

OCTOBER 2024

# THE GRANDVIEW GAZETTE

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## PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Thank you for joining us in our Homecoming celebrations last week. What a great week! It was great to see so much of our community at all of our events. You supported our Wolves - past, present, and future. Our students showed what it means to be a Wolf at every event, and the school spirit was palpable. We had the opportunity to introduce our 2024 Hall of Fame class to our students, and we will induct all four Wolves later this year to celebrate their accomplishments at Grandview and beyond. You can read more about them in this edition of the *Gazette*.

We are nearing the midway point in the semester, and it is clear our students are learning every day. On October 9th, students will have the opportunity to practice taking standardized tests during College and Career Readiness Day. Please check our website and your email for more information about what each class will be doing that day. October 9th will also be our fall, in-person conferences. Those will be arena-style, held in our gyms and commons from 4:00 - 7:30 that day. These are five-minute conferences and are a great way to meet with your student's teachers and hear about progress and learning in class.

Our students are active and involved. Some of our fall sports are currently wrapping up their seasons, while others are entering playoffs. Our clubs are meeting regularly and planning events. Our performing arts students are practicing every day in preparation for the upcoming musical in November: *The Addams Family*. And our Pep Band just wrapped up a busy and successful season performing in parades throughout the state. There is always something to see or do at Grandview.

With Fall Break only a few weeks away, hopefully students will get some much-needed downtime. They have been working hard. We appreciate all you do to partner with us in your student's education.

At Grandview, we are One Pack! Go Wolves!

Dr. Lisa Roberts  
Principal

# ACTIVITIES

## UPCOMING EVENTS

10/7 Choir Concert 7pm -Chambers, Jazz, T/B and Liberty Middle School

10/8 Choir Concert 7pm GHS Theater -Treble, Camerata, Bella

10/9 Parent/Teacher Conferences 4-7:30pm

10/14-10/18 NO SCHOOL -Fall Break

10/20 We Belong Week

10/23 Cultural Night 4:30-6:30pm

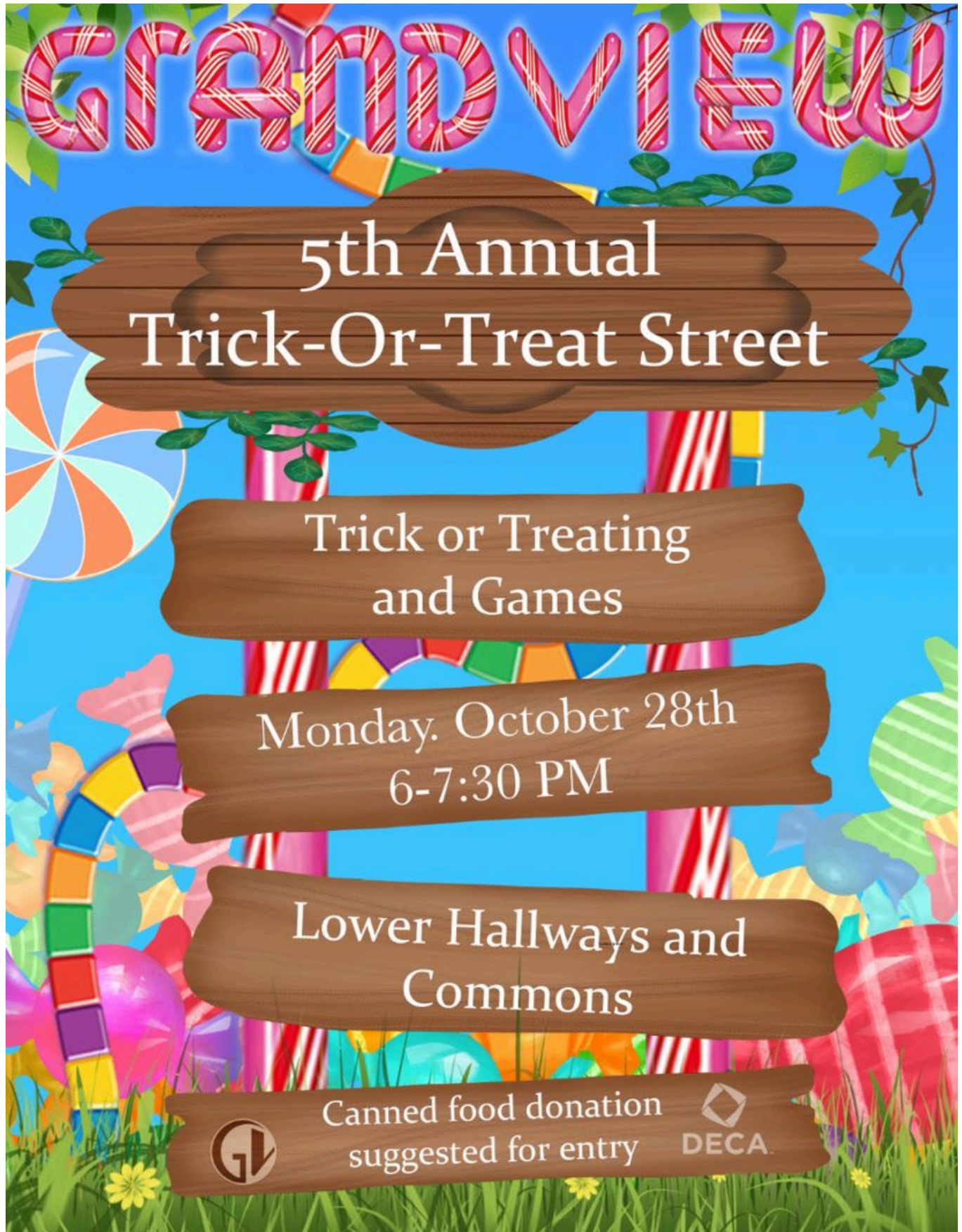
10/24 & 10/25 BRAVO Murder Mystery 7pm

10/28 Sweet Street 6-7:30pm





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Culture Night: 10/23/24

Next month, Grandview will be hosting its annual Culture Night, led by the Student Equity Club. The event celebrates the diverse community that makes up Grandview, and will take place on Wednesday, October 23rd from 4-8 PM, at Grandview. From 4-6:30, join the various heritage-based clubs in Grandview as they have food to sample in the lower commons and invite new members to join and get involved in the Student Equity Club. Afterwards, head to the auditorium to watch multicultural groups from around the state perform LIVE! We invite you to experience this vibrant celebration of unity and diversity with us.



DON'T MISS IT!

# WOLF DEN SCHOOL STORE!

OPEN EVERY  
MONDAY, TUESDAY,  
THURSDAY AND FRIDAY:

7:45 AM - 9:15 AM  
11:45 AM - 12:30 PM  
1:00 PM - 1:45 PM



# ATHLETICS

## Reminders for the Fall Season:

- For all other Fall events for all levels schedules can be found at <https://www.centennialleagueco.org/public/genie/807/school/5/>
- Tickets for games at Legacy Stadium and Stutler Bowl can be purchased online at <https://gofan.co/>
- Student activity passes are good only for home events. Students without an activity pass will need to purchase admission on GoFan.
- Many of our events will be streamed live through GVTV, and the NFHS Network
- Get your athletic gear at [https://sideline.bsnsports.com/schools/colorado/aurora/grandview-high-school?utm\\_source=SidelinePoster&utm\\_medium=pdf&utm\\_campaign=Poster](https://sideline.bsnsports.com/schools/colorado/aurora/grandview-high-school?utm_source=SidelinePoster&utm_medium=pdf&utm_campaign=Poster)
- Visit CHSAANOW for all post season information and current rankings at <https://chsaanow.com/index.aspx>

**Cross Country** (Head Coach Brian Manley, [bmanley@CherryCreekSchools.org](mailto:bmanley@CherryCreekSchools.org)) At the Liberty Bell Meet the Wolves posted 23 new personal best times. Grandview continues to prepare for the League meet on 10/10, Regionals on 10/24 at DeKovend Park, and the State Meet on November 2 at Norris Penrose in Colorado Springs.

**Field Hockey** (Head Coach Alex Smith, [asmith4@cherrycreekschools.org](mailto:asmith4@cherrycreekschools.org)) Field Hockey has about a month left of season! We just celebrated our 6 amazing seniors at our last home game for year! Emma Cary is currently leading our program in goals with 3 and looking to add more as we finish the season on the road!

**Football** (Head Coach Tom Doherty, [tdoherty2@cherrycreekschools.org](mailto:tdoherty2@cherrycreekschools.org)) Grandview opened the season with games against several highly ranked preseason teams. The Wolves dropped their first three games but have bounced back with several wins. Grandview will open League play against Arapahoe and then Smoky Hill. The team looks to get better each week and work towards a League title and a birth in the 5A Football Playoffs.

**Girls' Flag Football** (Head Coach Mark Fisher, [mfisher13@cherrycreekschools.org](mailto:mfisher13@cherrycreekschools.org)) Grandview has won 4 of last 5 games including rivalry wins over CT and Eaglecrest. Also including a big 26-6 win over top 10 ranked Ralston Valley.

Brooke Sullivan – Took over for an injured player game 5 at QB and is currently 16th in the state (all levels) in passing yards. Defensively we are currently second in the state (all levels) in interceptions with 12. Kenzie Dodd is currently 14th in the state (All levels) in rushing yards. Tierra Goodgain currently top 20 in state (all levels) in receiving yards. Ayah Awad (Recent winner of Miss Grandview) is currently 7th in the state in tackles (all levels). Sadie Perry had 3 interceptions including a pick six in the big win over Ralston Valley.

The Wolves have three Games left in the season including home game vs Cherry Creek on Oct 8th that could be for the league title, and congratulations to Coach Fisher for being named the Denver Broncos Coach of the Week!

**Golf-Boys** (Head Coach Kurtis Bailey, [kbailey9@CherryCreekSchools.org](mailto:kbailey9@CherryCreekSchools.org)) Grandview finished in 2nd place at the 5A Western Regional Tournament at Indian Tree Golf Course in Arvada. Individually, senior Michael Rosman finished in 2nd place with a score of +1 over par 71 and freshman Sam Silver finished 13th with a score of +7 over par 77. The Wolves are now headed off to the state tournament on Monday and Tuesday (10/7-8) at Common Ground Golf Course in Denver.

**Gymnastics** (Co-op with Overland and Cherry Creek HS) For upcoming events please contact Grandview High School Athletics Office.



# ATHLETICS

**Boys' Soccer** (Head Coach Brian Wood, [bwood@cherrycreekschools.org](mailto:bwood@cherrycreekschools.org)). Grandview is currently 5-3-2, with a 2-0 record in league play. The Wolves look to make the 5A Playoff Bracket. The Wolves will finish up the season with league games against, Cherokee Trail, Mullen, Arapahoe, Cherry Creek and Smoky Hill.

**Softball** (Head Coach Liz Carter, [ccarter40@cherrycreekschools.org](mailto:ccarter40@cherrycreekschools.org)) Grandview Softball has experienced tremendous growth as a program on both the Varsity and JV levels. At JV, the focus has been on learning the game, how to compete, and preparing for the next level. The Varsity team has had a very successful season so far. Currently ranked 7th in 5A, the Wolves are 15-5 overall and 5-1 in the Centennial League. Highlights of the season have included wins against top 5 teams of Fruita Monument (then-ranked #5) 5-0 for the first shutout of the season. Defeating #5 (4A) Holy Family 5-1 and falling just short of Columbine (ranked #1 at the time) in 10 innings. The Wolves are focused on winning the Centennial League Championship and making a run, in regionals and state.

The Wolves have had many players contribute to their success so far. Leading the way are senior pitchers Kamaya Soniea-Harris and Leah Graves. Soniea-Harris, who has posted an excellent 2.67 ERA, leads the team with 9 wins and 74 strikeouts. Graves has a 1.75 ERA and 51 strikeouts. Offensively, Grandview has been led by Jr. Sasha Kennedy, who is hitting .542 and is leading the state with 35 stolen bases. Sr. Brooklyn Heil is hitting .426 with 4 HR and 22 RBI. She is tied in RBI with Sr. Maddie Heinrich, who is hitting .313 this season with 7 doubles. Jr. Maddie Donaldson has also been productive for the Wolves, hitting .364 with 4 HR and 20 RBI. After going down with an injury, Sr. Macy Hemstreet has been able to recover, jump back into the lineup, and is hitting .340 with 7 doubles.

**Tennis** (Head Coach Jeff Ryan, [jryan10@cherrycreekschools.org](mailto:jryan10@cherrycreekschools.org)) The Grandview Boys Tennis team is wrapping up their best season in school history! They finished 2nd in the Centennial League and will get to host the regional tournament for the first time in program history. The program is spear-headed by singles players Justin Son, Kaahan (undefeated) and Krish Wani and our 1 Doubles team of Senior and Co-Captain Blake Hardin and Junior Carter Benton. Also leading the way is our other Senior Co-Captain Atharv Peroor. Grandview will be a host team on Wednesday October 2 for the CHSAA Dual Team Tennis Tournament and the regional tournament starts October 9.

**Volleyball** (Head Coach Rob Graham, [rgraham8@cherrycreekschools.org](mailto:rgraham8@cherrycreekschools.org)) Grandview Volleyball is coming off a three-match win streak, with a big homecoming win over Arapahoe. Savannah Adams and Sajal Glunz are the team's statistical leaders

**Cheers** (Head Coach Christina Maccarrone, [christinamaccarrone@gmail.com](mailto:christinamaccarrone@gmail.com)) Competition for our Cheers is around the corner. Come see the perform at each football and Volleyball game.

**Poms** (Head Coach Mason van Engen, [mvanengen@cherrycreekschools.org](mailto:mvanengen@cherrycreekschools.org)) Grandview Poms continue to prepare for their competition season. Come see them perform at each home football and volleyball game.

# ATHLETICS

## **ATHLETIC REGISTRATION:**

Athletic Registration is currently open for all Winter sports.

All athletes must complete the athletic registration process and be cleared through the Athletic Department before participating in the CHSAA season.

Winter athletic registration is currently open. The deadline to ensure participation on the first day is November 11. All Winter participants must be cleared through the Athletics Office before they can participate.

Directions for Athletic Registration:

If NEW to Grandview (ALL FRESHMEN) please follow these steps:

Go to Grandview High School home page, click on Athletics, then Athletic registration you should be at this link <http://grandviewhs.rschooteams.com>

Athletic Registration at the top

Click on the Wolf Head

Scroll down to Create Family Account

It will ask you for your student's Last Name exactly how it is in Powerschool (if your student is a Jr or the III this will need to be added, or the system will not accept the last name) and Student ID

Next will ask for an email and password. The system will send an email notification to activate your account.

Once activated you will then go back and log in with your credentials.

The registration will take about 10 minutes

If you have a physical for your child, please upload this in the proper section. PHYSICALS MUST BE TURNED IN OR UPLOADED PRIOR TO PARTICIPATING

The last step is to pay \$90 you may choose to Pay Later

Click Submit and this will link your student to your family account

If returning from last year or participated in any previous sport this year, you will still need to re-register your student for 2023-2024 school year.

Go to Grandview High School home page, click on Athletics, then Athletic registration you should be at this link <http://grandviewhs.rschooteams.com>

Athletic Registration at the top

Click on the Wolf Head

Scroll down to Family Account Login Use your username and password that you used last year.

Once you are in your account click on the blue Register and then your student's name

This will prompt you to start the registration process for the new school year.

At the physical section please add a new physical.

The last step is to pay \$90 you may choose to Pay Later

Click Submit

## **Girls Basketball 2024-25 Season**

Please fill out the information when you scan the QR Code so we can update you about information for the upcoming season!



**Open Gym Dates for this Fall are on the back of this paper-**  
All Players are welcome to attend!!

We will have a mandatory parent/player meeting on Monday 10/21 for the parents of all girls who are planning to play girls basketball this upcoming season.

Important information about the season will be given out during this meeting. Tryouts, Schedules, Fundraisers, etc. Please plan to attend this meeting!!!

**Important Meeting: Monday October 21st @ 7:30pm**  
**in the Lecture Center!**



# **Grandview High School**

## **Boys & Girls Basketball Feeder**

### **Team Tryouts**

We are currently starting to put together feeder teams for 5<sup>th</sup>, 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> grade teams. If your son or daughter would be interested in playing on a Gold Crown basketball team, please come to at least one of the tryout dates below.

The Gold Crown season takes place in January and February. Games are usually played on Sundays, with 2 nights a week practice throughout the duration of the season.

If you are interested in playing on the Grandview Feeder Team, please scan the QR code to share your contact information.



If you have any questions you can contact Josh Ulitzy(Grandview Girls Coach) [julitzky@cherrycreekschools.org](mailto:julitzky@cherrycreekschools.org) or Ryan Turk (Grandview Boys Coach) [rturk@cherrycreekschools.org](mailto:rturk@cherrycreekschools.org)

**Feeder Team Tryout Dates** - Please attend at least one session, you are encouraged to attend both.

Thursday October 24th 7-8:30pm @ Liberty Middle School

Saturday October 26th 3-5pm @ Grandview High School

# DEANS' CORNER AND SCHOOL SAFETY

## DEANS' OFFICE ROOM U106:

720.886.6820  
GRAYCEE CARLTON -  
ASSISTANT

ANNA BERGERON A-E  
DESMOND DAVIS L-R

## DEANS' OFFICE ROOM L410:

720.886.6523  
MARY COVINGTON -ASSISTANT

ROBB STEVEN F-K  
OLIVER THORNTON S-Z

## DEANS' CORNER

Please excuse absences within 48 hours of absence and utilize the attendance line numbers. Excused absence means the student should be out of the building and off campus. Thank you for your support.

Grandview High School is a closed campus during the school day for all 9th graders, meaning 9th graders are not permitted to leave campus at any time. It is strongly encouraged (but not required) 10th graders remain on campus during regular school hours, including during lunch. To enhance the learning environment, no food will be allowed in the academic hallways. Additional students will not be permitted in the academic hallways during lunch hours without a pass from their teacher.

## SCHOOL SAFETY

### ATTENDANCE LINE

A-L 720.886.6801  
M-Z 720.886.6802

### EVACUATION/FIRE DRILL

The school is evacuated due to a safety concern inside of the building.

### SECURE PERIMETER

All exterior doors are locked in response to a concern of a threat outside of the building. Business is conducted as usual inside of the building.

### LOCKDOWN

Students and staff take immediate shelter in response to a concern of a threat inside of the building.

### SHELTER-IN-PLACE (SEVERE WEATHER)

Students and staff move to "tornado safe" areas on campus, which typically means on the first floor away from windows and doors.

Grandview High School is committed to providing a learning environment where students, staff and community members feel safe. This includes attention to both physical and psychological school safety. Each year, we revise our Readiness and Emergency Management for Schools (REMS) Template, which outlines important safety procedures we follow. This includes items such as our drill schedules and plans for preparation and response to potential school emergencies. On a regular basis we conduct Fire, Secure Perimeter, and Lockdown drills, and we continuously revisit and revise all safety procedures. All of our procedures are designed in accordance with recommendations of best practice made from both external agencies and the Cherry Creek School District. By establishing such proactive measure, and continually reflecting upon and adjusting our plans as needed, Grandview High School strives to promote and maintain a safe learning environment. For any questions related to a school safety at Grandview High School, please contact Jenna Schlehuber, Instructional Support Administrator. 720.886.6840



# TESTING INFORMATION

## AP EXAM REGISTRATION 2025

**Exam Payment Available:  
August 19 – November 8, 2024**

**\$100/exam**

- 1. Registration:** Use the join code from your teacher to connect to your specific class section. This will automatically register you for the exam.
- 2. Exam Payment:** Students can pay for exam(s), August 19<sup>th</sup> - November 8<sup>th</sup>.

a. **Preferred method of payment** - Credit card payment online through the GHS website (under Payments → High Schools → Grandview → AP Exams)

→ Payment deadline is **Friday, November 8, 2024.**

### **AP Exams Dates**

May 5<sup>th</sup> - May 16<sup>th</sup>, 2025.

### **Late AP Exams**

May 19<sup>th</sup> – 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2025.

***\*Please contact Mrs. Brunelli or Mrs. Carroll in L104  
([vbrunelli@cherrycreekschools.org](mailto:vbrunelli@cherrycreekschools.org) or 720-886-6591) with  
questions regarding registration or payment.***

*Financial assistance available, please stop by L104*

# TESTING INFORMATION

## FALL 2024 Test Information

### **October 9<sup>th</sup> - College and Career Readiness Day (CCRD)**

Wednesday, October 9th is College and Career Readiness Day. This is a half-day for all students and a test day only; no regular classes will be held. Test dismissal is at 11:45 am. Lunch will be available in the cafeteria at the end of testing. Buses will depart GHS at 12:15 pm. Please see specific grade level information below:

#### 9th Grade

- All freshmen will take a PSAT9 (Practice Scholastic Aptitude Test for 9th graders) in Bluebook with their Advisory class.

#### 10th Grade

- All Sophomores will take a PSAT10 (Practice Scholastic Aptitude Test for 10<sup>th</sup> graders) in Bluebook with their Advisory class.
- Sophomores who have registered and paid in advance to take the practice NMSQT (National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test) will also test this day.

#### 11th Grade

- Juniors will take a PSAT (Practice Scholastic Aptitude Test) in Bluebook with their Advisory Class.
- Juniors who have registered in advance to take the NMSQT (National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test) will also test. Please bring your school ID. Students may bring their own College Board approved calculator and a computer mouse to use while testing.

#### 12th Grade

- Seniors have the option to attend school for help with college essays and college applications, located in the Library. Interested students should sign up with their counselors through Schoology.
  - Seniors who have registered for the ASVAB (Armed Services Vocational Aptitude Battery) will test at the district Instructional Support Facility (ISF). Students should see their counselor if interested.
  - Seniors may be contacted to attend on this date to complete graduation requirements.
- All students are encouraged to utilize Khan Academy throughout the school year to access test prep materials.

#### Additional Important College Board Testing Information:

- **Students must bring their school issued computers and chargers to school on October 9th. Students should ensure that their computers are fully charged before testing.** Students who arrive at school without their computers cannot test.
- **Please ensure that your student's computer and the Bluebook testing app are updated before arriving at school on all test days. See attachment for instructions on updating computers.**
- All students should have developed College Board account, which is needed to take the NMSQT test or practice SAT and PSAT tests. **Please practice logging into College Board with your student using their College Board user name and password, before arriving on October 9<sup>th</sup>.** The school is not able to access this information for students. Please have your student share this information with you, so it is readily available for all testing during their high school career. **If there are issues with your student's College Board account, please contact College Board directly at 866-315-6068.**

**Grandview High School values testing as a measure of student progress and as an opportunity to show their learning. Your help in supporting testing is much appreciated.**



# TESTING INFORMATION

## NMSQT INFORMATION for Juniors

The Preliminary SAT/National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test (PSAT/NMSQT) is an *optional* standardized assessment for Juniors that is co-sponsored by the College Board and National Merit Scholarship Corporation (NMSC). It is the only qualifying test for the National Merit® Scholarship Program, an academic competition for recognition and scholarships conducted by National Merit Scholarship Corporation (NMSC). For more information, visit [www.nationalmerit.org](http://www.nationalmerit.org).

Juniors can register for the PSAT/NMSQT by paying a \$25 fee through the Grandview student fees tile in ~~Revttrak~~ *Revttrak*. Sophomores may also register for the test, but it is *only considered a practice exam and is not a qualifying test for Sophomores*. Sophomores interested in an optional practice opportunity should contact their counselor for guidance on taking the exam.

The PSAT/NMSQT exam will be administered at Grandview on Wednesday, October 9, 2024. The exam will be in a digital format, and students *must use their school issued computer to test*. **Students interested in this assessment must register/pay by Wednesday, September 25, 2024.**

## SPRING 2025 Test Information

- **APRIL 16, 2025:**
  - **PSAT10 – 10th grade**
  - **SAT – 11th grade**
- **APRIL 17, 2025:**
  - **PSAT9 – 9th grade**
  - **CMAS – 11th grade**

The above tests are all FREE exams for students, and students are automatically registered for the test.

- There will be no regular classes on April 16<sup>th</sup> or 17<sup>th</sup>.
- School will be open for breakfast from 7:45 am – 8:15 am.
- Buses will run on a normal schedule in the morning and will depart GHS at 12:15 pm. Lunch will be available for students prior to bus departure.
- Seniors will not attend on either test day. It's recommended that seniors use this time to prepare for AP tests or final exams.

Please check your student's Seminar Schoology page for information on free test prep, developed by GHS teachers.

**Parents who wish to opt their child out of a PSAT9, PSAT10, SAT, or CMAS test** may do so by logging in to your [my.cherrycreekschools.org](http://my.cherrycreekschools.org) parent portal account and selecting parent exemption from state assessment form.

Please contact Assistant Principal, Anne Koch, at 720-886-6632 with College Board test questions.

## MAY 5-16, 2025:

- **AP Exams** – for any student who has already signed up for a test(s)

Please contact Assistant Principal, Kellie Carrol, at 720-886-6591 with AP test questions.

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

## ARE YOU READY FOR OCT. 9 TESTING?



Start Here

DO YOU HAVE A  
DISTRICT COMPUTER?

Yes

No

Go to the  
Tech Help  
Desk to get  
one.

Do you see the Bluebook  
app on your desktop?

Yes

No

Run Updates, Restart  
and wait 5 minutes.  
Do you see the  
Bluebook app now?

Open the  
Bluebook App.  
Can you  
log in to your  
College Board  
account?

Yes

No

Have you ever created a  
College Board account?

Yes

No

To create a College  
Board account, go to  
[bit.ly/CreateCBAccount](https://bit.ly/CreateCBAccount)  
Can you log in now?



No

Yes

Yay! You are ready!

If you're still having trouble, call  
College Board customer service at  
866-315-6068. Is it working now?

No

Try resetting your  
password again,  
asking your teacher  
for help. Can you log  
in now?

Yes

No

Click Forgot Password to  
reset it.  
Can you log in now?

Yes



# Open House

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 3RD  
6-8 PM





# ANNOUNCEMENTS



Career and Technical Education (CTE) is a pathway in education that provides students with the skills, knowledge and experience they need to prepare for a variety of careers.

GRANDVIEW OFFERS MULTIPLE CTE CLASSES AND CLUBS FOR STUDENTS IN ALL GRADE LEVELS

Contact Ann Lujan  
([alujan2@cherrycreekschools.org](mailto:alujan2@cherrycreekschools.org))  
to learn more and to get involved



## DAILY NEWS

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DECA is off to a fantastic start! So far we have elected 11 wonderful new Officers, registered nearly 70 members, participated in several Homecoming events, and we've started to prepare for our first competitions! We're looking forward to two upcoming invitational conferences. The Buffalo Stampede is coming up on October 5th at Smoky Hill for our first year DECA members only and the second is called the Old Town Throw Down located in Fort Collins on October 7th and 8th! We're also preparing for our 5th Annual Sweet Street Event on October 28th from 6-7:30pm. Go Wolves!



FBLA starts registration this month! Students interested in joining FBLA should attend our meeting on Wednesday, October 2nd. Meeting is either 7:30am or 3:30pm. Follow us on Instagram @grandview.fbla

**FBLA has opened our NEW SCHOOL STORE - WOLF DEN!**

Come visit us at our new location - next to the library  
Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday  
7:45am - 9:15am  
11:45am - 12:30pm and 1:00 pm - 1:45pm



Grandview Student Publications (The Grandview Chronicle, The View Yearbook and GVTV) went to CU Boulder on October 1st to take part in CSMA's J-Day. J-Day is an annual conference held for middle and high school Journalism students and advisers to help further development in the field of journalism, to be exposed to professional journalists and journalism professors, to tour CU's campus, and to bond with and within Grandview's publications.

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

Dear Grandview Families,

October is National Substance Abuse Prevention Month where we highlight the importance of substance abuse prevention educational programming, especially for young people. Studies show that 9 out of 10 people who become addicted to drugs and alcohol began before the age of 18. However, studies also show that early prevention education can dramatically decrease risk and help our young make healthy choices to reach their full potential!

Grandview participates in the CCSD/CDE funded School Health Professional Grant (SHPG) Program that funds a dedicated licensed clinical social worker/addictions counselor to offer a range of services, from classroom drug prevention lessons to small group/1:1 counseling. This staff assists the Dean's Office in implementation of the CCSD Suspension Reduction program, which allows a reduction of out-of-school suspension days for a drug and/or alcohol violation if the student agrees to meet with the substance abuse counselor for education/intervention services.

Finally (and most importantly!), we know family plays the MOST important role in prevention for youth! Below are some resources and tips to help you initiate and facilitate these important conversations. We have also included resources to get youth connected with substance abuse counseling if they are struggling. For more information, please contact Grandview's School Health Professional Annie Walters, LCSW, LAC at [awalters@cherrycreekschools.org](mailto:awalters@cherrycreekschools.org) or 720-886-6761.

Thank you for your continued partnership in keeping our school community healthy!

## Prevention Resources

- [12 Things Parents Can Do to Prevent Addiction](#)
- [Drug Prevention Tips for Every Age](#)
- [Answering Your Child's Tough Questions](#)
- [Is Teen Substance Use Normal?](#)
- [Talk. They Hear You](#)
- [Emoji Drug Code: Decoded](#)

## Substance Abuse Counseling & Mental Health Resources


- [Denver Health Substance Abuse Treatment, Education and Prevention \(STEP\) Program](#)
- [My Life, My Quit](#)
- [I Matter](#)
- [Adolescent Residential Treatment Centers in Colorado](#)
- [Psychology Today Addictions Counseling Therapy Directory](#) - you can use the filters to find a therapist that fits your student's needs (insurance, type of therapy, virtual appointments, etc.)
- Grandview also has two free mental health therapy options on campus, including [Hazel Health](#) and [All Health Network](#). To be referred to these options, please reach out to your student's [School Counselor](#) or Mental [Health Team Member](#).



# MENTAL HEALTH & ACADEMIC RESOURCES

## 2024-2025 Mental Health Coverage

|   |   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| <p><b>Lisa Wiltsee</b></p>   | <p><b>Janet Gagnon</b></p>   | <p><b>Alix McGlothlin</b></p>    | <p><b>Amber Newcomb</b><br/>Department Chair</p>    | <p><b>Annie Walters</b></p>                      |
| <p><b>A-E</b><br/>Dean: Anna Bergeron</p> <p><b>Counselors:</b><br/>Cady Hobbs<br/>Luke Leopold<br/>Mike McCorry</p> <p><b>SAS Case Managers</b><br/>Kiley Czerwinski<br/>Kara Davisson<br/>Trevor McKenzie<br/>Heather Rhiannon<br/>Jordan Schlehuber<br/>Andrew Tolbert<br/>Ellen Willett</p> <p>L402M<br/>X66512<br/>email: lwiltsee</p> | <p><b>F-K</b><br/>Dean: Robb Steven</p> <p><b>Counselors:</b><br/>Mike McCorry<br/>Mark Fisher</p> <p><b>SAS Case Managers</b><br/>Colleen Burns<br/>Jennifer Hasty<br/>Paisley Hemminger<br/>Eric Olguin<br/>Sophia Prada</p> <p>L402P<br/>X66626<br/>email: jgagnon</p> | <p><b>L-R</b><br/>Dean: Des Davis</p> <p><b>Counselors:</b><br/>Mark Fisher<br/>Jill Horan<br/>Brooke Tepe<br/>Becca Burr (GT A-L)</p> <p><b>SAS Case Managers</b><br/>Michelle Botte (DHH)<br/>Nicci Fisher<br/>Mackenzie Gaines<br/>Lisa Hall<br/>Stef Jones<br/>Stacie Saladian</p> <p>L402N<br/>X66630<br/>email: amcglothlin</p> | <p><b>S-Z</b><br/>Dean: Oliver Thornton</p> <p><b>Counselors:</b><br/>Brooke Tepe<br/>Noah Harris<br/>Carrie Phillips (GT M-Z)</p> <p><b>SAS Case Managers</b><br/>Heather Doiel<br/>Reggie Norman<br/>GT/SPED</p> <p>L402L<br/>X66620<br/>email: anewcomb3</p> | <p><b>Substance Abuse Prevention Specialist</b></p> <p>All Deans<br/>All Counselors</p> <p>L402I<br/>X66761<br/>email: awalters</p> |

| <br><b>Academic Resources</b><br>2024 - 2025 |   |       |                                      |
|--|---|-------|--------------------------------------|
| Where Can I Go for Help?   |   |       |                                      |
| WHO  | WHAT  | WHERE | WHEN                                 |
| English and Social Studies   | GROWL - Grandview's Reading, Organizing and Writing Lab | U207  | M-F: 1st 45 minutes of every period  |
| Math and Science   | MTC - Math (and Science) Tutoring Center                | L204  | M-Th: 2nd 45 minutes of every period |
| Where Can I Go to Retake a Test?   |   |       |                                      |
| English, World Language and Social Studies   | Testing Center  | U206  | M-F: 7:15-4:30                       |
| Math and Science   | Testing Center  | L205  | M-F: 7:30-4:40                       |
| Where Can I Go to Get Work Done?   |   |       |                                      |
| Library  | Work space, research and check out books                | U401  | M-Th: 7:30-4:30<br>Fri: 7:30-3:30    |
| Student Success Center (SSC)   | Quiet work space during off periods                     | U308  | M-F: 8:20-3:30                       |

# GRANDVIEW HIGH SCHOOL 2024 - 2025



| AUGUST 2024 |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|-------------|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| S           | M  | T  | W  | T  | F  | S  |
|             |    |    |    | 1  | 2  | 3  |
| 4           | T  | T  | T  | T  | T  | 10 |
| 11          | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 |
| 18          | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 |
| 25          | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 |

| SEPTEMBER 2024 |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----------------|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| S              | M  | T  | W  | T  | F  | S  |
| 1              | X  | 3  | 4  | 5  | 6  | 7  |
| 8              | 9  | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 |
| 15             | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 |
| 22             | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 |
| 29             | 30 |    |    |    |    |    |

| OCTOBER 2024 |    |    |            |    |    |    |
|--------------|----|----|------------|----|----|----|
| S            | M  | T  | W          | T  | F  | S  |
|              |    | 1  | 2          | 3  | 4  | 5  |
| 6            | 7  | 8  | CCR<br>PTC | 10 | 11 | 12 |
| 13           | X  | X  | X          | X  | X  | 19 |
| 20           | 21 | 22 | 23         | 24 | 25 | 26 |
| 27           | 28 | 29 | 30         | 31 |    |    |

| NOVEMBER 2024 |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|---------------|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| S             | M  | T  | W  | T  | F  | S  |
|               |    |    |    |    | 1  | 2  |
| 3             | 4  | 5  | 6  | 7  | 8  | 9  |
| 10            | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 |
| 17            | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 |
| 24            | 25 | 26 | ●  | X  | X  | 30 |

| DECEMBER 2024 |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|---------------|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| S             | M  | T  | W  | T  | F  | S  |
| 1             | 2  | 3  | 4  | 5  | 6  | 7  |
| 8             | 9  | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 |
| 15            | 16 | F  | F  | F  | ◆  | 21 |
| 22            | X  | X  | X  | X  | X  | 28 |
| 29            | X  | X  |    |    |    |    |

Sem.1 Finals: 12/17-1A/2A/3A 12/18-4A/1B 12/19-2B/3B/4B

| Daily Schedule<br>(Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday) |               |
|---|---------------|
| Period 1A/1B  | 8:20 – 9:53   |
| Period 2A/2B  | 10:00 – 11:33 |
| Period 3A/3B  | 11:40 – 1:50  |
| 1st Lunch   | 11:40 – 12:17 |
| 2nd Lunch   | 1:13 – 1:50   |
| Period 4A/4B  | 1:57 – 3:30   |

| Lunch Rotation (3A/3B) |  |
|------------------------|--|
| 1st Lunch              | Business, English, FACS, Math,<br>Performing Arts, SSC, Technology,<br>Visual Arts |
| 2nd Lunch              | AVID, ILC, PE/Health, Science,<br>Social Studies, World Languages                  |

| Advisory Day Schedule<br>(Wednesday) |               |
|--------------------------------------|---------------|
| Period 1A/1B                         | 8:20 – 9:41   |
| ADVISORY                             | 9:48 – 10:28  |
| Period 2A/2B                         | 10:35 – 11:56 |
| Period 3A/3B                         | 12:03 – 2:02  |
| 1st Lunch                            | 12:03 – 12:41 |
| 2nd Lunch                            | 1:24 – 2:02   |
| Period 4A/4B                         | 2:09 – 3:30   |

|      |   |
|------|---|
| X    | No School                               |
| T    | Teacher Work Day (No School)            |
| [ ]  | First/Last day of semester              |
| ●    | Non-Contact Day (No School)             |
| ■    | A-Day Classes, 1A - 4A                  |
| ■    | B-Day Classes, 1B - 4B                  |
| 12   | Phase-In Day, 9th grade only (full day) |
| 13   | Phase-In Day, ALL students (half day)   |
| 👤    | Back-to-School Night, 8/13              |
| F    | Final Exams                             |
| ◆    | Final Exam Make-Up (by appt. only)      |
| GRAD | Graduation, Class of 2025               |

| JANUARY 2025 |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|--------------|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| S            | M  | T  | W  | T  | F  | S  |
|              |    |    | X  | X  | X  | 4  |
| 5            | ●  | 7  | 8  | 9  | 10 | 11 |
| 12           | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 |
| 19           | X  | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 |
| 26           | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 |    |

| FEBRUARY 2025 |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|---------------|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| S             | M  | T  | W  | T  | F  | S  |
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| 2             | 3  | 4  | 5  | 6  | 7  | 8  |
| 9             | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 |
| 16            | X  | ●  | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 |
| 23            | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 |    |

| MARCH 2025 |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|------------|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| S          | M  | T  | W  | T  | F  | S  |
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| 2          | 3  | 4  | 5  | 6  | 7  | 8  |
| 9          | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 |
| 16         | X  | X  | X  | X  | X  | 22 |
| 23         | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 |
| 30         | 31 |    |    |    |    |    |

| APRIL 2025 |    |    |               |                |    |    |
|------------|----|----|---------------|----------------|----|----|
| S          | M  | T  | W             | T              | F  | S  |
|            |    | 1  | 2             | 3              | 4  | 5  |
| 6          | 7  | 8  | 9             | 10             | 11 | 12 |
| 13         | 14 | 15 | SAT<br>PSAT19 | CMAS<br>PSAT19 | 18 | 19 |
| 20         | 21 | 22 | 23            | 24             | 25 | 26 |
| 27         | 28 | 29 | 30            |                |    |    |

| MAY 2025 |    |    |    |      |    |    |
|----------|----|----|----|------|----|----|
| S        | M  | T  | W  | T    | F  | S  |
|          |    |    |    | 1    | 2  | 3  |
| AP★      | 5  | 6  | 7  | 8    | 9  | 10 |
| AP★      | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15   | 16 | 17 |
| 18       | F  | F  | F  | GRAD | ◆  | 24 |
| 25       | X  | 27 | 28 | 29   | 30 | 31 |

Sem.2 Finals: 5/19-4B/3B/2B 5/20-1B/4A/3A 5/21-2A/1A

CCR PTC 10/9: College & Career Readiness Day (Grades 9-12), Parent-Teacher Conferences

SAT PSAT19 4/16: SAT(11), PSAT(10)

CMAS PSAT19 4/17: CMAS (11), PSAT (9)

AP AP Testing, Week of 5/5 & 5/12

\*as of 5/9/24





# Senior Events Calendar



## Important Dates for the Class of 2025

Times and dates are subject to change at any time.

|                      |              |  |   |
|----------------------|--------------|--|---|
| Aug. 28              | Wed.         | During Advisory<br>9:50-11:10 AM   | <b>Mandatory</b> Senior Class Graduation Meeting & Panoramic Class Photo ( <i>No hats are allowed in the class picture</i> )  |
| Sept. 5 & 6          | Thurs./Fri.  | 3 <sup>rd</sup> Block  | Jostens Graduation Cap & Gown packet turn-in  |
| Oct. 24              | Thurs.       | End of Day   | Senior Baby Ads are Due (No Submissions after 11/7)   |
| Oct. 31              | Thurs.       | End of Day   | Senior Photo due to Yearbook Staff  |
| Feb. 3               | Mon.         | End of Day   | Senior Graduation Information Letter (Sent to Email)  |
| Mar.                 | TBD          | 3 <sup>rd</sup> Block  | Graduation Announcement Distribution  |
| Mar. 26              | Wed.         | 3:45 PM  | Graduation Auditions-Auditorium   |
| <b>Mar. 31 (A-K)</b> | <b>Mon.</b>  | <b>6:00 PM</b>   | <b>Mandatory Senior &amp; Parent Graduation Meeting</b>   |
| <b>Mar. 31 (L-Z)</b> | <b>Mon.</b>  | <b>7:15 PM</b>   | <b>Mandatory Senior &amp; Parent Graduation Meeting</b>   |
| Apr. 5               | Sat.         | 8:00-11:00 PM  | Prom -Empower Field at Mile High  |
| Apr. 5-6             | Sat.-Sun.    | 11:30-1:30 PM  | After Prom at GHS ( <b>this is to be determined</b> )   |
| Apr. 24 & 25         | Thurs./Fri.  | 10:00-2:00 PM  | Individual cap & gown portraits<br>Upper Commons- <b>No appointment required</b>  |
| May 1                | Thurs.       | 9:00-1:00 PM   | Senior Day in Post Grad Center  |
| May 5-9              | Mon.-Fri.    | TBD  | Yearbook Distribution -Lower Commons  |
| May 7-8              | Wed./Thurs.  |  | Senior Finals   |
| May 9                | Fri.         |  | Senior Finals Make-Up (No regular classes for Seniors)  |
| May 5-9              | Senior Week  | All Week   | Senior Events and Dress up days (Info will be sent to Email)  |
| <b>May 13</b>        | <b>Tues.</b> | <b>8:00 AM</b><br><b>8:30 AM</b><br><b>9:00 AM</b><br><b>9:30 AM</b><br><b>10:00 AM</b><br><b>10:30 AM</b> | <b>Mandatory Senior Checkout A, H, N, W</b><br><b>Mandatory Senior Checkout E, M, Y, Z</b><br><b>Mandatory Senior Checkout B, K, R, T</b><br><b>Mandatory Senior Checkout C, F, L, O, S</b><br><b>Mandatory Senior Checkout I, J, P, V</b><br><b>Mandatory Senior Checkout D, G, Q, U</b> |
| May 19               | Mon.         | 12-12:45 PM<br>12:45 PM<br><b>1:30 PM</b>  | Catered Senior Lunch-Cafeteria<br>Senior Skit, Superlatives & Senior Slide Show-AUD<br><b>Mandatory Graduation Rehearsal-Main Gym</b><br>Cap & Gown Distribution following rehearsal-Main Gym   |
| May 22               | Thurs.       | 4:00 PM  | Commencement Ceremony DU -Ritchie Center<br>Graduates arrive at 2:30 AM, Doors open at 3:00 PM  |

In order for your student to walk at graduation, you and your graduate must attend the Mandatory Senior & Parent Graduation Meeting. Please be sure to mark your calendar!

In order for your student to walk at graduation, they must attend the Mandatory Graduation Rehearsal. Please be sure to mark your calendar!

Schedule as of September 24, 2024. Times and dates are subject to change at any time.