

FLATHEAD HIGH SCHOOL

2023-24

Back-to-School Information

Brave Welcome Event: August 23

Last Names A-G: 10:00-11:30 Last Names H-O: 12:00-1:30 Last Names P-Z: 1:30-3:00

Please note, if you can't come during your assigned time, you are welcome to attend at a different time. We spread students out throughout the day to alleviate congestion.

Come and check out classrooms, lockers, pay fees, purchase PE uniforms, obtain parking permits, and purchase Brave Gear on August 23 during our Brave Welcome Event.

Freshmen and new students should allow an hour to complete all steps. We will have copies of 9th grade schedules; schedules are also available on Power School starting on August 21.

Schedules & Power School Log In

Link to KPS Power School Page

Each year, student passwords reset. Here's how to log in:

Student ID Number, First and Last Initials, and Special Character for Grade Level.

As an example:

Student Name: John Smith Student Number: 123456

Grade: 9

Example Password: 123456JS(

Special Characters

Grade 9: (

Grade 10:!)

Grade 11: !!

Grade 12: !@

Senior Sunrise/Locker Selection

A senior tradition at FHS, the Class of 2024 can pick their own lockers in Senior Hall on August 24. Line up outside the east Commons doors. We will open the doors at 7:00 AM on August 24.

School Supplies

For the first days of school, a notebook and pens/pencils are sufficient. Class syllabi will contain additional information on specific supplies for each course.







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Athletics

Information for fall athletics can be found on the <u>FHS</u> <u>Activities website</u>. A sports physical after May 1, 2023 is required. Practices start on August 10 (golf), August 11 (cheer, volleyball, soccer, cross country, football), and August 14 (girls flag football).

Additional Back-to-School Information

Communication to Families

Informational and emergency communication occurs via Constant Contact and Bright Arrow phone and messaging systems. We send emails, texts, and voice messages throughout the year. Be sure to check your promotions, junk mail, and spam folders if you are not receiving emails.

Freshman Day

The first day of school for 9th graders is Wednesday, August 30. This day is designed to help ease the transition from 8th grade and is full of activities to help Freshmen become acquainted with FHS. All buses run on the regular time schedule. Classes at the Ag Center meet in the Commons on Freshman Day.

School Photos & ID Cards

School pictures for grades 9, 10, and 11 are September 11 & 12. All students must be photographed for School ID purposes and to be included in the yearbook.

Senior portraits are due November 21. See the <u>FHS</u> Student-Parent Handbook for more details.

Parking Permits

All students parking on school property during school hours are required to display a parking permit. The first permit is issued free of charge at the FHS main office. Students must bring in a current vehicle registration. Permits are valid from year to year. Each additional permit is \$5. FHS parking permits are not valid on city streets. City of Kalispell parking permits can be obtained through the SRO.



Lunch Account

Students can deposit money into their account at the cafeteria and then purchase food by entering in their ID number.

Parents can also deposit money online via the <u>KPS</u> Food Service Portal.

Bus Transportation

Students needing bus transportation must to sign up through the <u>district transportation website</u>.

Get Involved

Flathead Parent Group

Our Parent Group meets a couple times each year, with its first meeting on Wednesday, September 6, at 12:00 noon in the FHS Main Office. This volunteer group supports the student body, staff, and families of FHS. IN addition to providing staff appreciation, student birthday candy bars, and other support, this group hosts parent education events on topics relevant to raising teens.

FHS Booster Club

If your child is involved in school activities or athletics, he/she benefits from the Flathead Booster Club. Membership is easy, and you can participate as little or as much as you'd like in our fundraising events. Check us out at flatheadboosterclub.com.





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