Welcome new families to Glacier Peak High School!

Preparing students to lead extraordinary lives.

This PowerPoint will be posted on our GP website under Registration.

Agenda

- Introductions to Glacier Peak
- The Calendar/Timeline
- Preview the Peak
- Enrollment and Course Requests/Registration
- High School Graduation Requirements & Core 24
- Athletics & ASB/Activities
- Communications at GP
- Questions and Answers

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ASB / Activities



Teri Corwin

ASB Advisor

ASB LEADERSHIP

Servant Leadership is the foundation of our program here at Glacier Peak. Our main objective is to strive to meet the needs of our school community. The Introduction to ASB Leadership course provides a foundation for building skills in communication, group process, managerial skills, and project planning. Units are presented in an interactive, application-based model.

The Advanced ASB Leadership course applies the foundational skills of leadership to serving the school community through activities, events, service projects, and recognition.



ASB SENATE

PURPOSE: To promote a friendly and purposeful relationship between the school and community, encourage participation in extra-curricular activities, to establish high standards of leadership, cooperation, citizenship, and a better understanding of democratic government.

OPPORTUNITIES:

- Class Officers: Four elected officers serve their grade level by planning grade level activities and fundraisers.
- Senators: Nine elected senators per grade level, one appointed. Senators are the decision-makers of the Senate.
- Judicial Branch: Two appointed positions per grade level. Justices make sure the Senate operates according to the ASB Constitution.



Athletics



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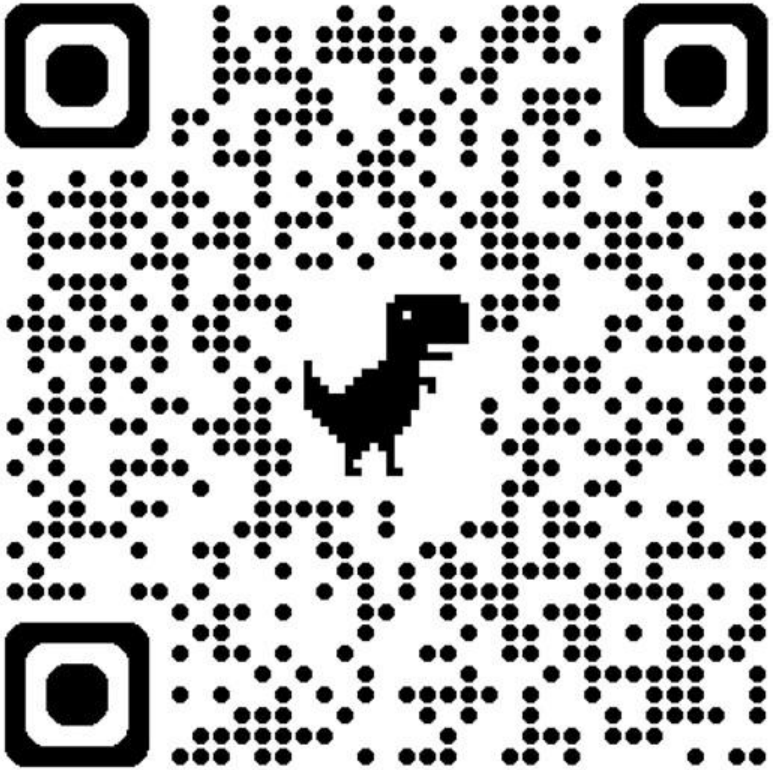
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GP Athletics

Grizzly Athletics

- All up-to-date information on Grizzly sports is on **the GP website, under Athletics.**
  - Information on signing up, sports offered, start dates, coach contact info, etc…is available.
- Link: https://gphs.sno.wednet.edu/departments/athletics

- Attend the **GP Sports Preview Night** in the Spring for incoming frosh and new students to GP. This is an open house style event.
  - Date: May 12th from 6:30 to 8:00 p.m. in the Commons.
  - All sports have a table, and coaches are available to talk program, collect contact information, summer opportunities, etc.



Athletic Preview Night:

May 12th 6:30 pm
GP Commons

Fall Sports Begin:
Football (10-12)- Aug 19th
All Others - Aug 24th

GP Athletics Link

2026-27 Sports Season Start Dates

- **Fall sports:**
  - **August 19, 2026**: football* (grades 10-12)
  - **August 24, 2026**: volleyball, boys' cross country*, girls' cross country*, girls' soccer, boys' tennis, girls swim & dive*
  - **August 24, 2026**: freshmen football*
- **Winter sports:**
  - **November 16, 2026**: boys' basketball, girls' basketball, boys' wrestling*, girls' wresting*, boys swim & dive*, girls' gymnastics
- **Spring sports:**
  - **March 1, 2027**: baseball, softball, boys' track & field*, girls' track & field*, boys' golf, girls' golf, boys' soccer, girls' tennis, girls' badminton*

**designates a non-cut sport*

Administrators



Dr. Alicia Mitchell
Principal



Brittany Elliott
Assistant Principal
Students A - G



Holly Appelgate
Assistant Principal
Students H - N



Lance Peters
Assistant Principal
Students O - Z

Valley View Student Registration Timeline

March 11th Visit Classrooms at Valley View

March 18th Preview the Peak

March 24th Return to Valley View to collect materials

Course Request/
Registration Materials

1. GP Course Catalog *(online)*
2. Four-year Planning Sheet
3. Registration Form

The registration form will be collected on the 24th during your 1:1 meeting with your GP school counselor.

Students who are not currently attending Valley View MS will be sent registration information through email.

Course Requests / Registration Process

Valley View Middle School 8th Graders

1. Registration Materials Shared with Families
2. Counselors meet 1:1 with students on March 24 to collect course requests and answer questions.

New to Snohomish SD or New to GP

1. Complete Enrollment Requirements with GP Registrar
2. Families who have completed enrollment will be contacted by GP Counseling and given course materials to Register for classes.
3. Families return course requests to GP Counseling.

Our Philosophy

To provide an exemplary education for all students that prepares them to be college and career ready.



We want to keep as many options open for students as long as possible.

Graduation Requirements
Class of 2030

- **24 credits** earned through taking six classes each year
- High School and Beyond Plan
- SBA Testing/Graduation Pathway in both ELA and Math
- Senior Community Service: Eight (8) Hours
- Washington State History in either Middle or High School

Class of 2030
Washington State Core 24

English:	**4.0 credits**	**Math:**	**3.0 credits**
Science:	**3.0 credits**	**Social Studies:**	**3.0 credits**
P.E.:	**1.5 credits**	**Health:**	**0.5 credits**
C.T.E.:	**1.0 credit**	**Electives:**	**4.0 credits**

**C.T.E. = Career and Technical Education*

Arts (visual or performing), one of which can be PPR* **2.0 credits**

World Language, both of which can be PPR* **2.0 credits**

***Personalized Pathway Requirements (PPR):** Up to 3.0 credits chosen by a student, that are included in a student's High School and Beyond Plan, and that prepare the student to meet specific post-secondary career or educational goals.

World Languages: *Chinese, German & Spanish*

- **Reasons to take a world language your Freshmen year:**
  - To have the opportunity to take 3 to 4 years of a world language at GP.
  - To satisfy the 2-year world language requirement for college entrance by the end of your sophomore year.
- **Reasons to not take a world language your Freshmen year:**
  - Student prefers to start taking a world language their sophomore or junior year.
  - Student wants to be involved in Art, CTE or other electives their freshmen year.

It's essential to plan backwards. What classes or programs do you want to take as a senior or junior? This can guide you into classes as a freshmen.

Dual Credit options through Glacier Peak High School



9-12

Advanced Placement

Credit by Exam



9-12

College in the High School

Credit by Course



9-12

CTE Dual Credit

Credit by Course



11-12

Running Start

Credit by Course

Glacier Peak AP Course Offerings

- AP Art-Drawing, 2D, 3D
- AP US Government and Politics
- AP US History
- AP World History
- AP Comparative Government
- AP English Language and Composition
- AP English Literature and Composition
- AP Physics
- AP Biology
- AP Chemistry
- AP Statistics
- AP Calculus AB
- AP Calculus BC
- AP Computer Science A
- AP Computer Science Principles
- AP Economics

College in the High School Availability List is in the catalog (see GP website)

Other Questions:

- **New to GP/Snohomish SD Student Info**

  After variances are approved, we reach out to families with enrollment information. Once enrolled, you will be contacted to request courses.
  - Apply for Choice Transfer
  - Enroll at GP
  - Request Courses

- **When are schedules released?**
  - Schedules are released on Skyward one week before school starts in the fall.

- **Student Start Up**
  - Student Start Up will be **August 18 and 19, 2026**.
  - Pictures taken, ID/ASB cards received, and pay for items like ASB and yearbooks. Student store open for Grizzly Apparel sales.

Helpful Guidelines for Families:

- **Middle school classes on high school transcripts**
  - High School courses taken at the middle school automatically go onto their high school transcript.
  - Middle school math grade (Algebra 1 or Geometry) on your transcript: you can opt out prior to the end of your junior year.
  - A letter will be sent home to everyone as a reminder.

- **Support choosing classes**
  - *It is import to help your student choose appropriate classes because that is how we build the master schedule, and they will be **unable to change** their courses once we build their schedules.*
  - The Registration Forms help guide students to choose their grade level courses.
  - The GP Course Catalog describes, in detail, everything you need to know about our classes and programs.

Communications at Glacier Peak

GP Website

- See website for a variety of resources and links.

Weekly Bulletin

- Sent weekly on Thursdays with important updates & information.

Canvas Page for ASB & the Library

- Updated news, club happenings and information is posted here.

Postcards and mailings

- It's important your address in the SSD system is accurate.

Messages & calls home

- The phone number in the system is who we call; please make sure it's up to date.



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Counseling Questions?
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- Registrar Cecilia Goritsas

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Thank You!