

SHS Weekly News

February 10, 2023

A Message from Mr. Kruse, Principal

Students and Families,

I hope everyone is well. Thank you for your continued support of our students, staff, and school. SHS is a great school and we had another fantastic week of learning.

March 7th is the state ACT testing day for all Juniors. This will be in person at Stoughton High School. Freshmen, Sophomores, and Seniors will be doing at-home, asynchronous learning on that day.

Asynchronous learning information will be posted on Schoology for each course. More information to follow in future newsletters.

The course enrollment process for the upcoming 2023-2024 school year will begin next week. Please review the information below.

It is another busy week of activities! Please see the SHS Athletics & Activities section below for schedules and more information. Good luck and GO VIKINGS!!

Have a wonderful and safe weekend,
MJK



COURSE SELECTION

Stoughton High School

2023

2024

Over the past two weeks, students have been exploring Course Options for the 2023-24 school year during 2+ time. On Tuesday February 14th, students will be entering their Course Selections into their Academic Plan in Infinite Campus during 2nd hour. Please review the Course Selection Letter for Families by clicking the button below for more information. If students have any questions about course selection, please set up a meeting with or contact your School Counselor.

[23-24 SHS Course Selection Letter for Families](#)

[Graduation Requirements/Course Selection
Information](#)

ATTENTION!

Yearbook purchasing window is closing.

All orders must be placed by March 3.

Scan or click to order your 2022-23 yearbook. Order window closes March 3, 2023. OR Visit <https://www.midwestyb.com/product-page/stoughton-high-school-yearbook>



SCAN THIS QR CODE TO BUY YOUR YEARBOOK TODAY

Please contact Ms. Stahl at adrienne.stahl@stoughton.k12.wi.us for more information.

Please note: extra books will not be available. You must pre-order your book.

Yearbook Purchasing 22-23

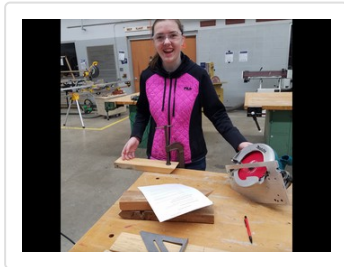
Career and Technology Education Month

February is Career and Technical Education Month. At SHS, CTE includes Family and Consumer Science, Health Science, Technology and Engineering Education, Business and Information Technology, and Agriculture, Food & Natural Resources. Through

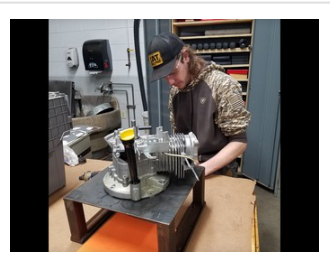


CTE, learners acquire specific skills to pursue their career passion while also building a foundation for lifelong learning.

Please look forward to highlights of the CTE department throughout the month of February.



Ruth uses a circular saw to practice cutting angles in the Fundamentals of Construction class.



Jack rebuilds a carburetor in the Advanced Auto Technology class.



Students in the Personal Finance class practice their finance skills in a Monopoly tournament.

Report Cards and Transcripts Now Available

First Semester report cards and updated transcripts are now available for viewing in the Campus Portal. Both can be found under documents.

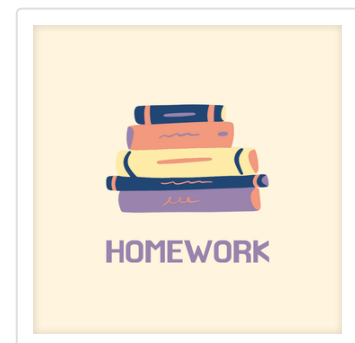


SHS Daily Schedule 22-23

Homework Club

Academic Coaching will be after school until 4:45pm in the SHS library on the following dates in February:

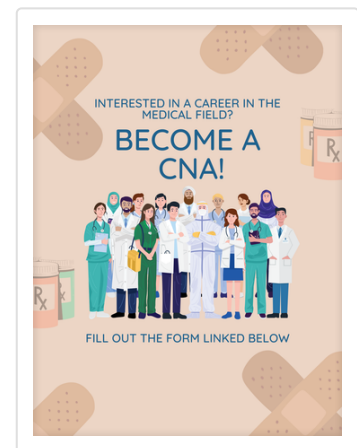
- Thursday, Feb. 16
- Tuesday, Feb. 21
- Tuesday, Feb. 28



Please contact [Ms. Katy Mullen](#) with any questions.

Are You Interested In Being a CNA Fall 2024?

SHS partners with MATC to offer a CNA class. If you have any interest in taking the CNA course in the Fall semester of the 23-24 school year based on the description below please fill out the application linked **below** and return it to Ms. Schoemer (via email or physical copy) by **Wednesday, March 1st**. Completing the application does not mean you are locked into taking the course, however, students cannot take the course without it. Again, if you are at all interested please complete the application. If you have any questions please feel free to email [Ms. Schoemer](#) or [Mr. Stokes](#).

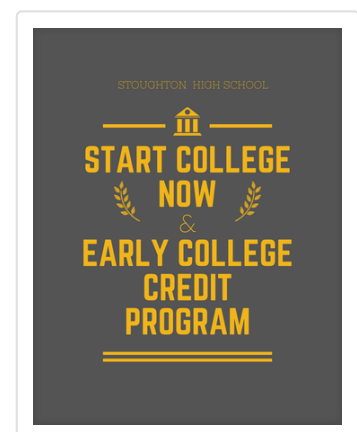


The Nursing Assistant class is a great jump start to a career in health sciences and is a prerequisite for acceptance into most college level health science programs. This hybrid course is taught by MATC staff and combines online instruction, on-site lab instruction, and community-based clinical experience. Students who complete the course successfully earn 3 college credits from MATC and are eligible to take the state certification exam (written and skill) and be listed on the Wisconsin Nurse Aide Registry.

CNA Course Application

Start College Now/Early College Credit Program - Fall 2023

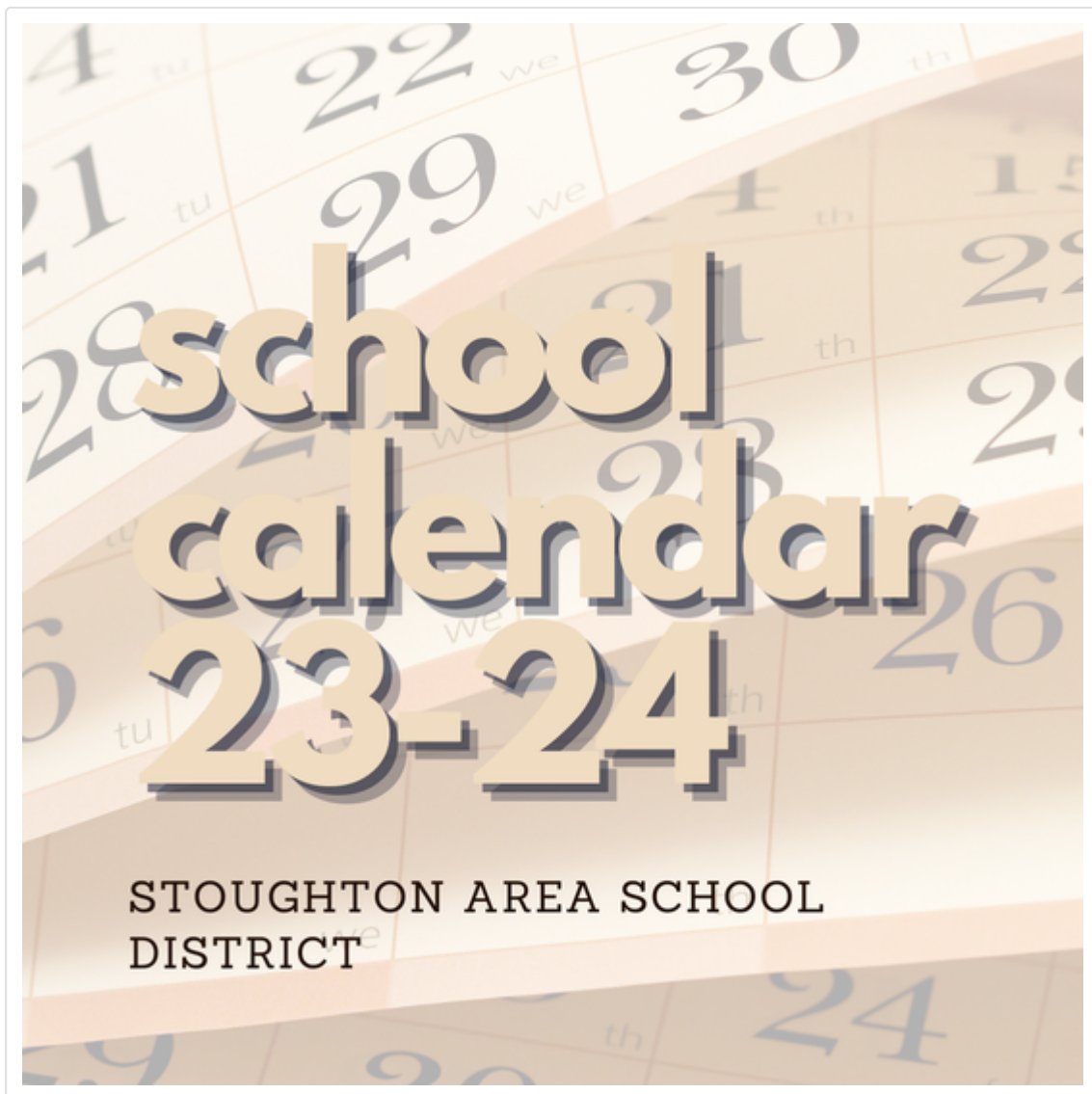
If you are an upperclassman who has exhausted courses in an area of interest and are looking for more opportunities, consider taking college courses through the Start College Now (through MATC) or Early College Credit Program (through a four year school). This program allows students to explore additional educational opportunities that the school district would pay for while earning college credit. Simply completing the application does not guarantee that a course will be available or work within the school credit requirements but does open the door to the possibility. For the Fall of 2023, we need your applications by **Wednesday, March 1st** in order to be considered. Late applications will not be accepted. If you have any interest please see your counselor or [Ms. Schoemer](#). The application links are listed below.



Start College Now

Early College Credit Program

SASD, SHS, & STOUGHTON COMMUNITY
INFORMATION



School Calendar 2023-2024

The 2023-24 School Calendar has been approved and is now available on the web under [Our Families / Calendars](#). Note that school will start AFTER Labor Day on September 5.

School Calendar 2023-2024



JOIN OUR TEAM

Join the Taher Food Service Team at SASD

Work while your kids are in school

Monday - Friday

No Weekends!

Contact Patty Yanasak

If interested: patty.yanasak@stoughton.k12.wi.us

Taher Inc. is a family-owned and operated, chef driven, food service management company specializing in K-12 school lunch with 40 years of experience serving throughout the United States.

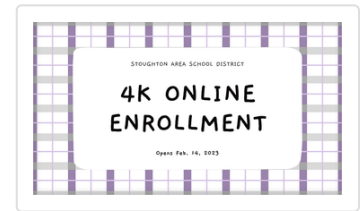
262.777.9989

Upcoming Safety Initiative

As the School District continues to build its partnerships with public safety agencies, we're pleased to announce that starting February 1, the public safety team will be visiting schools as part of a new safety initiative. The team includes members of the Stoughton Police Department, Fire Department, and EMS. Students and staff can expect an increased presence of community partners in the schools at that time. The goal of the initiative is to educate students about important topics like gun safety and crime prevention. Please feel free to reach out with any questions.



4K Online Enrollment Opens February 14, 2023



If you are interested in enrolling your child for the 2023-2024 school year, please go to www.stoughton.k12.wi.us on February 14 to enroll.

Please reach out to [Sara Jane Lee](#) for any questions.

High School Pickup Guidelines

Reminder: **Parents and taxis are not allowed to park in the bus loading zone, including lining up behind the buses.**



When parents block this access for buses, this prevents all buses from entering and leaving the parking lot, and has made for a few near-contact situations as buses or vehicles try to leave.

Buses have a lot of blind spots, especially near the bus. Having smaller vehicles in the same vicinity of the buses during pickup is a safety hazard.

Do not pull in directly behind the buses in the front lot. Utilize visitor parking, or meet your student on Lincoln Street.

SHS COLLEGE & CAREER PREP

Technical Excellence Scholarship

The Wisconsin Technical Excellence Scholarship application is now available. Technical Excellence Scholarships (TES) are awarded by the State of Wisconsin to high school seniors who have the highest demonstrated level of proficiency in technical education subjects.

- Must be attending a school within the Wisconsin Technical College System (i.e. MATC, Blackhawk Tech)
- \$2,250 per year (up to 3 years)
- SHS will award 2 scholarships

Deadline: Friday, February 17th by 3:00

Click the button below for the 2023 Application

Technical Excellence Scholarship 2023



MADISON
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COLLEGE

The upcoming Scholars of Promise Apply Day event is scheduled for **Wednesday, March 1,** from **5:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.** at the Madison College Goodman South Campus
2429 Perry Street, Madison, WI 53713



ACT Info Letter

SHS ATHLETICS & ACTIVITIES

2023 Distinguished Award Winner

Nominated by SHS Student Senate students, Toni Fischer has received Regional Advisor of the Year for Student Senate through the Wisconsin Association of School Councils. Congratulations Ms. Fischer!





**We're building the
next generation.**
Of **Scientists. Engineers.**
Entrepreneurs. Artists.
Programmers. And more.

Come see for yourself.

Come see Fab Lab Stoughton, a cutting-edge experience in science, technology, engineering, art and math (STEAM) housed at Stoughton High School. This is a student-led event.

Fab Lab Stoughton Open House
600 Lincoln Ave., Stoughton, WI
4 - 8 p.m. Wednesday, March 1, 2023
www.fablabstoughton.org



FABLAB
STOUGHTON



SHS Pops Concert 2023

The annual Pops Concert will be taking place on Monday, February 13 at 7 PM in the high school Performing Arts Center. This concert features the high choirs as well as 18 selected soloists. Everyone will be performing with a live house band that is made up of professional touring musicians. We even bring in extra sound and lighting to take this concert to the next level. The link to purchase tickets is located below.



SHS Pops Concert 2023 - Tickets

SHS Prom 2023

Save the date for Prom 2023 on Saturday, April 15th! Prom will be held at the Overture Center for the Arts in Madison from 8:00pm - 11:00pm. Tickets are \$40 and will be available on Ticket Spicket, link to follow in the future. Please check out the SASD website for more information.



SHS Prom 2023

SHS Athletics Schedule

Friday, February 10th:

Girls Basketball home vs Fort Atkinson JV starts at 5:45pm/Varsity starts at 7:15pm

Boys Hockey away at Kenosha game time of 7pm

Girls Ice Hockey home vs University School of Milwaukee game starts at 7:15pm

Saturday, February 11th:

Boys Swim Sectionals at Sauk Prairie starting at 1pm

Boys Basketball home vs Milton JV starts at 5:45pm/Varsity starts at 7:15pm

Tuesday February 14th:

Girls JV2 Badger Challenge at home vs Baraboo starting at 5:30pm

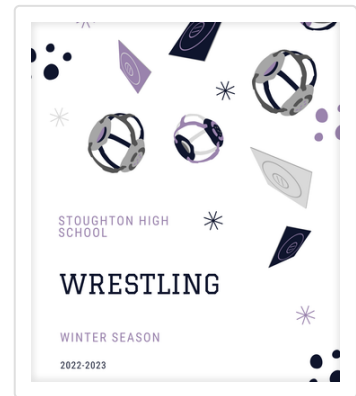
Boys Basketball at Monona Grove JV starts at 5:45/Varsity starts at 7:15pm

Thursday February 16th:

Girls Ice Hockey at Beloit starting at 7pm

Friday February 17th:

Boys Basketball home vs Fort Atkinson JV starts at 5:45pm/Varsity at 7:15pm



Spring Athletics Registration Instructions

1. Login to the [Infinite Campus Parent Portal](#).
2. Select "School Store" on the left hand side.
3. Select "Stoughton High School"
4. Select "Athletics."
5. Select the sport for which you are registering.
6. Under recipient, select the student who is registering for the sport from the drop down menu.
7. Scroll down to the list of Required Forms. Click on each form and enter the information needed in each fillable field.
8. At the very bottom of each form, there will be a spot to sign. Click on the red icon to complete your signature and then click on "Submit."
9. After all forms have been completed, add the sport to your cart.
10. Click on "My Cart," and checkout for \$0.00 by clicking "Submit." (There is no fee to complete the registration. Sport fees will be added to Infinite Campus after all sport seasons have begun and rosters have been formed.)
11. Your student will need to login to the [Infinite Campus Student Portal](#) to sign the forms as well - they will appear on their home screen under "Documents."



Registration opens Tuesday, February 7.

Spring Athletics Registration: How-To Video

Spring Sports Meetings

Spring Sports Meetings will be split into two sets of spring sports.

Monday Feb 27th @ 6pm -

- Track & Field: Main Gym
- Softball: MPR

Monday March 6th @ 6pm -

- Baseball: Main Gym
- Girls Soccer: Library
- Boys Golf: Large Cafeteria
- Boys Tennis: Small Cafeteria

Lacrosse will not have a Stoughton meeting. Please make sure you are in communication with Oregon.

Athletic Schedules

Pre-Order Athletic Tickets



Stoughton High School

Athletic Office: 877.5622

Attendance Office: 877.5608

Counseling Office: 877.5618

Mr. Kruse, Principal: 877.5601

Ms. Hrodey, Associate Principal: 877.5605

Ms. Schoemer, Associate Principal: 877.5603

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