

Dear Students, Parents, & Patrons,

It is a pleasure to welcome you to the 2023-2024 school year at Salem Hills High School. We are excited to begin a new school year and have our students back in the building. We have been working hard and preparing for the start of the school year. This email is to help answer many of your questions and help you plan for the upcoming school year. We are so excited to welcome our new sophomore class and all of our returning Skyhawks as well.



Our school website is also a great resource for information; we have included a link below along with a link to our student handbook (please note: with transitioning into the new school year, dates and information may change as the website and handbook are updated daily).

Main Website: <https://shhs.nebo.edu/>

Student Handbook: <https://sites.google.com/nebo.edu/shhs-student-handbook/home>

Upcoming Important Dates

- **July 15th - August 15th-** : School fees can be paid online at: myschoolfees.com All fees should be paid by August 15th.
- **August 1st:** Schedules available online to registered students.
- **August 14th:** 4 PM - 6 PM: Open House and Sophomore Orientation.
- **August 14th:** PICTURE DAY The photographer will be available from 8:00 AM - 6:00 PM. Students can come at their convenience during this time for school pictures. A make-up day during school will be on September 5th.
- **August 16th:** FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS

Online Registration

Online registration is ongoing. Parents should complete and update information using the online registration link below. The following links will take you to the right places to register. Please complete the following as soon as you are able.

- 1) Go to the following website and complete the needed prompts:
<https://shhs.nebo.edu/registration>
- 2) Pay school fees: Payment of school fees may be completed online through "My School Fees" at: myschoolfees.com

Fee Waiver Applications:

Parents wishing to apply for a fee waiver may do so in person July 31 - August 11. Administration will be available during business hours to help you. Please review the following link to check for eligibility requirements.

- [Fee Waiver Link](#)

Student Schedules

Schedules will be available to view for students who have completed their registration and paid fees on Tuesday, August 1st. Students who need to make class changes may do so according to our [policy](#).

Class schedules may only be changed on the dates listed below:

August 1st-15th: Class changes available through the [Google Form](#). (Starting at 8 a.m. on 8/1/23)

*Please be aware that many of our classes are full which will make schedule changes difficult. We will post a copy of our master schedule showing which classes are full on the counseling website. Class changes will be done on a first come, first served basis. Priority will be given to seniors who need to meet graduation requirements.

Counseling Website: <https://shhscounseling.wixsite.com/website>

Parking

Parking Passes are available and required to park in the student parking areas. Parking passes are \$10.00 and may be purchased with school fees or in person at the finance office. Here is a link that contains some information for you. We have also opened a free lot for students this year. It is near the tennis court restrooms. All other parking areas require a parking pass. Please see the attached map for parking area information.

- [Parking Map](#)

Lockers

Lockers are available for all students. Lockers are assigned to students upon request only. Any students who are wanting to use a locker should come to the main office. This may be done during the open house on August 14th or anytime during the first week of school.

Chromebooks

At Salem Hills High School we are a 1:1 school. This means that all students will be assigned a chromebook during the first week of school. These chromebooks will be the student's for the remainder of their high school career. Students should take care of their chromebooks and charge them each night for school use. Students are also responsible for any negligent damage that may occur to a chromebook. Parents wishing to provide insurance to their student's chromebook may do so at a cost of \$30.00. This may be paid along with registration fees. The insurance is strongly

recommended and does cover the chromebook if damaged but does not cover lost or stolen chromebooks.

- [Chromebook Insurance and Information](#)

Lunch

Lunch fees may be paid online through myschoolfees.com. Parents wishing to apply for free or reduced lunch must do so on the link below:

- [Free and reduced school lunch application](#)

Attendance Policy

We know that if students are in school, we can best help them to meet their potential. Our attendance policy strives to meet three main objectives: 1) Ensure safer transitions for all students at school; 2) Maximize learning time for students and teachers; 3) Allow for better communication between the school and parents in regards to students' attendance at school. Our student handbook is currently being updated, and information regarding the implementation of this year's SHHS attendance policy and student handbook will be finalized by August 1st.

Picture Day

All students should plan on getting their picture taken. We use these to make students I.D. cards, update iCampus records for teachers, as well as use the student's picture for our yearbook. Pictures will be taken August 14th (***before school starts***) or on the make-up day, September 5th, during the school day. Our pictures will be taken by Lifetouch photography. Here is a link to their website.

- [Lifetouch](#)

Communication App and Social Media

This year we will be using a communication app called [School Binder](#). Via this app we can send out notifications and information quickly and easily to all students and parents. I would encourage you to download the app and sign up for "Salem Hills." We will also maintain our social media accounts and presence but will use the School Binder platform as our main form of communication. This app does not require students to be on social media and will work with chromebooks as needed. It also provides a safe form of communication for our coaches and advisors.

Again, we are looking forward to another great year as Salem Hills Skyhawks. There are many great and exciting things in store for us this school year. We can't wait to see you! Please let us know if we can help you in any way. GO SKYHAWKS!

Sincerely,

SHHS Administration