

*Welcome to
Lewiston High School
Senior Parent Information Night
October 18, 2023*



LHS Senior Awards 2023
<https://youtu.be/uz-c-QMfQeM>

Senior Information Night Agenda

- Welcome Remarks
- Counseling Center Staff - Olivia Wilson, School Counselor
- Yearbook Information – Davey Steele, Yearbook Advisor (not present)
- Graduation Caps, Gowns, and Announcements – Jake Lee (not present)
- Senior Project Information – Hilary G-L, Senior English Teacher
- Safe & Sober - Amy Mader and Lainey Hill
- College Admissions - Soo Lee Bruce-Smith, LCSC Admissions
- College Entrance Exams, Financial Aid, Scholarships, Deadlines – Kaylin Roby, School Counselor
- Advanced Opportunities for your Senior, Upcoming Opportunities & the Revamped FAFSA– Sarah Willmore, College and Career Advisor
- Counseling Center Overview, Work after High School, the Military Option – Leslie Halliday, School Counselor
- Encouragement for Seniors and their Parents & Best Ways to Stay in the Loop - Christina Cahill, School Counselor
- Adjournment, Individual Questions

Your LHS Counseling Staff



Kaylin Roby
Last Names:
A-D



Christina Cahill
Last Names:
E-K



Olivia Wilson
Last Names:
L-R



Leslie Halliday
Last Names:
S-Z

Your LHS Counseling Support Staff



Sheila Hart
Secretary



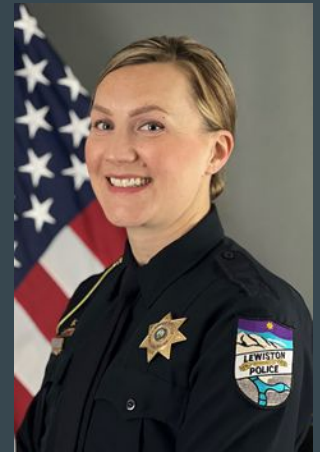
Kari Kerns
Registrar



Sarah Willmore
College and
Career Advisor



Cynthia Nunez
Social Worker



Katherine Whitlock
Student
Resource Officer

Yearbook

Buy Now Online: \$75

Price increase- October 1: \$80, another price increase in January

Senior Pictures, Ads, Quotes AND a baby picture

DUE: November 15

Yearbook Advisor: Davey Steele

Purchase yearbook: yearbookforever.com

Submit senior portrait: yearbookforever.com

- *Registration pictures will be used if the deadline is missed.*

Helpful LHS Website links:

<https://www.lewistonschools.net/lhs/yearbook/>

Caps & Gowns

- Order beginning November 2nd
 - ❑ Jake Lee will be meeting with all seniors on November 2nd at LHS
- December 15 Order Deadline
 - ❑ Ordering remains available until graduation, but added fees after December 15 deadline.
- Make checks out to Idaho Recognition Products including 6.0% tax.
- Order online at www.directgrad.com
- Email office@directgrad.com
- Phone 208-941-1602





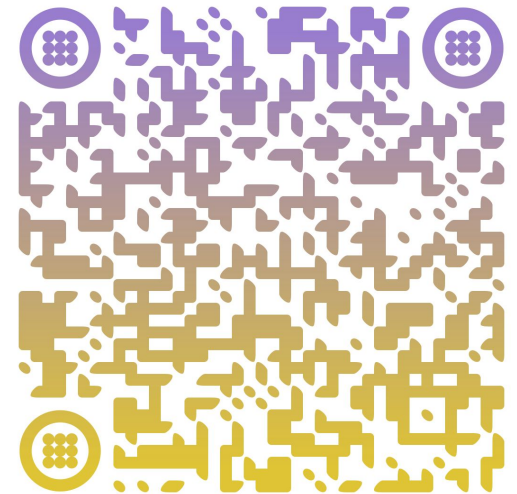
Senior Passion Project

- *Due for ALL seniors by 3:00 on December 13, 2023*
 - Final project with all written components
 - physical product
 - trifold
- *Evaluation for proficiency requires:*
 - the independent demonstration of the writing process and its components (including formatting, citations, mechanics, and content requirements)
 - that all components of the Senior Passion Project earn proficient scores
- *What about non-proficiency?*
 - Any projects/components not submitted by the required dates or not deemed proficient will be subject to review and required revisions until proficient.

Senior Passion Project:
Overview of
Expectations &
Requirements



LINK



Research
Written
Component
Requirements



LINK

➤ *Resource Requirements*

- A minimum of **FOUR** credible information sources must be used and cited within paragraphs; all sources included on Works Cited page
 - TWO from the databases on the LHS library website. Access codes are available [HERE](#).
 - ONE is the expert interview
 - The final source, if not from the databases, will only be accepted if it has been **pre-approved by your English teacher**.

➤ *Structure & Formatting:*

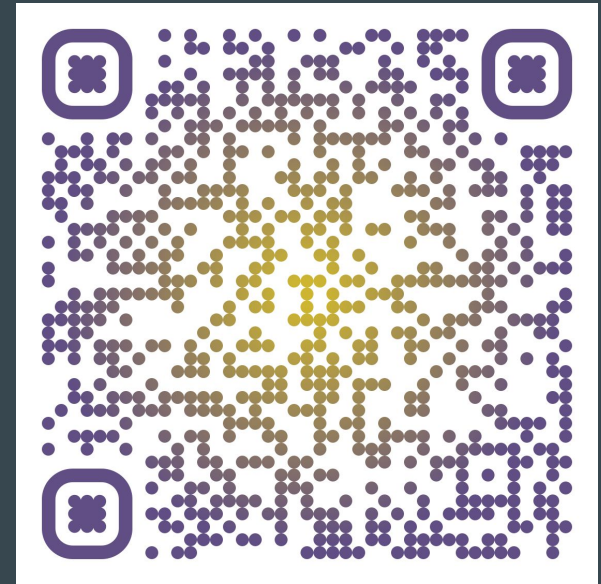
- MLA, double-spaced, 12 pt. Times New Roman font
- NO PERSONAL PRONOUNS
- The REQUIRED written components include:
 - An Abstract (**150 - 250 words**)
 - Three Informational Paragraphs (**330 - 450 words each**) - each presents the research on one of your questions/subtopics and includes numerous pieces of properly cited evidence
 - A Rationale (**150 - 250 words**)
 - Works Cited Page - must be properly formatted





➤ Project – Tri-fold Presentation Board

- Creative Title
 - NOT the topic, that can be included in the subtitle
- Abstract
 - explains the research and purpose
- Expert Interview Paragraphs
 - includes information, description, and appreciation
- Infographic
 - must be printed & in color
- Images/Graphics
 - 5 minimum
 - represents the research & content included on the tri-fold
 - anything from online must be cited



The “One-Stop Shop” LINK



Need info? Instructions? Help?
 The “One-Stop Shop”
 has everything Senior Passion Project!
 Check it out!!

➤ *Project Presentation & Evaluation – January 10, 2024*

■ *Particulars*

- set up immediately after school in assigned location
 - **trifold**
 - **physical product**
 - **project packets x 3 (written components w/ title page)**
 - **Chromebook (if needed)**
 - **notecards (if using)**
- LHS teachers randomly assigned to evaluate using a common rubric
- interview attire - dress to impress

■ *Process*

- introduction (self, title, topic, your why)
- briefly address without reading:
 - **Abstract (& any images/graphics)**
 - **Expert (& any images/graphics)**
 - **Rationale (& any images/graphics)**
- infographic
- physical product (share & explain)
- project packet (offer to judges)



Senior Party Information



What is Safe and Sober?

Safe and Sober is a Graduation Night Party put on by Parents of Seniors with the generous support of Senior Family Members and the Community held at the Fair Building. This party has been created all over the country in response to the yearly deaths caused by High School Seniors drinking and driving on the night of graduation. We put in a lot of hours and effort into making this night a fun event!

Contact information

If you are not getting emails from LHS Safe and Sober, please update your contact information or contact us at 20lhssafeandsober@gmail.com

Donate and/or Volunteer

To fund this huge event it takes a lot of time and money. A few hours of time and a few donations from a lot of Parents and Seniors will go a long way at making this night a fun night for our Seniors. Please join us at the monthly meeting held the second Wednesday of each month at Lewiston Community Center at 6pm.

Senior Party Information

Fundraising

Fundraisers we have planned for this year - If we have a lot of successful fundraising before Thanksgiving we can take advantage of Black Friday Sales and get more items for the seniors at the Party.

1. Current Raffles:

- African Safari Hunt - \$75/Ticket and selling only 250 tickets. Drawing will be when tickets are sold out or January 1, 2024.
- Christmas 3K Shopping Spree - \$20/Ticket or 3 tickets for \$50. Drawing will be December 13 at the monthly meeting
- Zags Game Raffle - \$50/Ticket and only 200 sold. Drawing will be November 19 at 3pm.

2. Powder Puff - October 30 at Bengal Field

3. Dominos Pizza - Donates 20% of profits on the following days: Nov 15, Jan 17, Mar 20, May 15

4. Winter Spirit at Locomotive Park (Sell hot cocoa, candy canes, etc)

5. Flocking Flamingos

6. Jenewea

7. Battle of the Moms

8. Calendar Raffle

9. Spring Cornhole Tournament

10. Concessions at home games

Please consider helping where you can.

Find information on Facebook and in your email inbox.** Facebook - Lewiston Safe-Sober Graduation

Admissions

- Idaho Campus Choice

Letters & postcards have hit mailboxes

- Apply Idaho opened October 2

- Admission Deadline

Check out-of-state schools now!

- Test Scores

College Entrance Exams

- ❑ Admission
 - Combination of Test Scores and GPA (sometimes)
- ❑ Placement in College Classes
- ❑ Scholarships
- ❑ Next SAT Test Date December 2
 - Register by November 2 at www.collegeboard.com/sat (log into your account)
- ❑ Following SAT Dates: March 9, May 4, June 1
- ❑ Option to take the ACT (register at www.actstudent.org)
- ❑ Scores will be on transcripts (but they aren't yet)
 - Some schools require official reports sent by student through Collegeboard

Main Sources of College Financial Aid

1. Federal aid – FAFSA (loans, grants, work study)
2. Scholarships – local, state, and national
3. University/College Scholarships

Scholarships – Local, State, National

Local:

- **Bengal Green** - Updated monthly beginning December. Emailed to students and parents
- Take advantage of scholarships: elementary school, junior highs, businesses, church, and various clubs and civic organizations. **All scholarship dollars add up.**

State:

- **Idaho State Board of Education Scholarships:**
<https://boardofed.idaho.gov/scholarships/>

National:

- **Check with your counselor for a list**
Websites like scholarship.com, fastweb, scholarshipjunkies, collegeboard, etc

College or University Scholarships

Each College/University has their own scholarship application process and deadline.

- Visit with college representatives at LHS
- Visit each of these offices on campus & connect with them:
 - Financial aid office
 - Admissions
 - Program of study
 - Student services
 - Representatives of these offices often make scholarship decisions!

Additional Scholarship Tips

- Resume
 - List goals/objectives
 - Have someone who knows you well look over to make sure nothing is missing.
- Apply for scholarships outside your range of interest. Sometimes there are very few applicants.
- Be aware of deadlines.
- Keep a copy and date of scholarships submitted.
- Letters of Recommendation
 - Ask at least two weeks prior to the deadline
 - Different sources
 - Send a thank you

Advanced Opportunities



Sarah Willmore, College and Career Advisor

One on one advising available

Help with FAFSA, scholarships, resume building, Career Assessments, Job applications, college/career events, College Visits and applications, Dual Credit, Military, food pantry, post-secondary and career planning & more!

Advanced Opportunities state program allocates \$4,125 for each student grades 7-12th:

- ❖ Dual credit courses (up to \$75 per credit)
- ❖ Advanced Placement (AP) exams
- ❖ Overload courses (up to \$225) *Anything over your 8 credit load at the HS
- ❖ Workforce Training Courses (up to \$500 per course)
- ❖ Professional Certification exams (CNA) (Pharm Tech)



Dual Credit - \$75/credit when taken at LHS or LCSC. Anything taken at LCSC online/On-campus are responsible for books, lab & course fees.

- Student is responsible for anything above \$4,125.
- Risks - Advanced Opp funding frozen, GPA (Math 147), future financial aid in college

Advanced Opp. Participation form is required to be completed prior to participation in the Advanced Opportunities program!

2023-2024 - Dual Credit

Dept	Course	Section	College Title (LHS Title)	Credits	Teacher	Year/Sem Offered
AC	231	HS2L1	Principles of Accounting I (Advanced Accounting)	3	John Potter	Spring
ACCP	101	HS2L1	Basic Accounting	3	John Potter	Full Year
BUS	101	HS2L1	Introduction to Business (B.Ownership)	3	John Potter	Full Year
ECON	202	HS2L1	Principles of Microeconomics (Micro Econ)	3	William Autrey	Spring
AHLTH	130	HS2L1	Introduction to Allied Health (Health Occupations)	2	Debbie Wassmuth	Fall and Spring
MEDPT	173	HS2L1	Medical Terminology	3	Debbie Wassmuth	Spring
ART	100	HS2L1	Introduction to Art (Advanced Art)	3	Christopher Farnes	Full Year
ENGL	101	HS2L1	Writing and Rhetoric I (AP Lang & Composition)	3	Jamie Bakker	Full Year
ENGL	175	HS2L1	Literature and Ideas (AP Lit & Composition)	3	Jacob Dyer	Full Year
SPAN	202	HS2L1	Intermediate Spanish II (Span 4)	4	Charity Eglad	Full Year
BIOL	100	HS2L1	Concepts of Biology (Honors Biology)	4	Tom Leachman	Full Year
BIOL	175	HS2L1	Human Biology (Anatomy)	4	Tom Leachman	Full Year
CS	108	HS2L1	Introduction to Computer Science	4	Cyrinia Lockart	Full Year
FSCI	101	HS2L1	Introduction to Forensic Science	4	Amy Augenstein	Full Year
GEOL	101	HS2L1	Physical Geology (Geology)	4	Jeff Karlin	Full Year
PHYS	205	HS2L1	Descriptive Astronomy (Astronomy)	4	Jeff Karlin	Full Year
HIST	112	HS2L1	United States History II (AP US History)	3	Scout Larson	Full Year
POLS	101	HS2L1	American National Government (AP US Gov.)	3	Crystal Kirk	Full Year
PSYC	101	HS2L2	Introduction to General Psychology (Psych)	3	Jordan Lockard	Full Year
PSYC	101	HS2L1	Introduction to General Psychology (Psych)	3	Michael Jones	Full Year
MATH	147	HS2L1	College Algebra & Trigonometry (Math 147-Pre-Calc.)	5	Brent Jacobs	Full Year
MATH	153	HS2L1	Statistical Reasoning (Prob & Stats)	3	Brent Jacobs	Full Year
ENGTE	125	HS2L1	3D Cad Modeling (Pre-Engineering 1 - PE1)	3	Terri Varnado	Full Year
AMFTI	290	HS2L1	DS:Automated Manuf. Tech (Pre-Engineering 2 - PE2)	3	Terri Varnado	Full Year
ENGTE	107	HS2L1	Engineering Tech Disciplines (Pre-Engineering 3 - PE3)	3	Terri Varnado	Full Year
AHLTH	139	HS2L1	Nursing Assistant (C.N.A)	3	Debbie Wassmuth	Full Year
AHLTH	190	HS2L1	DS:Allied Health (C.N.A Clinicals)	1	Debbie Wassmuth	Spring

FA23 Dates
Registration:
Sep. 15th 2023

Due to Turn in:
Sep. 22nd 2023

Drop Date:
Nov. 10th 2023

Withdrawal Date:
Jan 5th SL
May 31st YR.
SP24 Dates
Registration:
Feb. 15th 2024

Due to Turn in:
Feb. 23rd 2024

Drop Date:
May 10th 2024

Withdrawal Date:
May 31st 2024

Over 90
College Credits
Offered

Federal Student Aid

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- ❑ REVAMPED FAFSA
- ❑ Used to qualify for *work study, grants, and loans*
- ❑ **Create a FSA ID**, this fall (both student and parents) minimum 1 Week Prior to starting application.
- ❑ Complete as soon as you can after December. Once Application has started you have a 45 day completion requirement. Can use DDX (Direct Data Exchange)
- ❑ www.studentaid.gov (NEVER PAY FOR FAFSA)

Upcoming Opportunities

Scholarship Nights

Students can come and spend time working on scholarships, work on a resume, get your transcripts submitted and more etc.

Evening Opportunity Dates:

December 13th

January 18th

February 7th

5:00 - 8:00pm (Library)

**Watch for Bengal Green
(Scholarship list) in December**

Other Events Planned for
Seniors

College Application Week

Oct. 23-27th

Gov. Class Presentations

Federal Student Aid
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Free Application for Federal
Student Aid (FAFSA) Workshops

NEW FAFSA - Coming in December
- FAFSA, Parents and students can
have support in navigating the new
FAFSA process.

Evening Opportunity Dates:

December 5th

January 10th

February 21st

5:00 - 8:00pm (Library)

College Rep Visit to LHS

Idaho, Washington, Montana Schools

Arizona, Oregon & More Schools

Military

Various Businesses

Stay Updated:

Check Google Classroom Class of 2024

CLASSROOM CODE : tirisw4

Bengal Updates

Remind Messages

Sign up for a slot in Counseling Center

College Fair Night
Oct. 26th

6-8pm
Common's

Career Fair Night
Feb. 28th

6-8pm
DeAtley Center

Counseling Center Overview

<https://www.lewistonschools.net/lhs/counseling-and-career-center/>



JOBSCAPE – a Career Search Tool

Explore Idaho's landscape of opportunity and growth.

JobScape is an easy-to-use tool to help job seekers and students make informed career and educational decisions through access to education, career and labor market information specific to Idaho.

You don't need an account, there's no log-in, just go to:

<https://labor.idaho.gov/JobScape/>

Come to the Idaho Department of Labor if you want help to:

- Find a job
- Connect to Apprenticeships or other on-the-job learning opportunities
- Assist with short term training programs

**Idaho Department of Labor
1158 Idaho Street / Lewiston, ID 83544**

The Military Option



Tips for Parents of High School Students

- Check Powerschool (but not every day)
- Model a healthy lifestyle
 - Sleep, eating, limit technology, exercise
- Limit social media and monitor it
 - Encourage student to put their phone up at night
- Talk about future plans, share your journey
- Communicate with teacher directly with any concerns about a particular class
- Help them problem solve but don't solve their problems for them
- Ask your student to show you Google Classroom and explain how it works
- Encourage resilience and working through challenges-Your kids can do hard things!
- Come to school consistently, check email

Encouragement for Seniors and Parents

- Always stay flexible
 - Plan A and B
 - It's not wrong to change your mind
 - Know your options
 - Be realistic but positive

Best Ways to Stay in the Loop

- Watch the LHS Bulletin on youtube. *LHS Bengals, Bengal Update
- Join the Counseling Center Facebook group
 - Lewiston High School Counseling Center
- Join the Senior Google Classroom
 - Class Code: tirisw4
- Senior Remind Group
 - @ee3329c

Keep yourself and others safe.
Use *SEE TELL NOW* to tell
teachers and other adults about
bullying you see at school.

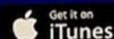
REPORT A TIP

ONLINE
seetellnow.org

CALL
 888-593-2835

SEE TELL NOW!

When you see something, tell someone, now!



Get it on
 iTunes



GET IT ON
 Google play

IN AN EMERGENCY WHEN YOU HEAR IT. DO IT.

LOCKOUT! Get inside. Lock outside doors.

STUDENTS

Return inside
 Business as usual

TEACHER

Bring everyone indoors
 Lock outside doors
 Increase situational awareness
 Business as usual
 Take attendance



LOCKDOWN! Locks, lights, out of sight.

STUDENTS

Move away from sight
 Maintain silence
 Do not open the door

TEACHER

Lock interior doors
 Turn out the lights
 Move away from sight
 Do not open the door
 Maintain silence
 Take attendance



EVACUATE! To the announced location.

STUDENTS

Bring your phone
 Leave your stuff behind
 Follow instructions

TEACHER

Lead evacuation to location
 Take attendance
 Notify if missing, extra or injured students



SHELTER! Hazard and safety strategy.

STUDENTS

Hazard	Safety Strategy
Tornado	Evacuate to shelter area
Hazmat	Seal the room
Earthquake	Drop, cover and hold
Tsunami	Get to high ground

TEACHER

Lead safety strategy
 Take attendance



HOLD! In your classroom. Clear the halls.

STUDENTS

Remain in the classroom until
 the "All Clear" is announced

TEACHER

Close and lock classroom door
 Business as usual
 Take attendance



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