



ANNOUNCEMENTS

Monday, April 13, 2026

The April character trait of the month is Understanding.

Attention 2026 Graduates - This is the LAST week to place your orders for cap & gowns from Jostens. All orders must be submitted THIS WEEK online at Jostens.com to ensure timely delivery for Graduation.

For previously placed orders with outstanding balances, please contact Jostens to submit payment. We cannot release orders still showing an outstanding balance.

- 4/17

April MCT bus passes are now available for purchase from Mrs. Wolf in the main office.

- 4/15

Seniors, the Granite City Police Department is taking scholarship applications for P-B-P-A Unit 15 scholarship. Information regarding the scholarship can be located on the board outside the attendance window near the atrium, or see Officer Brinkmeyer for information. The deadline to apply for this scholarship is April 20th.

- 4/20

We have just received information on a St. Elizabeth Health Foundation Scholarship available to students interested in enrolling in

college for a major in a health care occupation.

The deadline of April 17th is fast approaching.

Please see Mrs. Voss in the Guidance Office for more information.

- 4/17

The Creative Writing Club is proud to announce this year's winners of the poetry contest! In 3rd place is Breanna Chandler!! In 2nd place is Karlisa Brent!! And, our 1st place win goes to Kayla Austin!! Thank you to ALL students who participated! ALL students who participated should come to see Mrs. Caveny in Rm. 268 sometime today! If you won, you can pick up your prizes when you come to see her!

- 4/14

Summer school forms are now available in the Guidance Office. Stop by to pick one up and speak with your counselor about your options.

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Attention Seniors!

Advisors from SWIC will be visiting GCHS on Tuesday, May 5th to help seniors register for fall classes.

If you are planning to attend SWIC in the fall and want to meet with them on this day, you must sign up in the guidance office.

Don't miss this opportunity to get your fall classes set!

- 4/17

Attention SENIOR student-athletes!

The GCHS Varsity Club is offering **two \$500 scholarships** for graduating seniors who have shown dedication, leadership, and excellence both on the field and in the classroom.

To be eligible, you must be a Varsity Club member your junior and senior year, have competed at the varsity level both years, and have a cumulative GPA of 3.25 GPA.

You can pick up an application in **Room 202 from Mrs. Pamatot**. Make sure to complete all parts of the application, including

the essay, and include a copy of your transcript.

The deadline to turn in the scholarship application is **April 30th at 1:30 p.m.**

- 4/24

ASL Club will meet every Thursday! The meeting is from 2:30 - 3:30 in rm 53, Mrs. Rushing's room. Bring a friend!

- 5/22

The Chess Club will meet again on Monday, April 13, right after school in room 156. No chess experience required and ALL are welcome!

- 4/13

If you had a full table of 8 for prom, please see Ms. Richey for a new paper. We now have to have tables of 10 for our venue! Don't forget, if you are wanting to fill out the table request paper, it is due this Friday on the last day of ticket sales!

- 4/16

Good News Warriors, The Grounds City Cafe has brought back your favorite seasonal drinks. Stop by the Cafe to grab a Strawberry Paradise, Peach Wave or a Blue Lagoon.

- 4/15

Hey, Seniors!!! On May 11th, Granite City High School will host its 6th Annual Senior Decision Day. Graduating students will have the opportunity to announce their post-secondary plans and participate in a raffle for fabulous prizes! Sign up to participate before April 30! Look for informational posters or see Dr. Baileygaines or Mrs. Bell.

- 4/29

Lights! Camera! Action! Are you an aspiring filmmaker? Have you and your friends been looking for a fun group project? Well, then you're in luck! Consider submitting a short film to the 2026 GCHS Film Festival. The festival will take place on April 24th at 6:00pm in the Performing Arts Center (PAC), films that make the cut will be shown and judged for prizes. There are 4 specific requirements

for these films!: 1. Include the phrase "City Boy" 2. Include a chicken; Ba-Bawk! 3. Include a fake laugh, and finally, 4. Be under 5 minutes! Follow these rules and stay school appropriate with your submission. Short films are due by April 17th. Please email yours to amy.pennell@gcsd9.net or stop by room 124 with any questions. Tickets are on sale now! Get yours from any video production member for \$5.00.

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