November 20th, 2026

SHMS Friday Flyer

We Believe & You Belong





Today we had our assembly to recognize students nominated by their teachers demonstrating outstanding Attitude, Character, Effort, and Service (ACES).

Principal Message

Grizzly Families,

Being a part of the Grizzly Family is something I am personally very thankful for… and that includes all of our families, students, and staff. We live and work in an amazing community. Happy Thanksgiving.

This week we sent out information about DiscoverWorks Summer program which is a great opportunity open to all students ages K-9th Grade.

Additionally, yesterday we sent information regarding an update about new requirements from Washington Interscholastic Activities Association (WIAA).

As always, reach out with any questions/feedback. Thank you, and Go Griz!

-Tony Moser, (509) 447-2426 mosertony@newportgriz.com

Events

Nov. 23rd- Nov. 27th: Thanksgiving Break - No School

Wed., Dec. 9: Band Concert @ 6pm

Fri., Dec. 11: Grandparents' Day 9:30am - 11:00am

Fri., Dec. 18: Early Dismissal

Dec. 21st - Jan 3rd: Winter Break - No School

Mon., Jan 4th: Professional Development - No school

Tue., Jan 5th: School Resumes

Athletic Avenue

Our AD sent an email last weekend regarding grades and eligibility. Please reach out to him with any questions or clarifications!

Wrestling Schedule & Volleyball Schedules

Athletic Director: Brandon McDaniel

Counselors Corner

The SHMS Student Support Website is updated monthly with resources and fun activities for students & families.

Nurses Corner

We hope everyone has a wonderful Thanksgiving week with family, friends, food, and a little time to recharge!

A few reminders before the holiday:

- Keep washing those hands! Cold and flu season is in full swing.
- Get plenty of rest and stay hydrated.
- If your student is sick, give them time to recover before returning to school.
- Enjoy the break and take care of yourselves!

We are thankful for our amazing students, families, and staff. We hope you have a safe, healthy, happy break!

Gobble 'til you wobble! GO GRIZ! 🐻 ❤️ 🖤

Other Flyers



[DayBreak]



[ZGirls Ages 11-14]

STEM Superstar

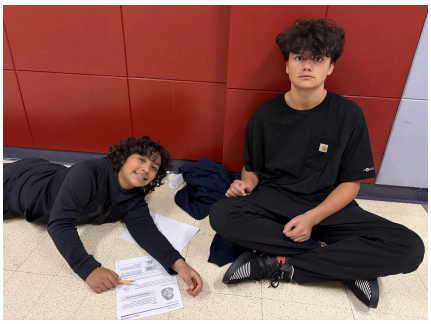
A Community of Future Engineers, Makers & Coders

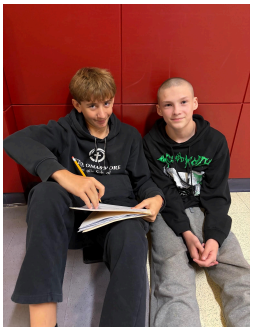
It's STEM Superstar time again! 7th and 8th grade students are invited to participate against other area middle schoolers in 7 different STEM-related events - Graphic Design, Forensic Science, Coding with Minecraft, Healthcare Practices, Photography, Problem-Solving Challenge, or Robotics. In addition to participating in an event, students can build a CO2 dragster car to race down the track! All of our prep work will be done during lunches and possibly some optional afterschool time.

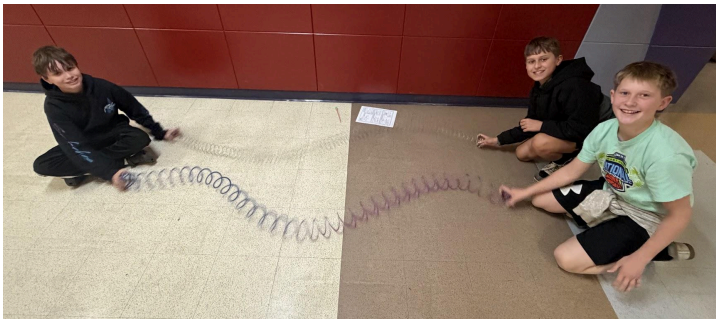
Ms. Mouser needs a tentative YES by the end of school on Monday, Nov. 30th, for our pre-registration to hold spots in the events. Please have your student let her know if they are even thinking about participating. We have had a blast in past years and are looking forward to more fun this March 30th, 2026!

Email:mouserjessica@newportgriz.com

Grizzly Photos of the Week

























⭐SchooLinks Student Spotlight⭐

SchooLinks is helping our 7th and 8th grade students plan for life after high school! Through interactive surveys, students are discovering their unique strengths, personality types, and matching career paths. Check out this week's favorite careers.



Addison G

A Career I Am Exploring:

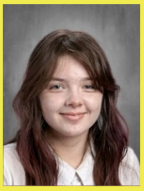
Registered Nursing

High Job Growth- -6.0% from 2023-33
Salary- $86,070 median salary
Current Employment- 3,300,100 jobs
Minimum Education- Bachelor's degree

A medical practitioner who provides hands-on care. Nurses often add the human touch to medical care. If you love medicine & don't love the years of study for being a doctor, this could be for you.

What do they do?

- Assess patients conditions
- Record patients medical histories and symptoms
- Observe patients and record the observations
- Administer patients medicines and treatments
- Set up plans for patients care or contribute information to existing plans
- Consult and collaborate with doctors and other healthcare professionals
- Operate and monitor medical equipment
- Help perform diagnostic tests and analyze the results
- Teach patients and their families how to manage illnesses or injuries
- Explain what to do at home after treatment



Kalliope G

A Career I Am Exploring:

Multimedia Arts & Animation

High Job Growth- -4.0% from 2023-33
Salary- $99,060 median salary
Current Employment- 73,300 jobs
Minimum Education- Bachelor's degree

Create images & special effects for movies, TV shows, cartoons, computer games & more. Can work on computers or by hand, or both. This is a career for artistic souls.

What do they do?

- Use computer programs and illustrations to create graphics and animation
- Work with a team of animators and artists to create a movie, game, or visual effect
- Research upcoming projects to help create realistic designs or animations
- Develop storyboards that map out key scenes in animations
- Edit animations and effects on the basis of feedback from directors, other animators, game designers, or clients
- Meet with clients, other animators, games designers, directors, and other staff (which may include actors) to review deadlines and development timelines



Zeus L

A Career I Am Exploring:

Software Development

High Job Growth- -18.0% from 2023-33
Salary- $132,2700 median salary
Current Employment- 1,692,100 jobs
Minimum Education- Bachelor's degree

Dream up, design & build software. You can specialize different ways, but it always combines creativity & technical skill. If you love building programs & thinking creatively, this may be for you.

What do they do?

- Analyze users needs and then design, test, and develop software to meet those needs
- Recommend software upgrades for customers existing programs and systems
- Design each piece of an application or system and plan how the pieces will work together
- Create a variety of models and diagrams (such as flowcharts) that show programmers the software code needed for an application
- Ensure that a program continues to function normally through software maintenance and testing
- Document every aspect of an application or system as a reference for future maintenance and upgrades
- Collaborate with other computer specialists to create optimum software



Adrianna H

A Career I Am Exploring:

Baking

High Job Growth- -5.0% from 2023-33
Salary- $34,950 median salary
Current Employment- 243,400 jobs
Minimum Education- No formal educational credential

Bakers mix ingredients according to recipes to make breads, pastries, and other baked goods.

What do they do?

- Check the quality of baking ingredients
- Prepare equipment for baking
- Measure and weigh flour and other ingredients
- Combine measured ingredients in mixers or blenders
- Knead, roll, cut, and shape dough
- Place dough into pans, into molds, or onto baking sheets
- Set oven temperatures and place items into ovens or onto grills



Zander B

A Career I Am Exploring:

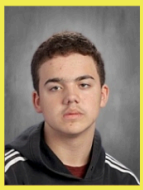
Professional Athlete

High Job Growth- -11.0% from 2023-33
Salary- $70,280 median salary
Current Employment- 25,100 jobs
Minimum Education- No formal educational credentials

A professional athlete competes in sports for financial compensation, spending most of their time on rigorous training, physical conditioning, tactical study, and recovery rather than just playing games.

What do they do?

- Practice to develop and improve their skills
- Maintain their sports equipment in good condition
- Train, exercise, and follow special diets to stay in the best physical condition
- Take instructions regarding strategy and tactics from coaches and other sports staff during games
- Follow the rules of the sport during competitions and games
- Assess their individual and team performance after each event and identify their strengths and weaknesses



Freddy W

A Career I Am Exploring:

Law Enforcement & Detective Work

High Job Growth- 2.0% from 2023-33
Salary- $91,100 median salary
Current Employment- 113,400 jobs
Minimum Education- High school diploma or equivalent

The law enforcement agent who has their feet on the ground. They uphold the law, educate about the law & keep communities safe. If you like enforcing rules & helping people, this might be for you.

What do they do?

- Respond to emergency and nonemergency calls
- Patrol assigned areas
- Conduct traffic stops and issue citations
- Search for vehicle records and warrants using computers in the field
- Obtain warrants and arrest suspects
- Collect and secure evidence from crime scenes
- Observe the activities of suspects
- Write detailed reports and fill out forms
- Prepare cases and testify in court



Sadie Halstead November 2026 Events



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
15	16	17	18	19	20 Early Release 11:30 ACES Assembly 9:13-9:35 Trimester 1 ends	21
22	23 No School	24 No School	25 No School	26 Thanksgiving Day	27 No School	28
29	30					



Sadie Halstead December 2026 Events



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2	3 PTO meeting 2:45-3:15	4	5
6	7	8	9 Family Night 4:30-6:00 Band concert 6:00	10	11 BINGO w/ Grandparents 9:30-11:00	12
13	14	15	16	17 Tri 1 rewards field trip to The Roxy Boo Boo Volleyball	18 Early Release 11:30 ACES assembly 9:13-9:35 ***PJ dress up day***	19
20	21 1st day of Winter	22	23	24	25 Christmas Day	26
27	28	29	30	31	1 New Years Day	2
3	4	5 Back to school for students	6	7	8	9