



Monthly Reminder

October 3rd, 2018

Principal's Message

Thank you to the hundreds of parents and students who came out for our fall campus clean-up before our first home football game. It was amazing to see everyone working together for the benefit of our school community. We couldn't do it without you! Special thanks to the football coach (Les Hamilton), Cheer Coach (Nicole Masco), and Girls Soccer Coach (Tiana Butler) for organizing this event.

We had a fantastic turn out for parent-teacher conferences this fall and are so grateful to the parents who brought in items for our teacher dinner and for those who made time to come in and visit with their child's teacher. Communication between you and your child's teacher is essential for the success of the student. Please contact the teacher first if a problem or concern arises within the classroom. We are well underway with our fall sports/activities and are so proud of our athletes and our thespians. Please make sure you check our school and/or sports calendar frequently to stay up to date about what and when things are going on in Bear country. (Go Bears RAWR!)

We are working hard to maintain/improve the quality of instruction students receive at Summit Academy High School. Our district has created a Summit Academy Improvement Plan (SAIP) to improve student learning dramatically over the next three years and we, at the high school, have developed our own improvement plan that aligns with the district plan. Our teachers are receiving intensive training in methodology and teaching skills to this end. Professional Learning Communities (PLCs) are a huge component of these plans and we appreciate your willingness to accommodate our Friday early out for students so that our teachers have this time to collaborate. If you would like more information on these plans, please feel free to contact one of the administrators.

Wednesday, October 17th ends the first quarter. Time is flying by! Please continue to help us help your student by being cognizant of the school calendars, teacher Canvas links, as well as the student handbook information.

Happy October!

Counselor's Message

Mrs. Santos, Mrs. Smith, and Mrs. Jeppson are excited to begin additional communication through the monthly reminder email. We have many things going on and look forward to your feedback, suggestions, and assistance.

Right now we are focusing on our seniors as this is a very important time for them. We have met individually with all seniors regarding their four-year plan and have highlighted the importance of ending

each quarter with their best grades. Since their cumulative GPA as well as their ACT score will affect their college acceptance and scholarship eligibility, we are also letting seniors know that they can retake the ACT if they would like to try and improve their score. The next ACT administration will be on Saturday, October 27th, and students can still late register for that by October 14th. They will need to log in to their personal ACT accounts to register and to find a school near them that will be offering the ACT on that date. The SAHS code is 450066.

We are hosting a free FAFSA Completion Night for seniors and early graduates on Tuesday, October 23rd from 6-8 pm in the counseling center. We will have a college funding advisor from Salt Lake Community College available to assist students and their parents through the process. Students who attend this event and complete the FAFSA will be entered in a drawing for a bonus \$250 SAHS scholarship. We will also provide desserts that evening. Please see attachment for additional details. We are off to a wonderful start and look forward to all of our upcoming events. We will meet individually with all sophomores and their parents starting in January, and we will have small group meetings with all freshmen, juniors and their parents in November! We look forward to meeting with you all! Please continue to visit our counseling website for updates on scholarships, activities, and much more <https://sahs.summitacademyschools.org/apps/pages/college-readiness-scholarships>

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Canvas Information

Summit Academy High School now requires all teachers to utilize Canvas as part of their classes. Canvas is a digital tool that teachers are using to expand what is happening in the classroom. Many teachers are using Canvas to guide their instruction and keep track of assignments.

All students have access to Canvas through SAHS's Canvas Login Page: summitacademy.instructure.com. Students have received instruction from their teachers on how to access Canvas and complete assignments. If students are struggling with a specific course, they are directed to contact the teacher of that course.

Parents have the ability to create their own Canvas account to view what their student(s) are doing. They will be able to see the courses for their student(s) but will not be able to submit assignments or participate in class discussions. Instructions on how to set up an observer account are attached.

Student Fees

Registration fees and course fees are now due. Please check your parent SIS account for your students fee information. If you have not yet created a parent account see the attached flyer for instructions on how to get one set up.

The following link can be used to make payments or you may send in a payment to the main office:

<https://sahs.summitacademyschools.org/apps/pages/high-school-fees>

High School Fees - Enrollment - Summit Academy High School

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Student Accomplishment and Recognition

We are so proud of the many accomplishments made by our Summit Academy High School students! Visit our Student Recognition page at <https://sahs.summitacademyschools.org/apps/pages/student-recognition> to see a list of some of our student achievements throughout the years.

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For uniforms and Summit Academy High School Clothing, contact

Legends Sports Clothing - www.legendssportsclothing.com

Sports Calendar

This calendar link has everything that is going on with athletics at Summit Academy High School. Check it out and keep it handy for future reference.

[http://www.maxpreps.com/high-schools/summit-academy-\(bluffdale,ut\)/calendar.htm#view=month&date=08/01/2016](http://www.maxpreps.com/high-schools/summit-academy-(bluffdale,ut)/calendar.htm#view=month&date=08/01/2016)

Calendar - Summit Academy (Bluffdale, UT) | MaxPreps

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MaxPreps - Summit Academy Bears' High School (Bluffdale, UT) Calendar. View the Bears' calendar. Find the Bears' sports schedule here!

Community Connection

Smith's Inspiring Donations

An easy way to make a difference in your community!

With Inspiring Donations, we've made it easy to support the local nonprofit organizations that matter most to you! Choose from school groups, churches and synagogues, youth sports, food banks, animal support groups and many more.

Every time you shop at our stores with your rewards card, we donate .5% of your total order to the nonprofit of your choice. (Some exclusions apply, please see Q&A)

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Once signed in you can enroll or update in the Inspiring Donations Program under your Account Settings.

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School Website: <http://www.summitacademyschools.org>

Summit Academy

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School Events and sports Calendar: [http://www.maxpreps.com/high-schools/summit-academy-bears-\(bluffdale,ut\)/calendar.htm](http://www.maxpreps.com/high-schools/summit-academy-bears-(bluffdale,ut)/calendar.htm)

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Log onto SIS to stay current with your students progress: <https://summithighschool.usoe-dcs.org/Login.aspx>

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Open Gym for SAHS Volleyball! 7:45-10am at the high school gym for those interested in trying out for the team. Tryouts are the whole week of August 6-10 starting at 7:30am.

Instagram: @sahsbears <https://www.instagram.com/sahsbears/>



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