



Bluejay News

Seward High School
September 2018

Every student, every day, a success!

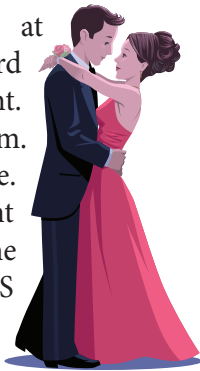
Mission Statement: The school district of Seward, in cooperation with parents and community, affirms that all students will have the skills to become productive and contributing members of a global community. The district is committed to the development of each student academically, emotionally, socially, and physically.

Homecoming Early Dismissal

Seward High School will dismiss at 1:30 p.m. on Friday, September 21, for the annual Homecoming parade to the Elementary School.

Homecoming Dance

The Homecoming Dance will begin at 9:30 p.m. on Friday, September 21, at Seward High School and will conclude at midnight. Students will need to arrive prior to 10:30 p.m. if they wish to participate in the dance. Students wanting to bring a non-SHS student (guest) to the dance will need to complete the "Guest Permission Form" found in the SHS main office. A guest must be under the age of 21. The "Guest Permission Form" will need to be turned in to the office no later than 4:00 p.m. on Thursday, September 20. Middle School students are NOT allowed to attend the dance.



Eligibility for Homecoming Activities

Students must be passing all classes in order to be eligible to participate in Homecoming activities. This includes parade activities and the homecoming dance. Eligibility will be checked on Tuesday, September 18.

Senior Banners

Seniors may order a Senior Banner to be displayed in the main lobby throughout the school year at <https://shop.sportsexpress.biz/sewardschools/>. Banners are \$35. Banners ordered by September 14th will be displayed by the second week of October. Spirit apparel is also available online, visit the link above.



Fans

The fan support at our opening football game against Waverly was "fan" tastic. There was a strong student body following showing support with a "white out." The students cheered in an enthusiastic and supportive way throughout. Let's continue to show our positive support for all of our students who are involved in extracurricular activities. Please remember to stay off the football field after the game. We need to honor this request from Concordia when using their facilities. Once the game is over, please disperse in a timely manner, and parents don't forget to give your son/daughter some time and space before discussing their performance. Be a part of their positive experience with extracurricular activities.



Term 2 Schedule Changes

Student schedule change requests for Term 2 must occur by Friday, October 5. A signup sheet for students to request a change is located outside of the counseling office doors. Counselors will meet with each of these students outside of instructional time prior to the start of the new term. The purpose of this process is to prevent interruption to classroom instruction that occurs when multiple schedule changes are made at the start of a new term.

NWEA Testing

NWEA testing will occur on September 6 for students in grades 9-10. Students will be tested in math, reading, science, and language usage. The results of these assessments will be used in two primary ways. The first is to help Seward High School staff understand the strengths and needs of individual students and groups of students within our school. This information will help guide instruction at the classroom level, more clearly define needs on a school-wide basis, and help the school identify which students might benefit from additional intervention and support. The second is to establish baseline student performance levels at the start of the school year. The baseline data will later be compared to spring NWEA performance to determine the effectiveness of our instructional efforts, interventions, and improvement initiatives throughout the year. In short, NWEA is an important tool in our plan to improve student learning at Seward High School. Please try to avoid scheduling appointments or other absences during the week of NWEA testing if possible.

PRACTICE ACT Testing

All juniors will take a practice ACT September 6. For many juniors this will be the first time taking the ACT. This is an opportunity to see what the five sections of this test are like in a controlled, timed test session. The five sections of the test are English, math, reading, science, and writing. This test will then be scored internally and administrators and counselors will meet with juniors to interpret scores. For those students who have taken the test already, this is another practice session to reinforce or strengthen concepts for when all juniors take the test again April 2 as required by the State of Nebraska. This practice test is part of the junior year preparation for the state ACT test. All juniors should report to testing rooms with No. 2 pencils and a calculator.

Student/Parent NWEA and ACT Test Preparation

Suggestions

- **Charge the Chromebook** – the Chromebook will be used by students to complete the NWEA test. Students will need a full charge this day.
- **Dress comfortably.**
- **Get a good night of sleep two days before the test.** During the exam schedule, sleep smart. A few days before an exam, get your seven-to-eight hours of sleep if you can. Sufficient sleep will help solidify memory for easy retrieval during the exam.
- **Eat a well-rounded breakfast.**
- **Come to the test session with a positive attitude.** This is your chance to show what you know and can do.

Senior Portraits

Senior portraits for the yearbook are due no later than Friday, December 14. Portraits must be in full-color, vertical, cropped from the waist up or closer and submitted as high-resolution JPEGs to Mr. Pallas at tom.pallas@sewardschools.org. See Mr. Pallas in Room 202 if you have questions.



Parent/Guardian Baby Ads - for the Yearbook

Senior parent/ guardian baby ads are due no later than Friday February 1, 2019. Ads may include up to three photos along with a message. Cost for these ads are: \$35 for a ¼ page ad; \$60 for a ½ page ad and \$120 for a full page ad. Photos may be submitted electronically as high resolution JPEG files or original photos will be scanned and returned. Photos can be sent electronically to tom.pallas@sewardschools.org. See Mr. Pallas in Room 202 if you have any questions.

After School Study Group

Students will have access to SHS Study Group on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday night of each week from 3:45-4:45 p.m. in the Seward High School library. Students will have access to Seward High School staff members as well as Concordia University students studying to become teachers. Students needing computer access are also welcome to attend.



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P.R.I.D.E. Positive Behavior Intervention and Support Program

What is P.R.I.D.E.?

P.R.I.D.E. is a school-wide reinforcement and acknowledgement system that provides immediate, intermittent, and long-term reinforcements, given by adults in the building to any students displaying desired school-wide expectations or behaviors. Staff members nominate students for BlueJay P.R.I.D.E. positive office referrals based upon behaviors they witness that go above and beyond our Bluejay P.R.I.D.E. expectations. Each term, positive behaviors will be recognized during a P.R.I.D.E. Recognition Rally. These rallies feature alumni speakers, student performances, and special P.R.I.D.E. awards.

Why P.R.I.D.E.?

- Increases the likelihood that desired behaviors will be repeated
- Focuses staff and student attention on desired behaviors
- Fosters a positive school climate
- Reduces the need for engaging in time-consuming disciplinary measures

Components of our P.R.I.D.E. System

- Immediate/high frequency/predictable/tangible reinforcements and acknowledgements
- Delivered at a high rate for a short period while teaching new behaviors or responding to problem behaviors
- Names the behavior and ties the acknowledgement back to school-wide expectation upon delivery
- Brings “surprise” attention to certain behaviors or at scheduled intervals
- Maintains a taught behavior
- Celebrates/Acknowledges accomplishments of all kids and all adults
- Teaches appropriate behaviors the same way a child who doesn’t know how to read learns to read--through instruction, practice, feedback, and encouragement.

PREPARATION

- Wear proper and acceptable attire to school.
- Arrive to school and to every class on time and be ready to work.
- Move to class when the warning bell rings at 8:10 a.m.
- Present a note signed by a parent/guardian phone call from parent/guardian to explain any absences.
- Advise the school office, guidance, and nurse regarding changes of address, phone number, and emergency information on a consistent basis.
- Keep backpacks in lockers.

PREPARATION (continued)

- Carry materials needed for each class according to teacher expectations.
- Bring iPad charged and ready for use.

RESPECT

- Respect each other, and all property to ensure a positive and safe learning environment.
- Display appropriate behavior at all times.
- Use respectful, appropriate language. Avoid using sarcasm, gossip, belittling, or putting down of others.
- Place all trash and discarded materials in trash cans throughout the day.
- Move quietly through the building to avoid being a distraction to classrooms along the route.
- Display appropriate behaviors that will allow the bus driver to reach each destination safely.
- Take proper care of textbooks, materials, and equipment.
- Display good sportsmanship as a participant or as a spectator.

INTEGRITY

- Conduct themselves in a manner that allows the teachers to teach, and all students to learn.
- Remain on school property during school hours.
- Exit the building promptly at the ringing of the dismissal bell. Students involved in after school activities must report to that activity by 3:45 p.m., and remain under direct supervision of the staff while in the building.
- Cooperate with all school personnel.
- Do your own work and have pride in your work.
- Be honest.
- Know the rules and follow them.
- Compete with class and dignity.

DEDICATION

- Strive for success and believe it is possible.
- Set and meet goals.
- Turn in work on time and stay on task and topic.
- Be a lifelong learner.
- Be committed to being a BlueJay.

EFFORT

- Complete and turn in assignments on the due date.
- Return as quickly as possible whenever out of class in order to maximize learning.
- Be ready.
- Challenge yourself.
- Strive to be your best.
- Represent yourself, your parents, our school and your community in a positive way.

Lincoln Area College Fair - September 16

Students and families can visit with representatives from 200+ colleges across the state, region, and nation during the Lincoln Area College Fair, Sunday, September 16, from 1:00-3:00 p.m. at Southeast Community College, 8800 O Street. Admission is free. The College Fair, sponsored by EducationQuest Foundation and the Nebraska Association of College Registrars and Admissions Officers, will also feature financial aid presentations.

Follow these tips to make the most of your College Fair visit:

Before you attend, visit NebraskaCollegeFairs.org to register for a barcode. Print the barcode, or download it to your phone, and take it to the college fair so that college reps can scan it.

Determine which colleges you want to visit (a list is available in the College Fair article at EducationQuest.org). Prepare a list of questions to ask college representatives. Ask about deadlines for admission, scholarship and financial aid applications.

Financial Aid Night - September 17

Junior and senior students and parents/guardians are encouraged to attend the financial aid presentation by EducationQuest at the high school on Monday, Sept 17th at 6pm. This presentation will be concerning the FAFSA and funding a post-secondary education. Following at 7pm representatives from Nebraska colleges will be in the Front Lobby to visit with students and families.



www.EducationQuest.org



sewardhighcounseling.wordpress.com

College and Career Planning Bulletins

View and/or register at the following websites for college and career planning bulletins. Valuable information is provided for parents and students of all grade levels.

- www.collegeboard.com/parents/ - View parent action plans for each grade of high school.
- www.act.org/path/parent - Click on "Parent Newsletter" listed on the left of the page.
- www.educationquest.org/countdown2college/ - Select the grade level information you would like to receive on a monthly basis.

Attendance

One of the most important characteristics leading to success in high school, college, or the workplace is good attendance. Research indicates that excessive tardiness or absenteeism can lead to lower academic achievement and a reduced likelihood to graduate. It is important for you to visit with your son and/or daughter about the importance of regular school attendance. We have several interventions and support services available, so please contact the school at 402-643-2988 if you feel that this may become an issue for your student.

Specific Seward Public Schools policies regarding student attendance can also be found at www.sewardschools.org. These policies are consistent with Nebraska state statutes 79-201 and 79-209. Outlined are definitions of excused and unexcused absences, interventions, resources, and potential consequences for excessive absenteeism or tardiness. Please take some time to review these policies if you have not already done so this school year.

Testing and College Application Fee Waivers

Students with economic need may qualify for fee waivers with the ACT, PSAT, AP exams, and college application fees if they meet one or more of the following criteria:

- Family receives public assistance
- Student is a ward of the state
- Student resides in a foster home
- Student is homeless
- Student participates in free or reduced-priced lunch program
- Family income is at or below the 2010 Bureau of Labor Statistics Low Standard Budget

Students may use up to two ACT waivers total junior and/or senior year. Any student who qualified for an ACT waiver also will qualify for application fee waivers when applying to college. Contact Mr. Fields or Ms. Baker for assistance.

Juniors - Fall College Preparation Recommendations from EducationQuest.org

- Sign up for *Countdown2College* to get monthly tips.
- Set up an *Activities Resume* to track your activities and honors.
- Check out the *Exploring Careers* section.
- Use *Reality Check* to find careers that will fit your desired lifestyle.
- Use *College Profiles* to research schools you may want to attend.
- Meet with college reps at a College Fair or Educational Planning Program. See *Upcoming Events* at EducationQuest.org for dates and locations.
- Take the PSAT to prepare for the SAT college entrance. The PSAT will be offered at Seward High School for interested Sophomore and Junior students on Wednesday, October 19.

Seniors - Fall College Preparation Recommendations from EducationQuest.org

- Retake the ACT and/or SAT. Colleges use your best score for admission and scholarship purposes.
- Narrow your list of colleges.
- Continue campus visits.
- Meet with college reps at College Fair or Educational Planning Program. See upcoming Events at EducationQuest.org.
- Request letters of recommendation for scholarship and college applications.
- Apply to 3-4 colleges. Application deadlines are typically in December-January.

Seniors (continued)

- Update your *Activities Resume* at EducationQuest.org.
- Apply for LOTS of scholarships. Where to search:
 - *ScholarshipQuest* at EducationQuest.org
 - Your School Counselor. At Seward High School we also recommend you check the scholarship listing under scholarships/financial aid on the counseling website at <http://sewardhighcounseling.wordpress.com/>
 - The college you plan to attend.
 - FREE national search sites.

Sophomores and Freshmen--College Preparation Begins Now!

College may seem far away for 9th and 10th grade students, but it's never too early to start preparing for that next step. Taking challenging academics and extracurricular opportunities are some of the best ways to work towards the college goal. The list below includes additional suggestions for parents and students as they start to think about this important transition.

- Meet with your counselor to discuss your college plans. Review your schedule to make sure you are enrolled in challenging classes that will help you prepare for college. Colleges prefer four years of English, social studies, math, science, and world language (Spanish at SHS).
- Start exploring to find out the required courses and tests of colleges that you may be interested in attending. Two helpful college search websites are: www.educationquest.org and www.collegeboard.com.
- Start a calendar with important dates and deadlines.
- Get more involved in activities inside and outside of school; there's something out there for everyone!
- Start documenting community service hours and experiences to include in future college and scholarship applications.
- Put forth your best effort. These assessments help guide your next steps from an academic and career interest standpoint.

It's important to remember that there are a variety of colleges: some are four-year, some two-year and even some one-year programs with a greater focus on a specific trade. By starting the process of thinking about those next steps now, you increase your chances of finding the best fit for you and your personal goals.

General Homework Tips for Parents

- **Make sure your student has a quiet, well-lit place to do homework.** Avoid having your child do homework with the television on or in places with other distractions, such as people coming and going.
- **Help your student with time management.** Establish a set time each day for doing homework. Don't let your student leave homework until just before bedtime. Think about using a weekend morning or afternoon for working on big projects, especially if the project involves getting together with classmates.
- **Be positive about homework.** Tell your student how important school is. The attitude you express about homework will be the attitude your student acquires.
- **When your student asks for help, provide guidance, not answers.** Giving answers means your student will not learn the material. Too much help teaches your student that when the going gets rough, someone will do the work for him or her.
- **When the teacher asks that you play a role in homework, do it.** Cooperate with the teacher. It shows your student that the school and home are a team. Follow the directions given by the teacher.
- **If homework is meant to be done by your student alone, stay away.** Too much parent involvement can prevent homework from having some positive effects. Homework is a great way for kids to develop independent, lifelong learning skills.
- **Stay informed.** Talk with your student's teacher. Make sure you know the purpose of homework and what your child's class rules are. Many staff at Seward High School have a classroom website, blog, or provide additional assignment information on PowerSchool. By accessing these resources you can provide an even greater level of support to your student.
- **Help your student figure out what is hard homework and what is easy homework.** Have your student do the hard work first. This will mean he will be most alert when facing the biggest challenges. Easy material will seem to go fast when fatigue begins to set in.

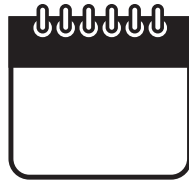
Generally speaking, most students at Seward High School will have some homework or studying to do outside of school hours on a daily basis.

The amount will vary depending upon the specific courses they are enrolled in that particular term, grade level, and their ability to utilize time efficiently during the regular school day. Homework provides important practice to reinforce newly learned concepts. By maximizing these experiences, student learning will improve positively impacting a variety of school outcomes.



Important Dates

- **September 6th:** NWEA Testing for Freshmen and Sophomores, Practice ACT Testing for Juniors.
- **September 16:** Lincoln Area College Fair: 1:00-3:00 p.m. at Southeast Community College
- **September 17:** Professional Development Day - No School for Students
- **September 17:** Financial Aid Night at 6:00 p.m.
- **September 18-21:** Homecoming Week
- **September 21:** Early dismissal at 1:30 p.m. for the Homecoming Parade, Homecoming Dance begins at 9:30 p.m.
- **October 12:** End of Term One
- **October 19:** Fall Break - No School
- **October 22:** Professional Development Day - No School for Students



*For more information, see the activities calendar at :
<http://www.centralconference.org/public/genie/408/school/8/>

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Staying Connected with Seward High School:

Building/District Website: www.sewardpublicschools.org
Facebook: <http://www.facebook.com/sewardpublicschools>
Twitter Athletic Updates: @SewardBlueJays
Activity Calendar: www.centralconference.org
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21 Skills USA Fall Leadership Conference @ Columbus	22 Professional Development Day - No Students 3:45pm-5:15pm One Acts @ SHS New Theater	23 FFA National Convention @ Indianapolis 3:45pm-5:15pm One Acts @ SHS New Theater 5:00pm VB-9th Aurora 6:00pm VB-JV Aurora 7:00pm VB-Varsity Aurora 11:17pm-9:17am Josten's Rep. - class ring orders accepted @ SHS Middle Lobby	24 FFA National Convention @ Indianapolis 11:17pm-9:17am Josten's Rep. - class ring orders accepted @ SHS Middle Lobby	25 FFA National Convention @ Indianapolis 3:45pm-5:15pm One Acts @ SHS New Theater 5:00pm VB-Varsity Seward vs. Multiple Schools 5:00pm VB-JV Seward vs. Multiple Schools	26 FFA National Convention @ Indianapolis TBD FB-B/Varsity TBD vs. TBD SHS Honor Band @ Concordia University 9:00am-10:00am PRIDE Rally @ SHS New Theater	27 FFA National Convention @ Indianapolis 8:00am-12:00pm ACT @ SHS @ Seward High School 6:00pm-10:00pm SHS Opening Night @ SHS New Theater
28 FFA National Convention @ Indianapolis	29 3:45pm-5:15pm One Acts @ SHS New Theater	30 TBD VB-Varsity TBD vs. TBD 3:45pm-5:15pm One Acts @ SHS New Theater	31			