



December 1st, 2023

School News

Sequim Middle School

Office Hours: 7:30-3:30 p.m.

Main Office 360-582-3500 Attendance 360-582-3503



What do I need to know before the week starts: 12/4-12/8

Sports

12/4: Basketball (varsity) @ Chimacum

12/6: Basketball @ home

Logistics:

12/4: Student of the Month Assembly, by invitation

12/5: Lions Club vision/hearing screening (7th grade)

12/5: High Dose Tutoring begins, 2:45-4:00

12/8: Spirit Day—Olympic day

12/8: **EARLY RELEASE** @ 11:00

CLUBS:

Mon: **D&D Club**, 3:00-5:00, Cafeteria

Mon: **Music Enrichment: Trumpets**, 2:45-3:45, room 407

Tues: **Art Club**, 2:45-3:45, room 417

Tues: **TSA Club**, 2:45-4:00, room 606

Mon: **Music Enrichment: Percussion**, 2:45-3:45, room 407

Wed: **Fly Fishing Club**, 2:45-3:45, room 702

Wed: **Crocheting Club**, 3:00-4:00, room 707

Wed: **HOSA Club**, 2:45-3:45, room 401

Wed: **Music Enrichment: Clarinets**, 2:45-3:45, room 407

Thurs: **Nasa Science Club**, 2:45-3:45, room 402

Thurs: **Music Enrichment: Flutes**, 2:45-3:45, room 407

Fri: **Music Enrichment: low brass**, 2:45-3:45, room 407

Week of 12/11-12/15

Logistics:

12/11-12/15: Book Fair, SMS library

12/11: **Community Forum**: Partnering to support & manage student behavior in school, 6-7:30PM, SHS Library

12/12: Annual Title I Information Night, 5-6PM, SMS Cafeteria

12/12: Fine Arts Night, 6-8PM

12/13: PTO Meeting, 6PM, SMS Cafeteria

12/14: Band Concert, 6:30PM, SHS Auditorium

A week or more out...

Logistics:

12/19: Choir Concert, 7PM, SHS Auditorium

12/20: Choir Concert, 7PM, SHS Auditorium

12/25-1/5: **NO SCHOOL**, Winter Break

January is School Board Appreciation Month

1/8: Student of the Month Assembly

1/10: PTO Meeting, 6PM, SMS Cafeteria

1/15: **NO SCHOOL**, Martin Luther King Jr. Day



Attendance/Student Services

Terri Brewer

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We receive a large volume of calls, if your call isn't answered, please leave a voicemail or send an email.

* EXCUSE ABSENCES, EARLY PICK UP, LATE DROP OFF, STUDENT MESSAGES*

High Dose Tutoring

BUSSING IS NOW AVAILABLE!

What: Extra help in a variety of subjects
When: 2:45-4:00 on Tuesdays and Thursdays starting on 12/5/23 until 2/15/24.

Please click the link below to complete the survey if your student will participate: <https://forms.office.com/r/EvX50NDMHB>.

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Growing Expert Learners ?i?ánəŋct st! (We learn together!)



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Sequim School District Referral for Highly Capable Program

****Students who were previously identified by Sequim School District will continue to receive services and do not need to re-apply.****

The Sequim School District announces an open referral process from **December 1 - January 31** for students currently in K-12 who may qualify for Highly Capable (Hi-Cap) Program services. Anyone may refer students, including but not limited to: teachers, parents/guardians, staff, friends, students, members of the community, however, parent/guardian permission will be required for testing. If you are unsure of the characteristics of Highly Capable learners, please refer to: <http://www.nagc.org/resources-publications/resources/my-child-gifted/common-characteristics-gifted-individuals>.

Referral forms are online at the district

website at: <https://www.sequimschools.org/common/pages/DisplayFile.aspx?itemId=25194554>

Paper referral forms are available at each school, the District Office, the Sequim Boys & Girls Club, and at the Sequim Public Library. Referral forms must be fully completed and received by close of business on January 31. Due to time constraints, **referrals received after January 31 will not be considered.** All referrals must be returned to the Highly Capable Program Coordinator, Jodi Olson at Sequim Middle School, school building secretaries or the District Office.

Questions concerning Hi-Cap services in the Sequim School District may be directed to Jodi Olson, Hi-Cap Program Coordinator, at 360-775-7083 or jolson@sequimschools.org. More information can be accessed on the Sequim Highly Capable Program webpage: http://sequimschools.org/instruction/highly_capable_hi-cap.

If your child is NEW to the Sequim School District and exhibits gifted characteristics, please contact the Highly Capable Program Coordinator.

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Sequim Community Aid
presents

Toys for Sequim Kids Toy Giveaway & More

(clothes, jackets, quilts, bike raffle)

Ages: infant through high school

Tuesday December 12 – 10 AM to 6 PM

Sequim Prairie Grange – 290 Macleay Rd., Sequim WA

**Proof of residency within Sequim School District
boundaries is required.**

Only 1 adult per family (no children) allowed in.

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