Counselors

Mrs. Russell A-G
Mrs. Kessler H-N
Mrs. Knapp O-Z

Social Worker

Mrs. West

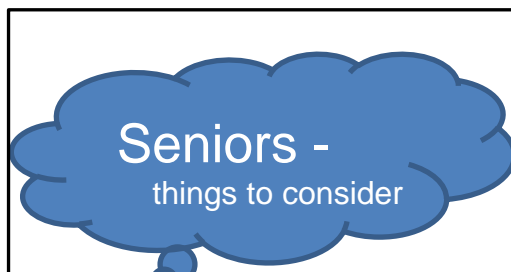
General Studies Dept.

Mrs. Clark

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Seniors - things to consider

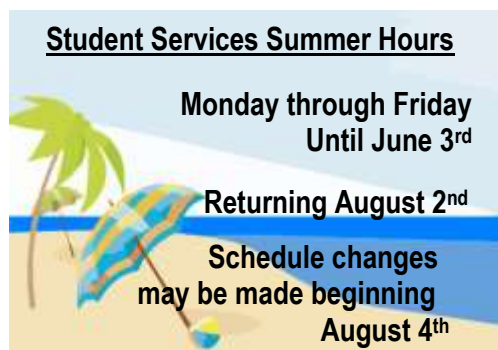
College Visits - think about using some time over the summer to get started

Scholarships - start organizing

Applying to schools - narrow down your list to your top contenders

Letters of Recommendation - think about who you will politely ask to write a letter

DEADLINES - pay attention!



Student Services Summer Hours

Monday through Friday
Until June 3rd

Returning August 2nd

Schedule changes may be made beginning August 4th

The First Step is the FAFSA

Don't worry. We are here to help.

If you will be applying for financial aid to attend college during 2023-24 academic year, the FAFSA will be available on **October 1, 2022**. Students (and parents, as necessary) will report their 2021 income information when filing the FAFSA

Further details are provided at <https://studentaid.ed.gov/sa>

Note:

FAFSA Nonparticipation Form

Starting in school year 2020-21, to receive a diploma from a public high school a student must complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) or, if applicable, the Alternative Application for Illinois Financial Aid Alternatively. A parent/guardian must file a waiver if they choose to opt a child out of this graduation requirement by completing this Nonparticipation form; students who are at least 18 years of age or legally emancipated may complete the form themselves. This form is available as part of the forms in online registration.