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Winter 2019



TITANS

JANUARY

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1/1 - 4 - Winter Break
 1/21 - Holiday, No School
 1/22-24 - Finals
 1/25 - Grading Day, No School

FEBRUARY

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2/18 - Holiday, No School

MARCH

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3/8 - No School
 3/20 - Teacher/Parent Conferences
 3/21 - Teacher/Parent Conferences,
 No School
 3/22 - No School
 3/25-3/29 - Spring Break

APRIL

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4/26 - Grading Day, No School

For a list of current events and activities,
 please visit our website at
westsalemhigh.com

WEDNESDAY APRIL 3

Freshman Orientation
 6:30 pm — 7:00 pm



Learn About Programs
 7:00 pm — 8:00 pm

FUTURE TITAN NIGHT

Please join us for the 2020 Future Titan Night on Wednesday, April 3. Freshman Orientation will be 6:30 pm to 7:00 pm in the Auditorium.

All students will learn about the programs we offer at West in the commons from 7:00 pm to 8:00 pm.



PRACTICING LOCKDOWN PROCEDURES

State law requires schools to conduct two lockdown drills per year. During the week of January 7 through January 11, we will conduct a Condition 2 lockdown for our second mandatory drill with students and staff. This Condition 2 drill will simulate what we do in case of a threat inside the building.

SCHOOL CALENDAR WEBSITE

Our school calendar website has changed from greatervalleyconference.org to saalemkeizerathletics.org.

Please be sure to save the new web address in your browser.

saalemkeizerathletics.org

HOW TO REACH US:

24 Hour Absence Reporting Line: 503-399-3789		
Attendance Office	503-399-3785	Office hours: 7:15 am – 3:30 pm
Student Center Office	503-399-3781	Office hours: 7:15 am – 3:15 pm
Counseling/Registrar Office	503-399-3780	Office hours: 7:15 am – 3:30 pm
Main Office	503-399-5533	Office hours: 7:15 am – 4:00 pm

You can e-mail a teacher using the following format: *last name_first name@salkeiz.k12.or.us*

FINAL EXAM TIMES

Monday, January 21st

No School - Martin Luther King Jr. Day

Tuesday, January 22nd

FINALS: PERIODS 1, 2, 3

Period 1 Final: 7:30 am - 9:00 am

Period 2 Final: 9:20 am - 10:50 am

Period 3 Final: 11:10 am - 12:40 pm

Buses depart: 1:00 pm

A-day, CTEC students (per 1-4) will go to CTEC.

Wednesday, January 23rd

FINALS: PERIODS 5, 6, 7

Period 5 Final: 7:30 am - 9:00 am

Period 6 Final: 9:20 am - 10:50 am

Period 7 Final: 11:10 am - 12:40 pm

Buses depart: 1:00 pm

B-day, CTEC students (per 5-8) will go to CTEC.

Thursday, January 24th

FINALS: PERIODS 4, 8

Period 4 Final: 7:30 am - 9:00 am

Period 8 Final: 9:20 am - 10:50 am

Buses depart: 11:00 am

CTEC students will go to their resident school for either 4th period or 8th period.

Friday, January 25th

No School - Grading Day

SEMESTER 2 SCHEDULE CHANGE REQUEST

The schedule link will be available on January 7. Students will need to Log-in to StudentVue to see their second semester schedule.

If a student needs to request a schedule change, the following steps must be taken:

1. Go to the West Salem High School Website www.westsalemhigh.com
2. Click on Counseling Center
3. Click on Schedule Change Request
4. Completely fill out the electronic request form
5. Requests are answered in the order they are received. Not all requests will be honored. Students will receive an email with the outcome of their request once it has been processed. Check your email (junk email also). Schedules will not be changed to accommodate teacher or class period requests.

Last day to request a semester 2 schedule change is Thursday, January 24 by 12:00 am (midnight).

2019-2020 FORECASTING

Forecasting for the 2019-2020 school year will begin in February. Students will receive forecasting packets in their Advisory Classes on Friday, February 22.

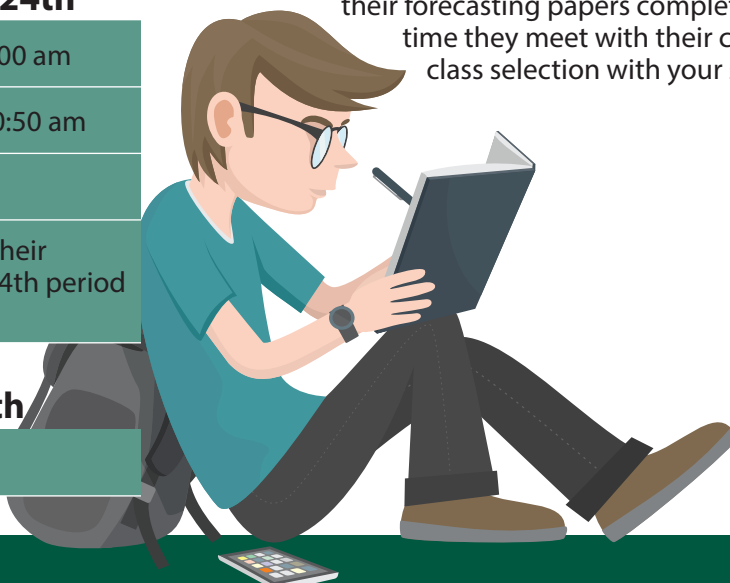
Students will start meeting with their counselors to select courses as follows:

Juniors - February 25 thru March 1

Sophomores - March 4 thru March 11

Freshman - March 12 thru March 15

Any students that are absent when their classes come down will be called down individually on March 18 or 19. Students need to have their forecasting papers completed and with them at the time they meet with their counselors. Please discuss class selection with your students.



AP STUDENTS: IMPORTANT 2019 DATES

JANUARY 28:

First day to purchase AP Tests. Fee is \$74.00 per exam. Fee for AP Seminar Test is \$120.00.

FEBRUARY 22:

All SSD Eligibility Forms for students with disabilities must be submitted by this date.

MARCH 13:

Last day to sign up/pay for AP exam(s) without paying a late fee of \$55.00.

APRIL 12:

Last day to sign up/pay for AP exam(s), late fee of \$55.00 per exam applies. Cost of each Exam \$129.00 (Pay the Bookkeeper) No exceptions as per CollegeBoard.

Taking the AP exam in May is an expectation of students in every AP class.

Monday, May 6, 8:00 am	AP US Government & Politics
Tuesday, May 7, 8:00 am	AP Spanish Language & Culture
Tuesday, May 7, 8:00 am	AP Seminar
Wednesday, May 8, 8:00 am	AP European History
Thursday, May 9, 8:00 am	AP Chemistry
Thursday, May 9, 8:00 am	AP Spanish Literature & Culture
Friday, May 10, 8:00 am	AP United States History
Monday, May 13, 8:00 am	AP Biology
Monday, May 13, 12:00 pm	AP Physics C: Mechanics
Tuesday, May 14, 8:00 am	AP Calculus AB
Wednesday, May 15, 8:00 am	AP English Language & Composition
Thursday, May 16, 12:00 pm	AP Statistics
Friday, May 17, 12:00 pm	AP Computer Science A

If you are interested in taking an AP exam that is not listed above, please see Mr. Dutcher in the Counseling Office.

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HEALTHY BRAINS HEALTHY LIVES

A FREE PRESENTATION BY DR. JESSE PAYNE

Please join us for a free evening of learning with Dr. Jesse Payne as he provides foundations of basic brain science and how it applies to all aspects of life. By shedding light on how our brains work, we can gain a better understanding of ourselves and each other, while creating pathways towards a culture of care and empathy in our community.

SAVE THE DATE!



**MONDAY
JANUARY 14, 2019**

WEST SALEM HIGH SCHOOL AUDITORIUM

6:00 PM DOORS OPEN

7:00–9:00 PM

Salem-Keizer Public Schools promotes equal opportunity for all individuals without regard to age, color, disability, marital status, national origin, race, religion or creed, sex or gender, sexual orientation, or veteran status.