



The latest news and updates from Mt. Spokane High School

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With the first week of school behind us, I want to take a moment to share how wonderful it has been to welcome our students to the 2026-27 school year. Thank you for sharing your students with us; we are so grateful for the opportunity to serve them!

We hope to see many of you at our Open House on Wednesday, September 2, from 6:00–8:00 p.m. This is a great opportunity to visit the school, connect with your student's teachers, and get a better sense of the year ahead. We look forward to seeing you!

BEGINNING OF SCHOOL INFO

As the year progresses, the drop-off and pick-up lines will begin to get smaller, and we are grateful for your patience as you navigate the traffic around our school. Please remember to pull all the way forward in front of the school during drop-off and pick-up. We also encourage families not to use the side of the highway as a location for drop-off or pick-up. Doing so creates significant visibility challenges for our student drivers as they determine when it is safe to pull onto the highway. The lines typically end around 2:50 pm, so waiting a few extra minutes can make a significant difference, and it may even give your student time to connect with a teacher before heading home. Please also remember that the staff parking lot is closed to all traffic, except staff and buses, from 7:30 am through 2:50 pm

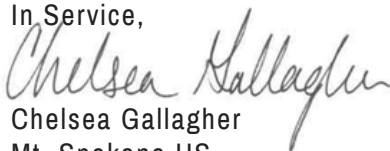
UPCOMING EVENTS

CONTACT INFORMATION

As we settle into the school year, we encourage all of our students and families to get involved in our school community. We have many events and opportunities that can be fun for the whole family, which you will find throughout the following pages. Ultimately, we want students to see their high school experience as a launchpad for what comes next.

Thank you for your continued partnership. We are excited about the year ahead and all that we will accomplish together! Go 'Cats!

In Service,


Chelsea Gallagher
Mt. Spokane HS
Principal



Beginning of School Info

ARRIVAL PICK-UP

Doors open @ 6:45	↔	School ends @ 2:35
Drop-off @ the front of the school	↔	Pick-up @ the front of the school
Buses drop-off at the west entrance	↔	Buses pick-up in the staff lot
Please allow plenty of time	↔	Be patient & watch for new drivers

The staff parking lot is reserved for buses and staff only. There is usually no line for pick-up by 2:50.

Questions about Curriculum and/or Instruction?

1st Step: Contact the classroom teacher to resolve the issue.

2nd Step: If step 1 is unsuccessful, contact the building principal.

3rd Step: If the concern remains unresolved, contact Director of Secondary Ed, Jeff Naslund.

Board Policy: [CLICK HERE](#) to read board policy pertaining to curriculum and instruction.

We want to be your partner in educating your child.

NO CELLPHONES IN CLASS

- Our staff is working hard to make their lessons engaging and valuable to each student.
- We are also working hard to teach our students to develop boundaries with their cellphones, as they should not be used during class.
- If you need to reach your student during the day, feel free to call the front office at 509-465-7280.

MEDICATIONS & STUDENT HEALTH CARE



- Contact our school nurse for questions regarding your student's health care needs
 - Gret Jordan
 - 509-590-7921
 - gret.jordan@mead354.org
- All medications must go through our school nurse
- Please share updated immunization records with our school nurse

PURCHASE AN ASB/GSL PASS TODAY!

An ASB/GSL pass allows students to get into all regular season games at no cost. It is a sticker on their student ID.



For further information about any student fees or to discuss financial assistance, call our bookkeeper at 509-465-7206.

Mt. Spokane High School Supplies List

SUGGESTED STUDENT SUPPLIES

- Backpack
- Pencils
- Blue & Black Pens
- Highlighters
- Colored Pencils
- Spiral Notebooks
- Binder or Folders
- Paper

SUGGESTED CLASSROOM SUPPLIES

Please bring classroom supplies to the front office on the first day, or to Open House on September 2nd.

- Surface Sanitizing Wipes
- Hand Sanitizer
- Ream of Copy Paper
- Tissues
- Glue Sticks
- Pencils
- Expo Markers
- Spiral Notebooks
- Folders



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MT. SPOKANE HIGH SCHOOL PARKING 26-27

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Online parking registration is now open.
[Click Here to register.](#)
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All parking is first come, first served. There are no assigned spots in the student lot. You will need to have your car registered to be able to park in the parking lot.



Attention!!!!

Activity buses will
begin on
August 26th
[Register here!](#)



Mt. Spokane ONLINE STORE



🔍 [CLICK HERE to purchase gear from BSN](#) ✕



FIND US ON THE WEB!

[HTTPS://MTSPOKANEHS.MEAD354.ORG/](https://mtspokanehs.mead354.org/)

MT. SPOKANE HIGH SCHOOL PICTURE DAY September 4, 2026

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Online ordering
available at
dorianstudio.com
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Picture Retakes:
October 9, 2026



SCHOOL PHOTO EXPECTATIONS

- NO HATS
- NO WIGS
- NO STRANGE COSTUMES
- NO PROPS
- NO FACE COVERINGS
- INDIVIDUAL PHOTOS ONLY



Back to School Info

MT. SPOKANE HIGH SCHOOL MONDAY, TUESDAY, FRIDAY

CLASS PERIOD	TIME
0-Hour	7:00 AM - 7:50 AM
1st	8:00 AM - 8:56 AM
2nd	9:01 AM - 10:01 AM
3rd	10:06 AM - 11:02 AM
1 st Lunch	11:02 AM - 11:32 AM
4th	11:37 AM - 12:33 PM
4th	11:07 AM - 12:03 PM
2 nd Lunch	12:03 PM - 12:33 PM
5th	12:38 PM - 1:34 PM
6th	1:39 PM - 2:35 PM

MT. SPOKANE HIGH SCHOOL WEDNESDAY LATE START

CLASS PERIOD	TIME
0-Hour	7:45 AM - 8:30 AM
1st	8:40 AM - 9:30 AM
2nd	9:35 AM - 10:25 AM
3rd	10:30 AM - 11:20 AM
1 st Lunch	11:20 AM - 11:50 AM
4th	11:55 AM - 12:45 PM
4th	11:25 AM - 12:15 PM
2 nd Lunch	12:15 PM - 12:45 PM
5th	12:50 PM - 1:40 PM
6th	1:45 PM - 2:35 PM

MT. SPOKANE HIGH SCHOOL CAT TIME THURSDAY INTERVENTION

CLASS PERIOD	TIME
0-Hour	7:00 AM - 7:50 AM
1st	8:00 AM - 8:50 AM
2nd	8:55 AM - 9:45 AM
CAT TIME	9:50 AM - 10:25 AM
3rd	10:30 AM - 11:20 AM
1 st Lunch	11:20 AM - 11:50 AM
4th	11:55 AM - 12:45 PM
4th	11:25 AM - 12:15 PM
2 nd Lunch	12:15 PM - 12:45 PM
5th	12:50 PM - 1:40 PM
6th	1:45 PM - 2:35 PM

Not a school sponsored event

2021 SENIOR
all nighter

WANT TO HELP?



Scan me!

**PARENTS!!!
WE NEED YOUR HELP**



Want to help MSHS fire victims? We are collecting gift cards in the front office.

Questions: email Amy Hanson
amy.hanson@mead354.org

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YEARBOOK SENIOR PHOTOS

DUE FRIDAY OCTOBER 16TH
PLEASE READ AND SHARE THIS INFORMATION WITH
YOUR PHOTOGRAPHER
SENIOR PHOTO DETAILS



Upcoming Events



Wildcat EVENTS

- Sept. 2: No Late Start
- Sept 2: Open House @ MSHS from 6-8 PM
- Sept 4: School Picture Day
- Sept 7: No School-Labor Day
- Sept 12: Booster Club Cat Scramble Golf Tournament
- Sept 14: JV Cheer Tryouts in the MSHS Commons 6-8 PM
- Sept 21-25: Homecoming Spirit Week
- Sept 25: Homecoming Football Game @ Union Stadium @ 7 PM
- Sept 26: Homecoming Dance @MSHS 6-8 PM
- Sept 29: Battle of the Bats Softball Rivalry Game vs Mead @ Dwight Merkel @ 7:30

*Sports listed are when we compete against Mead. [CLICK HERE](#) for all events.

REMINDER:

THIS WEDNESDAY - SEPTEMBER 2

NO LATE START

TRANSPORTATION AND BELLS ARE ON THE M,T,F SCHEDULE



Contact Information

WE WELCOME STUDENT AND FAMILY COMMUNICATION. PLEASE FEEL FREE TO REACH OUT TO US.

CONTACT US

Feel free to give us a call if you have questions or concerns.
We are your partners in education.

Principal

Chelsea Gallagher

9th Grade Asst. Principal

Adam Daniel

9th Grade Counselor

Rob Renner

10th Grade Asst. Principal

Jordon Poynor

10th Grade Counselor

Melissa Allen

11th Grade Asst. Principal

Juli Kistler

11th Grade Counselor

Drew Wendle

12th Grade Asst. Principal

Chris Snyder

12th Grade Counselor

Jamie Goodman

Athletic Director

Bobby Lee

College & Career Counselor

Josh Cowart

MAIN OFFICE: 509-465-7200
COUNSELING OFFICE: 509-465-7208

SORRY FRIENDS

We Are A CLOSED CAMPUS

PARKING LOTS ARE OFF CAMPUS. IF
YOU NEED TO GO TO YOUR CAR,
PLEASE GET PERMISSION FROM AN
ADMINISTRATOR.

SCHOOL CONTACTS

Main Office

(509) 465-7200

24- Hour Attendance Line

(509) 465-7280

Counseling Center

(509) 465-7208

Technology Help Desk

(509) 465-7650

ATTENDANCE REMINDER

Absences due to early dismissal for appointments, etc. **must be arranged in advance.** Please call the attendance office at 509-465-7280 at least an hour before the student needs to leave school.

Students may also bring a note from home so they can receive a pass to leave school early.