



Indianola High School Daily Announcements
Wednesday, January 10, 2018

GENERAL INFORMATION:

If there is a snow day on any of the three testing days, we will push that day's test back and will test those periods on January 16th. For example - if school is cancelled on Thursday, January 11th, we will follow the original testing schedule for Friday. We would then test periods 4, 5, 6 on Tuesday, January 16th.

Students must be prepared to take the tests on the designated days. Meaning if we do not have school on Thursday, January 11, the Friday schedule will remain the same and students should take home all materials necessary for preparing for those finals.

If we have a 2 hr delay on either testing day, a schedule will be emailed to both students and parents.

- **REMINDER FOR SEMESTER FINALS:** Just a reminder that you must be in attendance for all regularly scheduled testing periods for semester finals. If you know that you will be absent for one or more test periods, you must get prior approval from administration. Please stop in and see Mr. Calhoun as soon as possible.

- **FIRST SEMESTER TEST SCHEDULE**
January 10, 11 and 12, 2018
Study Hall - LIBRARY

Thursday, January 11

Test Session 1
 ▪ **Period 4**..... 8:00 - 9:30
 Test Session 2
 ▪ **Period 5**..... 9:40 - 11:10
 Test Session 3
 ▪ **Period 6**..... 12:05 - 1:35
 Test Session 4.....Make-up Tests - Schedule with Teacher
 Dismissal..... 3:05

Friday, January 12

Test Session 1
 ▪ **Period 7**..... 8:00 - 9:30
 Test Session 2
 ▪ **Period 8**..... 9:40 - 11:10
 Test Session 3.....Make-up Tests - Schedule with Teacher
 Dismissal..... 3:05

A lunch period is available from 11:10 - 12:05 each day of the Semester Test Schedule. Students are required to be here for tests only! **If not in a test session, students must leave the building or report to study hall in the Library.**

Make-up tests are for excused absences only.

Students must remain in the testing area for the entire testing period.

STUDENTS:

SENIORS:

- **DOLLARS FOR SCHOLARS:** The Dollars for Scholars Application is now LIVE. Students need to make an account and then apply. This is open to ANY Indianola Senior planning on attending a Postsecondary School. (Including Trade Schools)
Go to https://indianola.dollarsforscholars.org/index.php?section=chapterWebsite&action=student_parent&fwlD=1739
Click on Tab at top that says STUDENTS/PARENTS and make an account. Use a personal email and not your school email when making an account.
Any questions should be directed to Mrs. Coghlan in the Guidance Office
- **POST GRADUATION PLANS:** Seniors, please stop in the main office and fill out your plans for after graduation in the red 3-ring binder (i.e. college name, employment, military, trade)

PARENTS:

- **PROJECT GRADUATION:** As a committee, we are almost to our fundraising goal. We are continuing with the can drive and know that the cold may be a deterrent, but are reaching out and asking for any help you can offer. You can directly sign up following this link - <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090a4da9a92aa2fc1-project> OR come on out this Sunday, January 14th at 3:00 p.m. Remember to bring your senior and a few friends as the more we have the quicker things get sorted.

DATES TO REMEMBER:

January 10-12		Semester Finals *schedule listed above*
January 15	NO SCHOOL	Teacher Workday
February 13-15		Conferences
February 15-16	NO SCHOOL	

FINE ARTS:

- **INDIVIDUAL SPEECH CONTEST:** Do you love reading poetry? Do you find yourself wanting to sing out your favorite show tune? Are you the person who watches the news and thought you should be the person behind the news desk? Then we want you! Individual Speech Contest sign ups start today after school in Mr. Stones Room. Favorite Categories include acting, improv, original oratory, poetry/prose, radio news, solo musical theatre, and many others. We look forward to see you at sign ups!
- **WEST SIDE STORY:** Musical Audition Meeting: Jan 17th at 2:10. Learn how to prepare for your audition Jan. 29-Feb 1st. Materials will be passed out at that time. **Mandatory meeting.**

SPORTS:

- **IMPULSE LOCK IN:** Looking for a night out....kid free? Impulse is holding their First Annual Lock-In for students in grades K-5 on Friday, January 26, 6:00-10:00 pm in the North gym. Cost is \$25/child or 2 or more children per family \$20/child. To sign up, please email Lindsay.Taylor@indianola.k12.ia.us and please include the number of kids attending at their names. Payment due at check-in. [Lock In Flyer](#)

STUDENT CLUBS:

GUIDANCE NEWS:

- The next ACT test will be Feb 10. The deadline to register is Jan 12. This is a great time for sophomores or juniors to take the test. Remember you can take it more than one time. Go to www.act.org to register

SCHOLARSHIPS:

The Guidance Office is working on a link on the new website that will list all the scholarships. Be watching this area in the coming weeks for more information.

- The Brian Pearson Memorial Scholarship
- First Friday Breakfast Club Scholarship
- The Iowa Automobile Dealers Scholarship
- Iowa Student Loan will award 30 Iowa high school seniors each \$2000 to use for fall 2018 college expenses. Interested seniors should go to www.iowaStudentLoan.org/SeniorScholarship to register and read scholarship rules. Deadline is Feb. 16.
- The Mathew Shephard Scholarship
- The Coolidge Scholarship
- Timberline Billing Service scholarship is available in the Guidance Office. Students must have an IEP to apply. Deadline is Jan. 16, 2018.
- The Hagan Scholarship
- The Mediacom World Class Scholarship
- Grand Lodge of Iowa
- The Iowa Newspaper Foundation scholarship

BREAKFAST/LUNCH MENU:

Lunch: Wednesday, January 10: Pork roast, grilled chicken patty, bun, sausage pizza, mashed potatoes, gravy, applesauce

Breakfast: Thursday, January 11: Omelet, toast, apples & oranges

Lunch: Thursday, January 11: Burrito, cheese burger patty, bun, pepperoni pizza, green beans, mixed fruit

TIP OF THE WEEK REGARDING NEW WEBSITE: Clicking on "EVENTS" (upper right hand corner) will give you the daily activity events for the day, week or month.