

Freeman Middle Scoop – 2-20-26

FMS Office Hours are 7:45 am to 3:45 pm. Doors are open to students at 8 am.

Email: FMSoffice@freemansd.org Office phone (509)291-7301 Attendance line (509)291-7425

OFFICE REMINDERS:

- Attendance
 - To excuse an absence, parents and or guardians should e-mail FMSoffice@freemansd.org or call (509-291-7425) with the student's name, grade, and reason for absence. To excuse a student arriving at school late or to have your student released early, please e-mail or call the office. Students will be released from class once a parent or guardian has communicated with the office. Students will not be excused to leave school unless we have received communication from a parent or guardian.
- The Middle School Office is closed for lunch the same time as your students lunch time. If you need to pick up your student during this time, please check in at the FES Office.
- Bus Rider Changes? Bring a Note!
 - **Riding with a Friend:** If you plan to ride home with a friend on their bus, you must bring a written note from your parents or guardian. The note should include both your name and your friend's name.
 - **Riding a Different Bus:** If you need to ride a different bus than your assigned one, a written note from your parent or guardian is required. Please specify the bus number and stop you will be taking.
 - **Riding to a Different Stop:** If you're getting off at a different bus stop than usual, a note from your parent or guardian is necessary. Please indicate the friend's name.
 - **Riding in a Car:** If you are a car rider with a friend, the office needs a note from the parent or the student will be placed on their regular school bus
 - Notes and/or phone calls must be turned into the main office by **2 pm** on the day of the change.
 - If the office doesn't receive a note/phone call – you will have to ride your regular bus to your bus stop
 - If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact the school office 509-291-7301 or e-mail FMSoffice@freemansd.org.

ATTN: 8th Grade Families

FHS PRESENTS

CLASS OF 2030 INFORMATION NIGHT



WHAT TO EXPECT FOR THE NEXT 4 YEARS

- Graduation Requirements
- Course Offerings
- Registration and more!

JOIN US MONDAY MARCH 2ND 6:00 PM

Join us in the FHS MPR

This is a great time to come and learn more about FHS and life in the high school.

Daily Announcements Recap

Glo Dance Tonight: Get ready to light up the night! The PTSG Glo Dance is tonight, Friday, Feb. 20, from 5:30–7:30 PM.

New Lunch Tradition: "Taco Bout It" is evolving! Starting next week, it will merge with Lego Club every Tuesday during lunch in the Counseling Center.

8th Grade Mentorship: Our 8th graders had a productive Wednesday morning participating in the WSU Mentorship Program.

Club Highlights: We celebrated our amazing Robotics team on Thursday and continued our Math Is Cool sessions as the 6th-grade team prepares for State!

Peer to Peer: The group held their latest meeting today (Friday) in the Elementary Community Classroom to wrap up the week.

The Upcoming Week:

Monday (Feb 23): Musical Rehearsal (4:15–5:30 PM)

Tuesday (Feb 24): Outstanding You Store (Scottie Break) & Combined Lego/Taco Bout It (Lunch)

Wednesday (Feb 25): Musical Rehearsal (4:15–5:30 PM)

Thursday (Feb 26): Final Dawg for a Day & Girls Basketball Pictures

Friday (Feb 27): Advisory – Student Led Conference introduction and work

SPORTS

REMINDERS:

- Click [HERE](#) for the 2026 Girls Basketball schedule
- Girls Basketball Picture Day will be February 26th.

FINAL FORMS ATHLETE REGISTRATION: <https://freeman-wa.finalforms.com/>

REMINDER: If your student is planning to stay and watch any of the MS home games/meets, they will be meeting in the MS Commons at 2:55 for a study hall. They will be released at 3:35 pm to go directly to the game. *If they stay for after school activities, the closed campus policy is still in effect. They will have school discipline if they go to the Freeman Store.*



Being a Good Teammate

Being a good teammate goes beyond sports. It's about working with others toward a common goal, whether it's a group project or a sports team. It means trusting each other, respecting different roles, and communicating clearly. Try This: Have a family project, like painting a room or cleaning out a closet. Talk about how each person's role is important to the outcome. Contact School Counselor Kayleen Archibald karchibald@freemansd.org

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It's okay to ask for help.



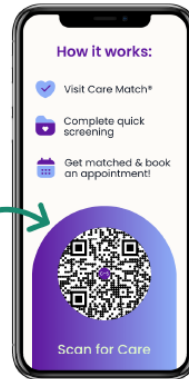
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caresolace.com/freemansd

If you have a life-threatening emergency, please call 911 or the Suicide and Crisis Lifeline at 988. Care Solace is not an emergency response service or mental health services provider.



CALENDAR/SAVE THE DATES:

February 20 – PTSG Family Glo Dance

March 6 – Snow Make Up Day- No School

March 9 – No school – Teacher PD Day

March 18 – Late Start for Students

March 23 - FSD Board Meeting – PRTC Conference Room @ 6 pm

April 2 – 3 – No School – Conferences

April 6 – 10 – No School – Spring Break

Important Fliers/Upcoming Events

4th Annual Freeman Athletics Auction and Dinner Fundraiser

We invite you to join us for a fun community evening raising funds to support student athletics at Freeman High School. The benefits of school athletics are profound, and we are proud to provide high quality and equitable athletic experience for over 275 student athletes on over 40 teams in the Freeman School District. In addition to the obvious physical benefits athletics provide, we feel strongly that being a student athlete helps to build and improve lifelong skills such as perseverance, patience, dedication, leadership, teamwork, time management, accountability and responsibility.

Click [HERE](#) for more information.

[Make a Payment](#) – click to pay fines/fees and lunch balances

[Student/Parent Handbook](#)

[FMS Office Reminders](#)

[FMS 25-26 Bell Schedules](#)

[SMS Text Opt-in for FMS Communications](#)

[Qustodio App - Monitor your Students Chromebook](#) by using this free app you will be able to Manage your student's screen time; Supervise your student's online activity; Access expert advice vis FSD Online Safety Hub

[Freeman Scottie Gear](#) to order your items.

[25-26 FSD School Calendar](#)

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[All Freeman SD Fliers](#)

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