



GSMST Newsletter

September 28, 2015



Mark Your Calendars

- October 6, 2015: Junior and Senior Parent Meeting
- October 12, 2015: Student Holiday
- October 14, 2015: PSAT
- October 24, 2015: Fall Dance

Student Leadership Summit

Thanks to the students who attended GSMST's 5th Annual Student Leadership Summit. See a video of the event [here](#)!



Fall Blood Drive

Wednesday, September 30th, is GSMST's Fall Blood Drive! Students and faculty will be able to donate to the Red Cross for patients around the world needing blood transfusions. Sign-ups will begin today and continue throughout the week before school and during both lunches. Please consider contributing to Red Cross!

Attention Juniors and Seniors Financial Aid Workshop and Mini College Fair

October 6, 2015 parents and students are encouraged to attend. The financial aid workshop is 6:00 p.m. - 6:45 p.m. and the mini college fair is 6:45 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. Valuable information regarding FAFSA and financial aid are addressed during this informative session. The colleges listed below will have locations in the cafeteria to answer questions about their admissions process. Click [here](#) for

more information.

9th Grade Speaker Series - CALL FOR SPEAKERS

GSMST will be hosting its first installment of the 9th Grade Speaker Series this year on October 14th, 2015 from 12:00 p.m.-1:30 p.m. on the GSMST campus. The schedule of topics and speakers for the first session is currently being finalized. If you are professionally involved in a STEM field and interested in speaking at this October 14th event or any future Series events, please email Ms. Kerri Napoleon at kerri_napoleon@gwinnett.k12.ga.us for more information!

Before school and after school supervision, please provide transportation.



On Mondays, students must be out of the building by 3:15 since all teachers are in school-wide meetings.

On Tuesdays - Fridays, students must leave the building as soon as the SRC closes (4pm) or as soon as their activity ends. Please be at school, ready to pick up your child when the activity ends. Students will have to stand outside to wait for their ride and cold weather will be coming soon.

Students are not allowed to enter the building before 6:15 a.m. Thanks for your help.

Congratulations 2015-2016 Teacher of the Year

Please join us in congratulating Steve Kuninsky as GSMST's 2015-2016 Teacher of the Year.



NHS Tutoring available

The National Honor Society is providing tutoring opportunities for all grade levels. 9th grade: For all subjects will begin this week. If you are struggling in LA, Chem, Phys/Eng, or Math, you can come after school and receive help from NHS and Beta members.

What do you need to do to be able to come?

You must sign up every week you wish to attend a help session before that Wednesday at 4:00 PM. The help session will take place in Ms. Minton's room on Thursdays starting this week on 9/18/15 from 3:00 - 4:00.

You must leave after tutoring is over; you must arrange rides and leave campus at 4:00 PM. click [here](#) to register

10th/11th/12th grade: click [here](#) to register

GSMST School Store

The school store is online. Visit the store [here](http://store.gsmst.org) and order your spirit wear, school supplies, etc. today. You can also email laura_ridderhof@gwinnett.k12.ga.us and place your order. The orders can be picked up in the front office once they've arrived.



MyPaymentsPlus

Please visit MyPaymentsPlus to take care of forms, contributions, etc for the 2015-2016 school year. Thank you to those that have contributed to clubs and organizations. We appreciate your support! Visit the link [here](#).



GSMST Study Abroad Opportunities

Chinese: China Trip 2016 check out Ms. Houg's website for more details. [GSMST STUDY ABROAD CHINA 2016](#)



GSMST Parking Permits

The student parking cost for the 2015-2016 school year is \$60.00. All students who want to park on campus must return the form below to the Attendance Office along with the following three items:

1. \$60.00 - cash or check (payable to GSMST)
2. A copy of your current proof of insurance.
3. A copy of your driver's license.

[Parking Permit Form](#)

GSMST Upcoming Events and Reminders

- Visit balfour.com to buy your yearbook today!
- September 30th - Blood Drive.
- PSAT will be taken at GSMST on October 14, 2015.
- Mondays are reserved for teacher professional development. Students are to leave campus by 3:00 p.m.
- Visitor Badges must be worn while visiting, volunteering, etc. This is to keep our school safe.

678-518-6700

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