

BENTON HIGH SCHOOL

Thursday, February 22, 2024



STUDENTS

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Deadline is approaching! Remember, **Friday, February 23**, is the very last day to guarantee your copy of the yearbook! You can also spread out the cost of your order with an interest-free Jostens Payment Plan!

JUNIORS

You will be taking the ACT, Accuplacer, or ASVAB on Tuesday, February 27. ACT testing locations will be located in the English hall, rooms 200-219. Accuplacer and ASVAB testing locations will be the PDC. You should report directly to your testing location by 7:50.

Junior testing locations are posted on the display case. Also, your teachers have a copy of locations and will be able to help you. Some sophomores and seniors will be relocated on test day during 1st and 2nd blocks. Your 1st and 2nd block teachers will instruct you where you should report for those times. This information is also posted on the display case. Please make sure you know exactly where to go on Tuesday morning.

All students who are testing must make sure your MacBook is fully charged when you arrive. Failure to do so will result in a DH. It is also important to be on time. There will be no late admission to testing sessions.

Students taking the ACT should bring a Photo ID. The ID must be an original, current (valid) ID issued by a city/state/federal government agency or your school. Paper or electronic formats are NOT acceptable. The photo must be clearly recognizable as you.

No electronic devices, including smart watches, will be permitted into testing sessions. These items should be turned off and stored in your backpack.

The bell schedule for TEST DAY will be as follows:

Block 1	7:50-9:50
Block 2	9:57-11:55
A Lunch	11:55-12:25
Block 3A	12:32-1:37
Block 3B	12:02-1:07
B Lunch	1:07-1:37
Block 4	1:44-2:51

Need help preparing for the ACT? Check out your counselor's Google Classroom page for helpful hints, test day expectations, and practice test questions.

CLUB NEWS

There will be a Writers' Circle meeting on Thursday, February 22, at 2:50pm in Mrs. Stacks' room 215. Please send submissions before then.

GSA meets on Thursday, February 22 at 3:00pm. Come hang out with cool people and eat cookies!

FBLA Members: If you qualified for State or are wanting to participate in the State Competition, please go to our Google Classroom page for information and stop by Mrs. Bauer's room (223) as soon as possible this week!

SPORTS

BASEBALL:

February 22: vs NLR (Benefit Game) @4:30pm

SOFTBALL:

February 22: @Nashville – Benefit Game @5:00pm

SWIMMING:

February 24: 5A State Swim Meet @Russellville Aquatic Center @3:30pm

WRESTLING:

February 23-24: State Tournament @UALR



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On March 4th, there will be an opportunity for students in 9-11 grades to stunt with current cheerleaders! We would love to have those interested in joining our team next year come in and stunt with us! We will work on basic stunt techniques and give you an idea of the very basics that we do! This is a great way to meet team members before our Mandatory meeting on March 5th!

Benton Cheer is looking for managers for next year! If you want a place to be very involved and have the following qualities, please email jharrell@bentonschools.org for more information. Qualities desired: self-starter, organized, great follow-through, dependable, on time, and artistic abilities are a plus! You must also love the panthers and have great school spirit!

Benton Cheer Tryout Meeting
When: March 5th at 6:00pm
Where: BHS Cafeteria

This meeting is mandatory for anyone interested in trying out for the BHS/BJH cheer team, manager, or mascot!

Dance Tryout Meeting will be on March 4th at 6:00pm in the BHS Cafeteria. Dancer and parent must attend to tryout. If you have further questions, email Coach McCool at rmccool@bentonschools.org.