



The Titan Voice

Stevenson High School

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Vision Statement:

Stevenson High School will encourage and empower all students to acquire the necessary skills to be successful, contributing members of a diverse community and global society.

Mission Statement:

Our mission is to create a positive and challenging learning environment that encourages all students to achieve their greatest potential as responsible, productive members of a diverse society.

A MESSAGE FROM MR. CUCCHI



May 9, 2025

Good afternoon Titan community,

Senior families, as we enter my favorite time of the year, it's crucial to remind our seniors that their journey is far from over. With just two weeks left in the school year for our seniors, it's important they stay focused on passing their classes, acing exams, and avoiding any loss of credits due to tardiness, absences, or poor decisions.

We've had our Senior Meetings and awards ceremonies and recognitions are happening almost daily. This is the perfect time to discuss making good choices. One key message I want to emphasize is that a split-second decision can have significant consequences for your child. In my 12 years of graduating seniors, I've only had to refuse commencement once. I am very clear about how disciplinary actions at this stage can impact opportunities such as prom, honors night, and commencement.

I remind our seniors that missed opportunities are a result of their own choices. We are all accountable for our actions and choices made outside of school are equally important. As the weather warms up, please remind your students to stay safe and make positive decisions. We want to celebrate their success at the end of the year and not mourn any losses.

Let's work together to ensure a successful and joyous conclusion to this school year.

Outstanding fees are posted in PowerSchool. Fees need to be cleared before the end of the school year, each year. Students with outstanding fees cannot purchase parking permits or participate in extracurricular activities: including Field Trips, Athletics, Titan Days, Homecoming, and Prom, until all fees are cleared, or on a payment plan. Seniors with outstanding fees will not receive their diplomas until all fees have been paid. Payments can be made on PaySchools Central, www.payschoolscentral.com, or in person with cash/check in the bookstore. Contact Remi Darroch, Bookkeeper, with any questions regarding fees, 586-797-1903, remi.darroch@uticak12.org

Fourth-quarter Progress Reports will post to Powerschool this afternoon.

A quick reminder of important dates: The 4th quarter concludes on June 11, and final report cards will be posted on June 18.

UCS Staff Appreciation Shout Outs – Do you know of any teachers, administrators or support staff who made a difference this year? In honor of Employee Appreciation days, email your “Shout Outs’ to UCS@uticak12.org. They will be shared on social media and with the staff directly beginning May 1, 2025. See the flyer in the Titan Voice.

COUNSELING UPDATES: Counseling Department website

As we are nearing the end of the school year, please make sure your child is finishing strong. Stay up to date on attendance and grades through the Parent Portal Access through PowerSchool which can also be downloaded directly to your phone with the PowerSchool App. Click here to access the Parent Portal website instructional page: [Creating a PowerSchool Account](#)

If your child needs summer school or summer enrichment, please see attached for all available options. All programs are supported through grant funds for the summer of 2025. Transportation will be provided, and hubs are located at Eisenhower, Henry Ford II, Stevenson, and Utica High School. Please work with your student's counselor before signing them up for a class or program to ensure accuracy on courses needed. You will need to register online through [UCS Community Education Summer Programs](#). . Online registration will open on Monday, April 28, 2025, and will close on Friday, June 20, 2025.

Advanced Placement testing will start in May and run for two weeks from May 5th to May 16th. If you have a student taking an AP exam, please check the AP Exam schedule to verify the date and time of their exam. Please click on this link to view the schedule: [AP Exam Schedule](#)

Seniors – Please join us for a college freshman [fast track workshop](#). See the Titan Voice for more information.

Important Senior Dates:

May 12 – Senior Honor’s Night, Invitation Only, Students have been notified and invitations were mailed home. Student’s wear their gowns

May 19 – Titan Scholars, Invitation Only, Students have been notified and invitations were e-mailed Student’s will receive a Scholar shirt and are to wear it to the board meeting

May 21 – Full Day of School – Senior exams during 4th, 5th and 6th Hours

May 22 - Full Day of School - Senior exams during 2nd and 3rd Hours

Laptop Collection during 4th – 6th Hours in English Classes

Students receive graduation tickets when their laptop is turned in and all fees are paid

May 23 – Half Day of School – 1st hour Senior exams, Laptop collection 2nd & 3rd hours in English class

May 23 – Senior's last day and Senior picnic

The Senior Picnic will be held from 10:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m., in the football stadium, weather permitting. Only graduating seniors that attend the morning exams will be allowed into the picnic. They will receive a bracelet in their 3rd hour. Students without a 3rd hour here at Stevenson and Virtual Students can get their wristband in the office at 10:20 a.m.

Students do not have to attend the picnic – but must exit the building after 3rd hour.

Seniors will not be able to re-enter the building, as classes for everyone else will still be in session.

May 28 – Senior Prom @ 6:00PM – 10:00PM @ Penna's of Sterling (Van Dyke / 17 Mile)

Students must arrive BY 7:00 pm and may not leave BEFORE 9:00 pm. ID is required for entry.

Please note students who attend prom and violate our zero-tolerance policy will not participate in the graduation ceremony.

June 2 – Mandatory Graduation Practice 11:00am (arrive by 10:30am) O'Rena at Oakland University

This is **MANDATORY** if you want to walk at the graduation ceremony.

All graduating seniors are **required** to attend this rehearsal. **You MUST ARRIVE BY 10:30 a.m.** TO LINE UP. All facets of the ceremony will be rehearsed including exact seating, line-up, and processional, crossing the stage, name cards, arrival information, recessional, expectations, and conduct. The rehearsal will last about an hour. Transportation is on your own. If you do not attend, you will not be able to walk at graduation.

Students will park in the parking garage and enter through the loading dock. Students will then follow the signs indicating where they should line up. Rehearsal will end by noon.

June 7 – Graduation, O'Rena @ 10:00AM

The Ceremony starts at 10:00 a.m. but students **MUST** arrive at 9:00 a.m. Students are not allowed to alter their cap or gown, only cord/medals/stoles from UCS can be worn.

Senior All Night Party, [click here](#) for more information

Laptop Collection for Seniors –

Seniors will turn in their UCS laptops during their English classes May 22 - 23.

Virtual Students can turn in their laptop on Friday, May 23 from (8:30 a.m. -10:00 a.m.)

Seniors can turn in laptops early if they are not required for classes, starting May 19.

*Laptops will be assessed for damages; any fees related to damage are due prior to receiving your Graduation tickets. Seniors can see Mrs. Patalon in the Media Center to check for damages at any time. If you know of a current problem or if there is damage to your laptop, please see Mrs. Patalon immediately.

To make this process easier and less time consuming on their last day, we will be collecting the SENIOR laptops **after** they take their English exams on Thursday 5/22 and Friday 5/23. (As long as they do not need it for another exam)

Please be sure Senior students do the following **BEFORE** going to the Media Center:

- Ask if the students will need laptops for another exam (if they do, obviously, we cannot collect them).
- Make sure the laptops are **ON and they have their charging cord wrapped up before** they go to the Media Center. This will speed up the process.
- Remove ALL PERSONAL stickers from laptop without damaging device or they will be charged.

Any other questions or concerns, please have your student send a Teams message Lisa Patalon or see her in the Media Center.

AP textbooks are to be returned **inside the Media Center**. They are too large for the book return slots outside the Media Center.

There will be a sign on the counter where they can stack the textbooks to be returned.

Graduation Ticket Information

Seniors will receive their Graduation Tickets **AFTER** they provide the signed Acknowledgement of Senior Meeting form, turn in their UCS laptop, and pay all outstanding fees, including any assessed damaged laptop fees.

Do not lose your tickets, there are NO extras.

If Commencement tickets are not picked up before Tuesday, June 3 at 3:00, they will be forfeited and redistributed to those in need.

Seniors – All fines must be paid PRIOR to purchasing Prom tickets and/or receiving Graduation tickets.

Elementary & Junior High School Senior Celebrations – See Titan Voice for more information.

Burr – June 4 @ 8:15am

Collins – June 3 @ 8:00am

Dekeyser – June 3 @ 8:00am

Messmore – June 4 @ 8:00am

Oakbrook- May 29 @ 8:15AM

Plumbrook – June 4 @ 8:00am

Schuchard – June 9 @ 8:00am

Schwarzkoﬀ – June 10 @ 7:45am

Jeannette Junior High – June 4 @9:00am

SENIOR SCHOLARSHIPS

Senior Scholarship opportunities are continuously updated and can be found on our Stevenson Counseling Website under "scholarships". You can find the link here: [Counseling / Scholarships](#)

If a student has a question regarding a scholarship process, please feel free to email or TEAMS Ms. Sullivan.

Communication Flow Chart: Parents often feel frustrated when trying to communicate with school officials, only to be passed from one person to another without resolution. To help alleviate this, we encourage parents to familiarize themselves with the "Communication Process Flowchart." This chart will help you understand where to start and how to navigate the process when addressing concerns or issues with Stevenson staff.

Most times, reaching out directly to the staff member who is most involved will provide a quick and thorough response. As you move up the flowchart, the individuals involved may not be as directly connected to the issue, and they might require additional time to research and provide a response. If you do not hear back within two (2) school days, it's perfectly appropriate to follow up before moving on to the next level in the flowchart.

We are committed to ensuring that your questions and concerns are addressed in a timely manner. Please start by communicating with the person closest to the issue, and if necessary, escalate the matter step-by-step according to the flowchart. Email is the most effective way to communicate, followed by phone calls. Please see the Titan Voice for the "Communication Process Flowchart".

SAVE THE DATE * Titan Days 2025-2026 ***SAVE THE DATE**

Sophomores Wednesday, August 20, 2025 8:00 AM – 11:00 PM

*Includes 10th Grade MADE students and Virtual Academy Students
8:00 a.m. – 9:30 a.m. A-K; 9:30 a.m. - 11:00 p.m. L-Z

Seniors Thursday, August 21, 2025 8:00 AM – 10:30 AM

*Includes 12th Grade MADE students and Virtual Academy Students
8:00 a.m. 9:15 a.m. A-K; 9:15 a.m.– 10:30 a.m. L-Z

Juniors Thursday, August 21, 2025 12:00 PM – 2:30 PM

*Includes 11th Grade MADE students and Virtual Academy Students
12:00 p.m.- 1:15 p.m. A-K; 1:15 p.m. - 2:30 p.m. L-Z

MADE Freshmen Wednesday, August 20, 2025 9th Grade Only 6:00 PM – 7:30 PM

Last Name A-K 6:00 PM – 6:45 PM; Last Name L-Z 6:45 PM – 7:30 PM

Juniors – Join us for a hand-on workshop where your student will get personalized support with everything college-related. See the Titan Voice for more information on this great College Planning Workshop.

CONGRATULATIONS TITANS!

The Vanguard Newspaper received 24 individual student awards from the Michigan Interscholastic Press Association for the 2024-25 school year. The Ambassador yearbook received 3 individual student awards for the 2023-24 school year. Both publications are still waiting on their group awards to see if they received a Bronze, Silver, or Spartan (the highest publication award for the state).

Congratulations to our Macomb All-Academic recipients! With a special shout out to Ansh, Siya and Monica who were in the Top 25 in the county!

*Ansh Malhotra – Top 25

*Siya Vashi – Top 25

*Monica Smylnycky – Top 25

*Dmytro Darmogray

*Jacob Lewandowski

Congratulations to our 2024-2025 Academic Scholars! The following seniors received the Academic Scholars Award. This award is given to high school seniors who received a 3.67 GPA or higher for the past 7 semesters.

Robert Adkins, Zoha Afroz, Jinat Al Fadhli, Natalia Alber, Noura Alhakeem, Laiba Ali, Rachel Allan, Olivia Allen, Hannah Almi, Hadi Alnashi, Ivan Amma, Mina Atto, Farhan Aziz, Alessandro Bally, Zara Banfill, Angela Bazi, Brody Bechtel, Stavro Bedawid, Andrea Behnam, Sara Bentley, Addison Bibik, Kyle Boring, Benjamin Brinkman, Andre Buford, Jayden Casas, Sophia Cechvala, Mohamed Chehab, Ilias Cholagh, Salwa Chouman, Logan Connon, Adison Cooke, Ava Cooke, Paige Cylkowski, Dmytro Darmogray, Ayesha Belle Davillo, Sophie Dickerson, Logan Doherty, Christopher Douthet, Elena Elias, Mikaela Espinoza, Johan Ferrer, Kaylee Fisher, Lesley Gao, Haitham George, Valentino Ghazala, ,Alex Girardi, Angelo Goriel, Kennedy Gosk, Kaeli Grayson, Anastazija Grubac, Elena Heba, Saif Hikmat, Raychel Hodges, Adrian Ibraheem, Leah Itani, Soumiya Jacob, Alexandra Jagustin, Julija Jakovljevic, Rena Jazrawi, Rachel Jensen, Holly Jenson, David Johnson, Michael Johnson, Presley Jones, Timothy Kaiser, Hevar Kakoni, Lucas Kannou, Justin Karjo, Grace Kaspoles, Angelina Khemmoro, Andrei Kolynuk, Andrew Kotcher, Madeleine Kulczycki, Evan Lajiness, Demir Landino, Renee Landino, Keiry Lawandy, Edward Lei, Jacob Lewandowski, John Lobsinger, Katie Loftis, William Loftis, John Lonsway, Romeo Lor, Isabelle Lowe, Jorden Lutella, Ansh Malhotra, Santon Marangattil, Araceli Martinez-Flores, Brandon Maude, Ava McGowan, Arlin Mema, Jhuan Mighill Mendez, Brayden Metti, Danial Meza, Jeanna Mikhael, Mirna Mikhael, Sara Mircevski, Ted Andrei Misola, Natalie Muscas, Shayaan Naeem, Jonah Necklace, Kong Nguyen, Larissa Nicolicea, Raul Oraha, Jude Osanaiye, MaryAnn Paho, Molly Payne, Matyas Philips, Bianca Platon, Angelina Polath, Sandra Poles, Emma Polizzi, Savannah Purgiel, Amelia Qarana, Mason Routheaux, Lauren Rowland, Winni Ruan, Tara Sadik, Sandra Saleem, Angelo Saleh, Maryam Salmo, Ahmed Saqeeb, Savannah Serra, Parsva Shah, Adil Shamasha, Morgan Shamon, Gabriel Shamon, Karlo Shamon, Krishna Shastri, Natalee Shlaymoon, Monica Smylnycky, Emma Sorguc, Vanessa Soso, Adis Spago, Marco Stahlberger, Proshid Sutradhar, arson Sweet, Allie Szalkiewicz, Hannah Tamou, Noah Temerowski, Kelsey Thompson, Braeden Tickle, David Tinkham, Armani Toma, Julleit Toma, Jalen Toyee, Preston Tranchida, Andrew Ulaj, Claire Vanderhagen, Siya Vashi, Maira Viramontes, Samuel Vu, Nicholas Vucetay, Seth Walker, Jennifer Weingartz,

Ariella Whetsel, Gregory White, Kristen Wozniak, Chue Meng Xiong, Claudia Yatouma, O'neal Youno, Stella Yousif, Lacinya Zetouna, Andrew Zoma

STUDENTS OF THE MONTH - Congratulations to the following students for being awarded Student of the Month for March! Students were nominated by Stevenson staff for being positive contributors to both the classroom and the Stevenson High School community. The Stevenson High School Students for March are:

Ferdusi Akther, Afrim Al Akona, Ibrahim Al-Hasan, Ruqaya Al Hlaichi, Yousif Alzubaidi, Layla Balija, Vanshdeep Bhugra, Brenden Bongiorno, Griffin Bragg, Braden Chaffin, Sophia Cechvala, Samithnur Chowdhury, Anthony DeMuynck, Gabby Gappy, Haitham George, Ava Goriel, Sarah Iessa, Elias Jabboori, Lourdes Jamal, Maria Jamil, Mario Jamil, Nikolina Jaksic, Presley Jones, Wessam Khishola, Franco Mako, Halo McLachlin, Evan Melitz, Giovanni Mezo, Daanyal Mirza, Muhtadi Mubarrat, Dylan Phenglavanh, Josh Polston, Eevet Qiryaqoz, Andrina Raheem, Isabella Rassi, Wendy Romo, Josue Saldana Sabido, Leah Santos, Leona Santos, Sierra Savage, Mina Selwans, Maryam Salmo, Lawrence Stovall, Jalen Toyee, Hannah Wegrzyn, Najilah Wharton, Viola Yaldo, O'neal Youno, Alvi Zaman

Once again, our SHS Social Studies Olympiad Team submitted creative and competitive entries to Olympiad Judges, many of which reflect this year's theme of ["EXPLORING MICHIGAN'S RICH HISTORY: FROM GREAT LAKES TO GREAT LEADERS"](#). Our three Class of 2025 Co-Captains, Lesley Gao, Ilias Cholagh, and Mohon Chowdhury, along with Faculty Advisor Ms. Carolyn Frischman want to thank the following students for competing this year:

Current Event Editorial Essay - Antonio Cholagh and Tony Nguyen

Digital Photography - Laiba Ali, Winni Ruan, Joseph Juliano, and Soumiya Jacob

Investments - (Team 1) Antonio Cholagh, Isabelle Lowe, Jennifer Weingartz, Jayda Pelkey, and Sierra Lynch, (Team 2) Ilias Cholagh, Laiba Ali, Winni Ruan, Morgan Shamon, and Mohon Chowdhury

Online Presentation - Antonio Cholagh and Sierra Lynch

Podcast - (Team 1) Lesley Gao, Hannah Rourke, and Soumiya Jacob (Team 2) Mohon Chowdhury, (Team 3) Jordan Lutella and Mikaela Espinoza

Poetry - Winni Ruan and Antonio Cholagh

Political Cartoon Journal - Laiba Ali and Joseph Juliano

Poster/Artistic - Mikaela Espinoza, Jennifer Weingartz, and Morgan Shamon

Poster/Collage - Sierra Lynch

Primary Document Journal - Joseph Juliano

Social Studies Song - Mikaela Espinoza, Jordan Lutella, and Leah Itani

Take-A-Stand Essay - Morgan Shamon and Antonio Cholagh

Theme Graphic Design - Winni Ruan and Morgan Shamon

Results will be announced state-wide sometime after May 12 and any medals awarded to our seniors should be received prior to graduation. Congratulations to everyone and THANK YOU students, parents, and social studies teachers for keeping Stevenson High School one of the most competitive Social Studies Olympiad schools in Michigan!

Stevenson Titan Athletes could use your help! We are in the process of redesigning our fieldhouse to create a space for all athletes to work out with state-of-the-art equipment better aligned to their personal athletic goals. While the district and the school are paying for items like HVAC, lighting and flooring, the boosters are raising funds for the equipment. To make this possible we are designing a seasonal program that will highlight our athletes and the businesses that support them!

Sponsorship Opportunities

Our project aims to attract sponsors for new fieldhouse equipment. We offer five sponsorship levels with key benefits, including advertisement in the sports program. The goal is to create a sustainable program providing ongoing support and ensuring the success of our athletic programs.

Fieldhouse Equipment

The new state-of-the-art equipment will benefit all athletic programs at Stevenson. The fieldhouse can accommodate multiple teams simultaneously, fostering a sense of pride among coaches, parents, students, and staff.

How You Can Help

We need everyone's support to ensure this program's success. Here's how you can contribute: To meet our goal to pilot our first ever program, we need all sponsor requests in by June 1. [Here](#) is a link to a form that will get the process started.

For any questions or feedback, please contact the Athletic Booster Club at Stevensonathleticboosterclub@gmail.com Thank you for your continued support!

ATTENTION – The school day ends at 2:14 p.m. Students must exit the building by 2:30 p.m. Any student who is staying after school must be under the supervision of a staff member, coach, or teacher. If practice is not immediately after school, students are expected to go home and return at their practice time. Also note that students are not allowed in the gyms at any time unless a coach or teacher is present.

No outside purchased food or drinks are permitted, students can get lunch/breakfast from the cafeteria, school store or bring a lunch.

ATTENDANCE When a student has accumulated 11 absences* in any one class over the course of a semester, the student will be notified in a meeting with an assistant/associate principal that they have lost credit in that class and that they are placed on an attendance contract to earn the credit back. There are two parts to a contract. First, the student must pass the class with a D- or higher. Second, the student will show improvement in attendance in ALL classes. Improvement is determined on a sliding scale which allows for 1 absence for every three weeks (rounded up) left in the semester for each class.

A reminder to all students, you are required to always wear your ID badge. Not only for security reasons, but because you need to scan them at lunch! So, please make sure you are wearing your ID badge around your neck.

STUDENT DRESS CODE Students must adhere to the guidelines outlined in the student [handbook](#).

- Indecent, tattered, or unsafe dress or footwear, or attire that calls undue attention to the wearer or has lettering or symbols that are disrespectful or derogatory are not allowed.
- Beach wear, low-cut tops, tank tops, sleeveless tops, muscle shirts, see-through clothing, short skirts or shorts, pajamas, tight clothing without proper coverage and clothing exposing the shoulders or mid-section are not allowed.
- Students should not wear clothing with inappropriate advertising like Playboy shirts or similar items.
- Hats are not allowed in school unless explicit permission for a medical or religious reason is reached.
- Knee length shorts and skirts are acceptable. Shoes must be worn.
- Outerwear, such as coats and hats, is not to be worn in school.
- Clothing that promotes illegal substances or drugs, illegal activities, violence, tobacco, or alcohol is prohibited.
- Clothing or head coverings worn as group identifiers that promote a disruptive school climate are prohibited.
- Clothing consistent with religious or cultural beliefs is acceptable.
- Jewelry and accessories that may be deemed dangerous are prohibited.

Every Friday is Titan Spirit Day! Please encourage your student to wear anything “Titan” or Red, and/or Blue!

Don’t forget to **check out the Stevenson Athletics newsletter!** It is updated each week on Monday morning.

The Titan Voice and the Stevenson website should be your first line of communication regarding information pertaining to Stevenson. When you go to our website, you will find the Titan Voice linked under News. Included in the Titan Voice is more information regarding: AP Testing, SHS Clubs, UCS District Flyers, Senior and Senior All Night Party information, and much more! Be sure to click on the Titan Voice Link and see what’s happening at Stevenson!

With Titan Pride,

Kenneth L. Cucchi III

GRADUATION SUITE PACKAGE

*Book your 2025 Graduation suite
at Jimmy John's Field TODAY!*

***\$900 with \$100 per suite donated
back to scholarships offered
through the UCS Foundation***

- 1 Cabana Suite with 16 Suite Tickets
- 3 VIP Parking Passes
- 16 Hot Dogs
- 16 Bags of Chips
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- Group Photo in the Suite
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***Mention code UCSGRAD to your
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back to the UCS Foundation***



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UCS STAFF APPRECIATION SHOUT OUTS!

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**2026
Graduates**

- *CREATE YOUR FSA ID**
- *WRITE A SCHOLARSHIP ESSAY**
- *EXPLORE COLLEGES THROUGH VIRTUAL TOURS IN XELLO**
- *CALCULATE COLLEGE ACCEPTANCE CHANCES**
- *UNDERSTAND MAJORS & CAREER PATH**
- *SEND TRANSCRIPTS SEAMLESSLY**
- *DISCOVER MONEY-SAVING TIPS WHEN CHOOSING COLLEGES**
- *BREAKING DOWN THE 3 MICHIGAN SCHOLARSHIP OPTIONS**

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2025 Graduates

- *MASTER YOUR FAFSA FROM START TO FINISH
- *DECODE YOUR FINANCIAL AID OFFER – SEE WHAT’S COVERED AND WHAT’S YOURS TO PAY
- *UNDERSTAND PELL GRANT & MISSG PERKS YOU QUALIFY FOR
- *COMPLETE & SUBMIT COLLEGE APPLICATIONS ON-SITE
- *PICK YOUR COURSES
- *SEND TRANSCRIPTS SEAMLESSLY



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- Develop leadership skills

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Stevenson High School Communication Process Flowchart

How to Effectively Communicate with Stevenson High School Officials

Parents are often discouraged when they attempt to communicate with school officials only to be referred to others in order to resolve a problem their child may be experiencing in school. To prevent that frustration, parents should become informed about the "Communication Process Flowchart." This sequence is in place to assist parents on where to begin their communication regarding their problem or concern.

Most parent and community questions are easily and completely answered by communicating directly with the staff member closest to the situation. As you move further along the flowchart, the staff is less directly involved and usually needs additional time to research the situation before they can give you an answer. If you do not hear back from the person you have contacted within two (2) business days, it is appropriate to reach out to them again before moving along to the next level of the flowchart. We do not expect your questions or concerns to go unanswered for a long period of time. Each situation should first be addressed at whatever level the initial action was taken with appeals moving on to the next level on the "Communication Process Flowchart." The easiest way to communicate is via e-mail while a phone call is the next preferable way.

Area Of Concern	First Level	Second Level	Third Level	Fourth Level	Fifth Level
Instruction/Curriculum	Teacher	Counselor	Associate Principal	Principal	Board Office
Athletics	Coach	Stevenson Athletic Director	Associate Principal	District Athletic Director	Board Office
Special Education	Teacher	Special Education Staff	Counselor	Associate Principal	Principal
Student Concerns/Guidance/Health Related Concerns	Teacher	Counselor	Associate Principal	Principal	Board Office
Classroom Discipline	Teacher	Counselor	Associate Principal	Principal	Board Office
Non – Classroom School Discipline	Teacher	Counselor	Associate Principal	Principal	Board office
Classroom Concerns	Teacher	Counselor	Associate Principal	Principal	Board office
Scheduling Concerns/Changes	Counselor	Associate Principal	Principal	Board office	
Transportation	Bus Driver	Associate Principal	Transportation	Board Office	

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Delaney Sullivan, (Rid-Z)
delaney.sullivan@uticak12.org
586-797-1976

WEBSITES

Stevenson Website:
<https://stevenson.uticak12.org>

District Website:
<https://uticak12.org>

AP TESTING SCHEDULE

Course Name	Day	Exam Date	Start Time
AP Biology	Monday	5/5/2025	AM
AP Microeconomics	Monday	5/5/2025	PM
AP European History	Monday	5/5/2025	PM
AP Chemistry	Tuesday	5/6/2025	AM
AP United States Government and Politics	Tuesday	5/6/2025	PM
AP English Literature and Composition	Wednesday	5/7/2025	AM
AP Computer Science A	Wednesday	5/7/2025	PM
AP Statistics	Thursday	5/8/2025	AM
AP World History: Modern	Thursday	5/8/2025	PM
AP United States History	Friday	5/9/2025	AM
AP Chinese Language and Culture	Friday	5/9/2025	PM
AP Macroeconomics	Friday	5/9/2025	PM

Course Name	Day	Exam Date	Start Time
AP Calculus AB	Monday	5/12/2025	AM
AP Calculus BC	Monday	5/12/2025	AM
AP Seminar	Monday	5/12/2025	PM
AP Precalculus	Tuesday	5/13/2025	AM
AP French Language and Culture	Tuesday	5/13/2025	AM
AP Environmental Science	Tuesday	5/13/2025	PM
AP English Language and Composition	Wednesday	5/14/2025	AM
AP German Language and Culture	Wednesday	5/14/2025	AM
AP Physics C: Mechanics	Wednesday	5/14/2025	PM
AP Art History	Thursday	5/15/2025	AM
AP Spanish Language and Culture	Thursday	5/15/2025	AM
AP Computer Science Principles	Thursday	5/15/2025	PM
AP Physics 1	Friday	5/16/2025	AM
AP Psychology	Friday	5/16/2025	PM



Secondary Summer School Options 2025

Locations: Bemis Junior High School – Students entering grades 6 – 9 and all online courses

Jeannette Junior High School – Students entering grades 10 – 12

Bemis and Jeannette Junior High School Transportation: provided for most programs. Hubs are located at Eisenhower, Henry Ford II, Stevenson, and Utica High Schools.

Cost: Free – All programs supported by grant funds for the summer of 2025

Program Dates: Monday, June 23, 2025 – Friday, August 1, 2025

No classes on Thursday, July 3, 2025, or Friday, July 4, 2025

Program Times:

Bemis Junior High School:

8:15 a.m. – 8:30 a.m. Free breakfast is provided

8:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. Program Session

11:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Free lunch is provided

Teacher Time: 8:15 a.m. – 12:15 p.m. with one hour for preparation

Jeannette Junior High School:

8:15 a.m. – 8:30 a.m. Free breakfast is provided

8:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. Program Session

11:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Free lunch is provided

Teacher Time: 8:15 a.m. – 12:15 p.m. with one hour for preparation

Registration: <https://ucscommunityeducation.ce.elevo.com/> to register online

Online registration will open on Monday, April 28, 2025, and will close on Friday, June 20, 2025

Computers will be required for most programs, preferably a UCS issued student device. If a student does not have a UCS device due to end-of-the year turn-in, they may use their own device.



Titan Corner

What awaits Future Titans?

"Many students are curious about the new experiences and opportunities that await them in high school. High school often means more independence, like moving between classes, having some control over their schedule, and even choosing electives or extracurricular activities. There are many more sports teams, clubs, and activities to join, which can be exciting for students who want to explore their interests further."



Kenneth Cucchi III
Principal

Points of Pride

- Michigan and National Blue Ribbon Exemplary School
- Recognized by the Washington Post as one of the most academically challenging schools in the United States
- Offers students a choice of 26 Advanced Placement courses
- Offers students over 15 clubs and organizations in which they can participate
- Stevenson Manufacturing, Automation and Design Engineering (MADE) Academy

What Makes a Titan?

- Driven** - Titans are motivated, focused on achieving their personal goals and academic success, and always strive to do their best.
- Hardworking** - Whether in the classroom, on the sports field, or in extracurricular activities, a Stevenson Titan is dedicated and willing to put in the effort to excel.
- Respectful** - A Stevenson Titan shows respect to their peers, teachers, and the school community. They understand the importance of treating others with kindness and consideration.
- Inclusive** - Titans embrace a sense of belonging, supporting one another and making sure everyone feels welcome, regardless of background or differences.
- Collaborative** - Titans understand the value of teamwork and are always ready to collaborate, both in group projects and in extracurricular activities.

Success in the School

- Stevenson Ford United Varsity Dance Team placed second in small varsity pom out of 56 groups and placed 6th in their team routine at Dance Team Union Nationals.
- Home of the Stevenson Manufacturing, Automation, and Design Engineering (MADE) Program.



What would you tell future Titan?

"Being a Titan means embracing every challenge with determination, integrity, and resilience. Stevenson offers endless opportunities, academically, athletically, and socially, so take advantage of them. Push yourself beyond your comfort zone, support those around you, and never be afraid to fail because that's how you grow. Most importantly, embody the Titan spirit by leading with kindness, hard work, and a commitment to excellence. Your journey here will shape who you become, so make it count."

- Maram Lues, Stevenson senior

ATTENTION Seniors!

Michigan has introduced a new financial opportunity for students this month. The state is hosting a raffle for any student who has completed the FAFSA. The raffle will close on May 16th. Participants will have the chance to win one of 40 prizes of \$10,000 or one of 10 cash prizes of \$50,000


If you haven't completed your FAFSA, please do so.

Text CASH to 855-50K-TICKET

Click here for more information

<https://tickettotuition.com/>

[Official Rules & Eligibility Requirements](#)[Frequently Asked Questions](#)



THE FAFSA IS THE GOLDEN TICKET TO A TUITION WIN!

Ten students will win \$50,000 and 40 students will win \$10,000 cash in a [Michigan Education Savings Program](#) account. That's money that can be used for tuition at a community college, university or career training program, as well as room and board, living expenses and more!

10 STUDENTS WILL WIN \$50,000 AND 40 STUDENTS WILL WIN \$10,000 CASH FOR COLLEGE

JUST THREE STEPS TO ENTER!

1. Create [StudentAid.gov](#) accounts (both student and parent)
2. Fill out the [FAFSA](#) form together (It takes most families 30 minutes or less to complete)
3. Text CASH to [855-50K-TICKET](#) (855-505-8425)

ALREADY COMPLETED THE FAFSA?

You're still eligible. Just text CASH to [855-50K-TICKET](#) to enter.

DON'T MISS YOUR TICKET TO TUITION!

Punch your ticket to up to \$50,000 in cash for college or career training. Fill out your first FAFSA and text CASH to [855-50K-TICKET](#) by May 16 for your chance to win — AND unlock college loans, grants and scholarships (like the Michigan Achievement Scholarship)! Winning a Ticket to Tuition prize does not affect your eligibility for other financial aid.

TEXT CASH TO 855-50K-TICKET!






UCS K-12 DISTRICT ART SHOW

MAY 13-15, 2025

STERLING HEIGHTS
COMMUNITY CENTER
40250 DODGE PARK ROAD
STERLING HEIGHTS, MI 48313

ENJOY THOUSANDS OF WORKS
OF ART BY EXTRAORDINARY
ELEMENTARY, JUNIOR HIGH, &
HIGH SCHOOL ART STUDENTS





YOU ARE INVITED TO

SENIOR CLAP OUT!

Class Of 2025

JUNE

4

9:00 AM

Jeannette Junior High

Former JJH Patriots are welcome to
come share their future plans with
former teachers and reunite with old
friends!

A decorative border surrounds the entire page, consisting of alternating graduation caps in various colors (red, yellow, blue, purple, green, grey) and rolled-up diplomas with tassels.

Burr Elementary School



We would like to invite the 2025
Graduating Seniors who attended
Burr Elementary to join us for our

Annual Alumni Walk

Wednesday, June 4th at 8:15 am
Meet in the Media Center.

Please RSVP to Mrs. Davies by Friday, May 30th
alicia.davies@uticak12.org or (586) 797-4118

Seniors-please wear your cap and gown!
Walk the halls, reminisce, visit former
teachers, and join us for refreshments!



Senior Celebration

At Collins Elementary for the graduating Senior Class of 2025

You are invited..... As a graduating senior and alumni of Collins Elementary, **YOU** are invited to return to Collins on **Tuesday, June 3rd at 8:00 am** to visit with proud Collins staff members as well as be recognized at a school assembly.

Please plan to arrive at 8:00am for breakfast in the Media Center with some of your past teachers and classmates. **Please bring your cap and gown to wear to the assembly** to formally recognize your achievements **in the Media Center** following breakfast



During the school assembly there will be a time to introduce each graduate and share their future plans. Time will be set aside for any graduates that are comfortable sharing words of wisdom and encouragement with our elementary students. Topics could include:



- What is your favorite memory of Collins?
- What is one piece of advice you would give to elementary students?
- What would you change if you could do it over again?
- What do you wish you would have known when you were a sixth grader?
- What is the best part of junior high and high school?
- What will you do after high school?
- Will you attend college or another post graduate program, and if so, where will you attend?

It seems like only yesterday that we were wishing you the best as you transitioned from elementary school to junior high school. You have continued to work hard and have met the requirements of obtaining a high school diploma. Collins Elementary continues to be proud of you! We look forward to seeing you!

We are proud to announce the **Bruce Collins Elementary Alumni Scholarship**, a special scholarship opportunity for graduating seniors who began their academic journey with us. **Please look over eligibility requirements and essay directions.** If you have any questions, please contact Mrs. Oltersdorf.

Congratulations Graduates! We are so proud of every one of you and hope that you can join us on Tuesday, June 3rd.

Please RSVP by May 30th to Mrs. Oltersdorf at Katherine.oltersdorf@uticak12.org

We look forward to seeing you soon!





DeKeyser Alumni Gathering

Class of 2025!

Graduating Seniors who attended DeKeyser Elementary are cordially invited to join the DeKeyser Staff to share memories and enjoy a light breakfast with your classmates. We would also like to wish you well on your new journey with a schoolwide clap-out following breakfast!



**DeKeyser Elementary
Gymnasium**

Tuesday, June 3rd

8:00 am

Please bring your cap and gown.

**Due
May 1st**



RSVP

Scan & RSVP for the Senior Breakfast above!





Messmore

Graduating Seniors who attended Messmore Elementary are invited to join the Messmore Staff to share memories and participate in our Alumni Clap-out!



Alumni Clap-out

CLASS OF 2025

June 4th

WEDNESDAY | 8:00 AM

Messmore Elementary School



*Bring your cap
and gown*

SCAN QR CODE
TO RSVP



Plumbrook Alumni Class of 2025



You are Invited to a Senior Breakfast and Celebration!
Come back to where it all began to say hello to some of your teachers, staff, and old friends at Plumbrook. Parents welcome!

JUNE 4, 2025



8:00-9:00AM: BREAKFAST WITH STAFF
9:00AM: ASSEMBLY IN GYM WITH
PRESENTATION OF SCHOLARSHIP



Plumbrook Elementary
39660 Spalding Dr.
Sterling Heights, MI 48313

Seniors—Please wear your cap and gown.

Apply for Plumbrook
Alumni Scholarship



Scholarship
deadline is
Friday, May 2, 2025.

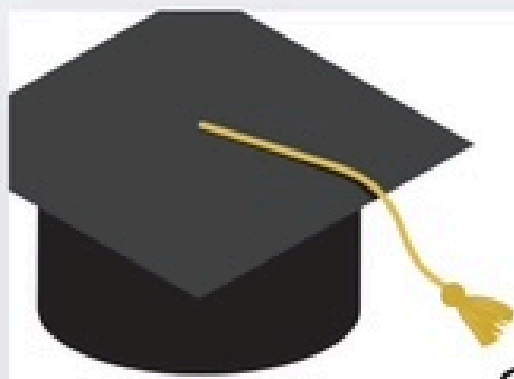
Please scan to RSVP below or email
sarah.hana@uticak12.org



Please
RSVP by
Friday, May 30, 2025.

We look forward to seeing you!

amber.niedermair@uticak12.org



WELCOME BACK TO

Schuchard Elementary

2025 SCHUCHARD
ALUMNI

JOIN US FOR A LIGHT BREAKFAST AND
WALK THE HALLS ONE LAST TIME FOR
OUR SENIOR CLAPOUT

MONDAY, JUNE 9TH AT 8AM



SCAN QR CODE TO RSVP

WEAR YOUR CAP AND GOWN!



Very Special Graduate
Graduation Day
Very Special Graduate
Graduation Day
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Graduation Day



Class of 2025

Schwarzkoﬀ Alumni Walk

Graduating Schwarzkoﬀ Seniors
please join us on June 10, 2025
@ 7:45 am in the Media Center.

Come back to where it all
started to enjoy a snack and say
hello to some of your teachers,
staff and old friends.

Seniors, please wear your cap
and gown!

RSVP: SchwarzkoﬀOffice@UticaK12.org



LOOKING AHEAD

May 12 - Senior Honors Night, invitation only, mandatory rehearsal during 5th hour

May 13-15 - UCS K-12 District Art Show

May 19 - Senior Titan Scholars, invitation only

May 23 - Senior Last Day and Senior Picnic

May 26 - No School, Memorial Day

May 28 @ 6:00 - Senior Prom

June 2 - Seniors -Mandatory Graduation Practice

June 7 - Graduation at the O'Rena, Oakland University

June 9 - Final Exams 1st & 2nd hour, half day, dismissal @ 10:22

June 10 - Final Exams 3rd & 4th hour, half day, dismissal @ 10:22

June 11 - Final Exams 5th & 6th hour, Last Day of School, dismissal @ 10:22

June 18 -Final Report Cards emailed home





STEVENSON CLUBS

2024-2025 Clubs

Albanian American Student Organization	Kelli.Mccloud
Ambassabor Yearbook	Kaitlin.Edgerton
AP Bio Club	Joseph.Bungart
Black Student Union Club	Jessica. Malmsten
Crochet Club	Lisa.Lucas
Debate	Craig.Leland Jeffery.Lopo
DECA (business)	Heather.Gabriel
FCCLA	Kristina.Robinson Regena.Hampson
Forensics	Jeffery.Lopo Craig.Leland
French Club	Thomas.Boik
HOSA-Future Health Professionals	Amanda.Blitz
Key Club	Heather.Chase
National Honor Society	Briana.Siwicki
Peer to Peer	Cara.Reck, Samantha.Chowan-Herrera, Dennis.Gabbeart
Powderpuff	Kelli.McCloud Briana.Siwicki
Quiz Bowl	Jeffery.Lopo
Science Olympiad	stevensonhighso@gmail.com
Social Studies Olympiad	Carolyn.Frischman
Spanish Club	Rachel.Williams
Spanish NHS	Rachel.Williams
Student Council	Lisa.Lucas
The Young Entrepreneurs Club	Jordan.Tasich
Thespian Club	Cheryl.Jackson
Titan Theater Troupe	Cheryl.Jackson
Tri M Music Honors Society	Michael.Yaros
Vanguard (Newspaper)	Kaitlin.Edgerton
	Teachers name @ uticak12.org
Science Olympiad: Sheetal Malhotra & Rama Sundar	stevensonhighso@gmail.com

LIFE AFTER STEVENSON

COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY/TRADE SCHOOL/MILITARY/WORK FORCE

FAFSA

[CREATE YOUR STUDENTAID.GOV ACCOUNT](#)

ALL READY HAVE AN ACCOUNT? [SIGN IN TO STUDENTAID.GOV](#)

[WHO'S MY FAFSA PARENT](#)

[CHECK ELIGIBILITY HERE](#)

[2024 - 2025 FAFSA CHECKLIST](#)

STUDENT AID

[REGISTER FOR A VIRTUAL FINANCIAL AID PRESENTATION](#)

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[HOW DO I PAY FOR COLLEGE?](#)

[SCHOLARSHIPS, GRANTS, AND INSTITUTIONAL AID](#)

[MICHIGAN SCHOLARSHIP AND GRANT PROGRAMS](#)

[EXPLORE STATE OF MICHIGAN RESORCES AND SERVICES](#)

[DO YOU NEED MONEY FOR COLLEGE?](#)

[MICHIGAN ACHIEVEMENT SCHOLARSHIP](#)

[TUITION-FREE PATHWAY TO COMMUNITY COLLEGE](#)

[TUITION INCENTIVE PROGRAM](#)

[SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES](#)

COLLEGE APPLICATION RESOURCES

[HOW DO I REQUEST MY TRANSCRIPT IN XELLO?](#)

IF YOU ARE NOT APPLYING DIRECTLY VIA COLLEGE WEBSITE USE [COMMON APP](#)

[FREE COLLEGE APPLICATION ESSAY REVIEW](#)

[HOW TO DECIDE WHERE TO APPLY TO COLLEGE](#)

AP COLLEGE BOARD

[EISENHOWER AP WEBPAGE](#)

[COLLEGE BOARD AP FOR STUDENTS](#)

MILITARY INFORMATION

[FUTURES JUMP-START YOUR JOURNEY](#)

[CAREERS IN THE MILITARY](#)

[ASVAB TEST](#)

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[MI STUDENT AID; COMMUNITY COLLEGE GUARANTEE](#)

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COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY/TRADE SCHOOL/MILITARY/WORK FORCE

TRADE SCHOOL

Click for Brochure

MUST

Construction Careers

ASBESTOS & ABATEMENT WORKERS - (734) 947.1745, www.Local207.org

BOILERMAKERS - (313) 584.8520, www.boilermakerslocal169.com

BRICKLAYERS & RESTORATION WORKERS - (586) 754.0888, www.bricklayers.org

CARPENTERS - (313) 832.1578, www.buildmifuture.com

CEMENT MASONS- (586) 754.0888, www.bricklayers.org

CONSTRUCTION CRAFT LABORERS - (517) 625.4919, (906) 774.5703, (734) 729.7005, www.mltai.org

DRYWALL FINISHERS/TAPERS - (586) 552.4474, www.iupatdc1michigan.org

ELECTRICAL WORKERS - (586) 751.6600, www.detroitetic.org

ELEVATOR CONSTRUCTORS - (313) 961.0717 call for more info

GLAZIERS AND GLASSWORKERS - (586) 552.4474, www.iupatdc1michigan.org

HEAT & FROST INSULATORS - (248) 352.1850, www.insulators.com

IRON WORKERS - (248) 960.2130, www.ironworkers25.org

MILLWRIGHTS - (586) 573.4660, www.buildmifuture.com

OPERATING ENGINEERS - (517) 546.9610, www.oe324.org

PAINTERS - (586) 552.4474, www.iupatdc1michigan.org

PIPEFITTERS, REFRIGERATION, AND AIR CONDITIONING - (248) 585.0636, www.pipefitters636tc.org

PLASTERERS - (248) 548.0800, www.opcmiami.org

PLUMBERS - (248) 585.1435, www.plumbers98tc.org

ROOFERS AND WATERPROOFERS - (248) 543.3847, www.smrca.org

SHEET METAL WORKERS - (586) 979.5190, (248) 589.3237, www.smw80jac.org, www.smw1292jatc.org

SPRINKLER FITTERS - (248) 473.8259, (248) 933.0704, www.local704.com

TILE, MARBLE, AND TERRAZZO MASONS - (586) 754.0888, www.bricklayers.org

Info on Summer Programs for High School Students

- [2025 Best Summer Programs \(searchable by region and discipline\)](#)
- [Best Engineering Summer Programs](#)
- [Best Computer Science Summer Programs](#)
- [Best Pre-Med Summer Programs](#)
- [Best Business Summer Programs](#)
- [Best Summer Math Programs](#)
- [Best Summer Spanish Language Immersion Programs](#)
- Also blogs for disciplines such as: [Architecture](#), [Environmental Science](#), [Game Design](#), [Psychology](#), [Law](#), [Outdoor Adventure](#)



End of Year Device Return Reminders:

1

Remove all stickers and residue from device.

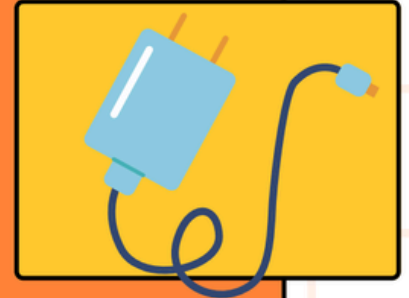
- Sticker removal fee = \$10



2

Return UCS provided charger and cords. Non-UCS chargers and cords will not be accepted.

- Laptop charger replacement = \$38
- iPad charger block replacement = \$19
- iPad power cord replacement = \$19



3

Device must be returned in original, clean condition.



Please contact your school office with any questions.



SENIOR INFORMATION



Seniors with fines **will not** receive caps & gowns, graduation or prom tickets until fines are paid or items returned.

See Mrs. Darroch at the book store (before or after school or at lunch time) to take care of fines. Email: remi.darroch@uticak12.org Phone: 586-797-1903

Graduation changed to Saturday, June 7, 2025

We have been informed by Oakland University that a FIFA Soccer Championship tournament has been scheduled during the weekend of our current graduation date (June 14). The tournament will use a portion of the O'Rena and the adjacent fields and parking throughout the weekend.

As a result of the significant conflicts that would impede our graduation celebration, we are rescheduling our ceremony for one week earlier – Saturday, June 7. The time and location will not change – 10 a.m. at the O'Rena at Oakland University.

You will receive further information about commencement, the all-night party and other graduation-related events later this year.

We look forward to celebrating this amazing class of 2025 with you.

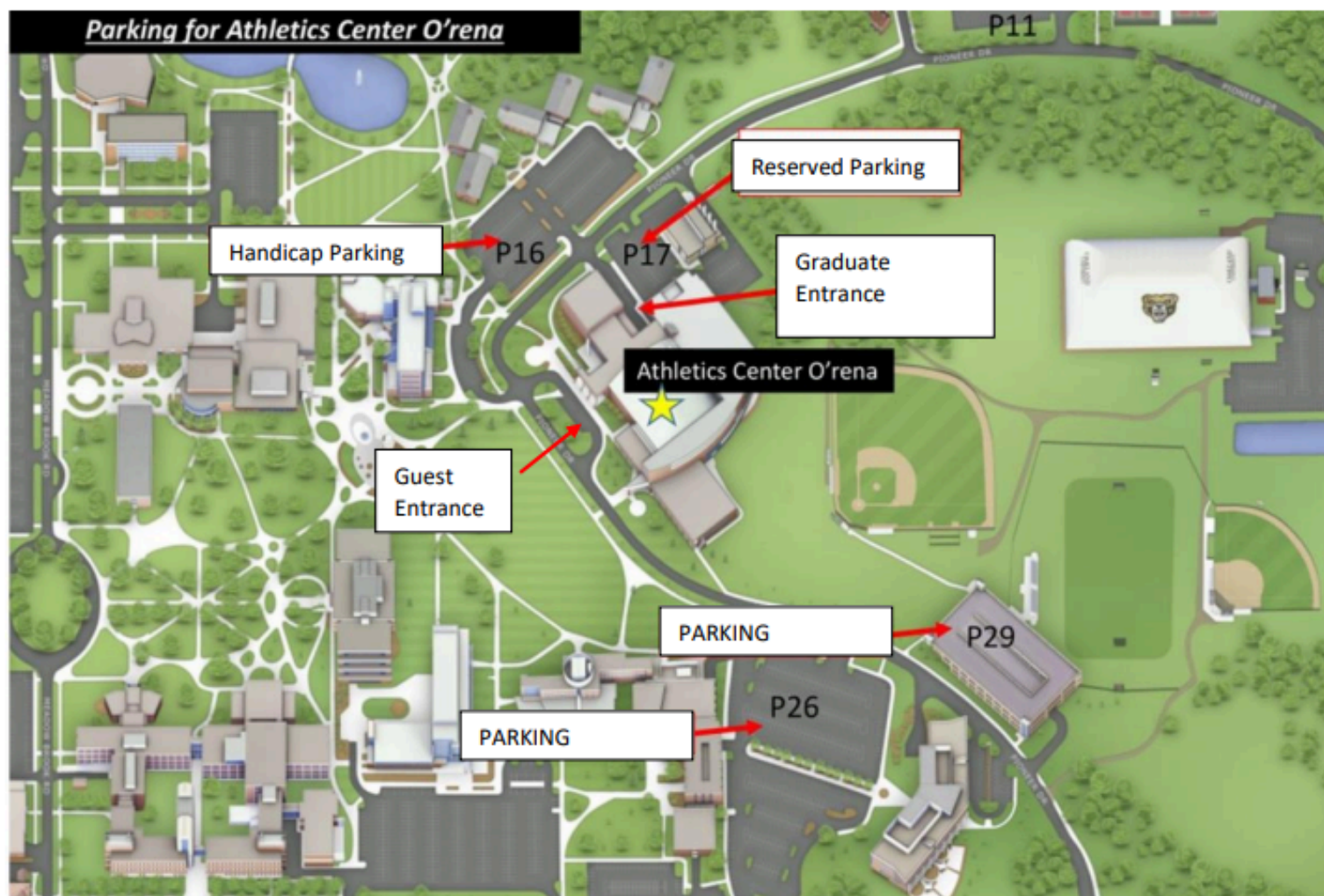
Graduation Date: Saturday, June 7, 2025 @ Oakland University O'Rena

- Stevenson 10:00 a.m.
- GLK-UAIS 1:30 p.m.
- Utica 4:00 p.m.

Graduation Date: Sunday, June 8, 2025 @ Oakland University O'Rena

- Eisenhower 10:00 a.m.
- ALC/Adult Ed 1:30 p.m.
- Henry Ford II 4:00 p.m.

PARKING AT O'RENA MAP FOR GRADUATION



Open Parking (graduates and guests): P26, and P29 (Parking Garage)

Handicap Parking: P16 – You must have a handicapped permit to park in this area

Graduates ONLY enter through the loading dock (near P17)

ALL guests must enter through main entrance

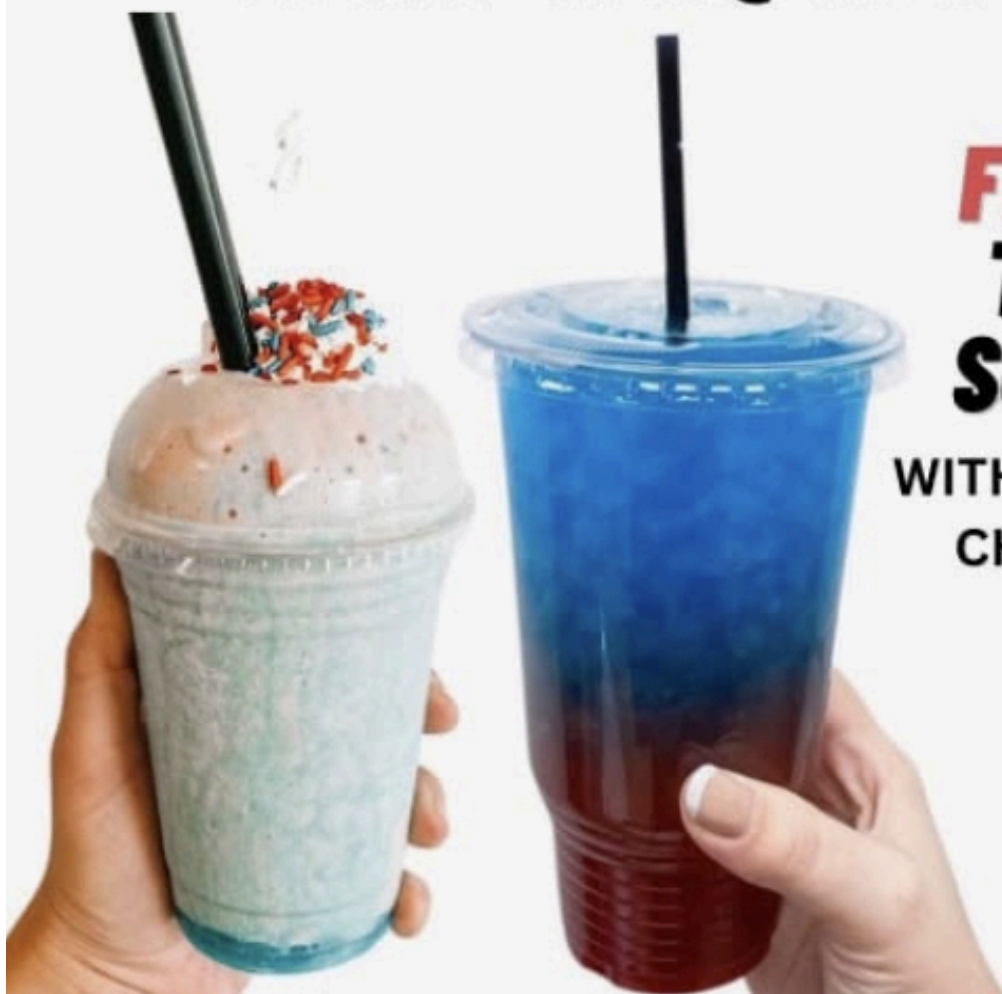


20% OF ALL FUNDRAISER
PURCHASES WILL BE
DONATED TO THE SENIOR
ALL NIGHT PARTY

STEVENSON HIGH SCHOOL SENIOR CLASS
FUNDRAISER!

WEDNESDAY, MAY 14TH

6:30AM - 7PM @ MC NUTRITION



FEATURING:
THE TITAN
SUPER MEGA

WITH BLUE TYPHOON +
CHERRY FLAVORS

STARS AND STRIPS
SHAKE SPECIAL

IMPORTANT SENIOR INFORMATION

TUESDAY, APRIL 15

SENIOR STUDENT MEETINGS, DURING ENGLISH CLASSES

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 16

MANDATORY SENIOR PARENT MEETING

- 5:00 LAST NAME BEGINNING WITH A-L
- 6:30 LAST NAME BEGINNING M-Z

CAPS AND GOWNS WILL BE DISTRIBUTED TO PARENTS

MONDAY, MAY 12 AT 7:00

HONORS NIGHT (BY INVITATION)

*INVITATIONS WILL BE SENT OUT THE END OF APRIL

MONDAY, MAY 19

TITAN SCHOLARS NIGHT (BY INVITATION)

*INVITATIONS WILL BE SENT OUT AT BEGINNING OF THE MAY

WEDNESDAY, MAY 21

FULL DAY OF SCHOOL, FINAL EXAMS, 4TH, 5TH & 6TH HOUR

FRIDAY, MAY 22

FINAL EXAMS, 2ND & 3RD HOURS

FRIDAY, MAY 23

SENIOR PICNIC AND SENIOR'S LAST DAY, 1ST HOUR EXAMS

WEDNESDAY, MAY 28

PROM 6:00-10:00 PM @ PENNA'S

MONDAY JUNE 2

GRADUATION PRACTICE AT O'RENA

-PRACTICE STARTS AT 11:00, STUDENTS MUST ARRIVE BY 10:30

SATURDAY, JUNE 7

GRADUATION CEREMONY AT 10:00 AM

- O'RENA AT OAKLAND UNIVERSITY

SENIOR ALL NIGHT PARTY


- URBAN AIR

SHS CLASS OF 2025




Go to the Stevenson website, click on the senior tab to find more information from Jostens.


Please note: Students MAY NOT decorated their caps or gowns.




STEVENSON HIGH SCHOOL CLASS OF 2025

GRADUATION ORDER INFORMATION







**TITAN
PACKAGE**




**DESIGN YOUR
LETTER JACKET**






\$50 OFF CLASS RING
CODE: RING50




SENIORS DON'T FORGET TO ORDER YOUR CAP & GOWN!



ORDER ONLINE



Questions?
Email: Hollandsworth.Office.jh@jostens.com
or Call/Text: 586-781-5618



SENIOR INFORMATION



Attention Parents: UCS does not support Senior Skip Day and that day will be considered an unexcused absence. Please refer to the attendance policy in this newsletter.

NAME VERIFICATION – Class of 2025 – Please fill out the Senior Name verification form. It is located in the Class of 2025 tab at the top of the Stevenson website.

If your student's name is not correct in Powerschool, please email Caren.king@uticak12.org ASAP. The spelling on this form will be used to print your student's diploma.

JUNIOR INFORMATION

Upcoming Counseling Department Presentations

The Counseling Department has several important presentations coming up for students. Please review the details below and mark your calendars!

College Application Presentation for Juniors

 **Tuesday, June 3**

 **ECC (During 3rd Hour)**

 **Stevenson counselors will present important information for juniors who will be applying to college in Fall 2025.**

Financial Aid Presentation (Oakland University)

 **Tuesday, September 23**

 **ECC (All Day - Seniors Only)**

 **Presenter: Carrie Gilchrist, Oakland University**

 **Guidance on completing the 2025-2026 FAFSA for financial aid opportunities.**

Keep up the great work and take advantage of these upcoming opportunities!

CLASS OF
2026



**COLLEGE
PLANNING
WORKSHOP
ONE-ON-ONE
PERSONALIZED
HELP! NOT A CLASS**

**JOIN US FOR A HANDS-ON WORKSHOP
WHERE YOU'LL GET PERSONALIZED
SUPPORT WITH EVERYTHING COLLEGE -
RELATED.**

**2026
Graduates**

- *CREATE YOUR FSA ID**
- *WRITE A SCHOLARSHIP ESSAY**
- *EXPLORE COLLEGES THROUGH VIRTUAL TOURS IN XELLO**
- *CALCULATE COLLEGE ACCEPTANCE CHANCES**
- *UNDERSTAND MAJORS & CAREER PATH**
- *SEND TRANSCRIPTS SEAMLESSLY**
- *DISCOVER MONEY-SAVING TIPS WHEN CHOOSING COLLEGES**
- *BREAKING DOWN THE 3 MICHIGAN SCHOLARSHIP OPTIONS**



**REGISTER
HERE**



SOPHOMORE INFORMATION

Parking permit applications for Sophomores are now available. You can find the application form on the Stevenson website under "Parent Quick Links."

To complete your application, please submit the following to Mrs. Johnston in the Associate Principal's office:

- The completed parking pass application
- A copy of your student's driver's license
- A copy of the vehicle registration

SCHOOL TO WORK(STW/CO-OP)

MAKING THE CONNECTION



- The objective of our STW Program is to connect classroom learning with work-based learning experiences, prepare students for the move from classroom to the workplace, support supervised on-the-job training, and help students make career decisions.
- Our Students will:
 - Develop the essential skills and habits required in the workplace.
 - Receive a **GRADE** and **CREDIT** towards graduation for this full year course.
 - Gain valuable **PAID** work experience to help build a resume for post-secondary programs and future employment in a variety of career areas.

WHAT ARE THE REQUIREMENTS?



Open to 11th and 12th grade students with a GPA-2.0 Minimum.



Attendance: Must be excellent at school; including tardies and unexcused absences from 9th grade and beyond.



Enrollment/Completer in CTE Courses related to internship placement (see courses listed on back).



Students work 10 hours a week at minimum, 24 maximum per child labor laws. Must have reliable transportation and leave school after 5th hour.



Grades are based on: Student completed time books; employer quarterly evaluations; attendance at monthly meetings with coordinator in addition to other tasks.



Coordinators visit work sites to ensure a safe and productive training environment and build relationships with employers.

Next Steps...

1. Talk with your parents about STW; Can you do it?
 - ✓ Transportation
 - ✓ Extracurricular activities
 - ✓ Availability (employer provided schedule)
2. Scan the QR Code to Apply
3. Schedule a time to meet with Mrs. Gendelman
4. Obtain Parent signatures for Policies/Grading
5. Create your resume/request references
6. Set Up Your Voicemail

SCAN HERE TO APPLY
FOR 2025-2026



For more information contact [Mrs. Gendelman \(janet.gendelman@uticak12.org\)](mailto:janet.gendelman@uticak12.org) via TEAMS or at 586.797.2059/586.797.1660

CONNECTING STW TO CTE CLASSES



Automotive and Small Engine Technologies	Design and Engineering	Welding	Woodworking	Architecture and Construction Trades
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •CTE Auto I •CTE Advanced Auto •CTE Advanced Automotive Technologies Capstone •CTE Small Engine Repair I •CTE Advanced Small Engine Repair •STW Auto Tech Intern •STW Small Engine Repair Intern 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •CTE Design & Engineering I – CAD •CTE Design & Engineering II – CAD •CTE Advanced Design & Engineering - CAD •CTE Design & Engineering Capstone – CAD •STW Design Engineering Intern 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •CTE Welding I and II •STW Fabrication Intern 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •CTE Woodworking •CTE Advanced Woodworking •CTE Furniture & Cabinet Construction •CTE Advanced Woodworking Capstone •STW Woodworking Intern 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •CTE Architecture I – CAD •CTE Architecture II – CAD •CTE Architecture – CAD •CTE Advanced Architecture - Capstone •CTE Construction Trades •CTE Construction Trades Capstone I •CTE Construction Trades Capstone II •STW Architecture Intern •STW Construction Trades Intern

Business, Finance and Marketing	Computer Science and Information Technology	Education and Family Consumer Sciences/Human Services	Medical Health Science
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •CTE Accounting I •CTE Accounting II •CTE Introduction to Marketing •CTE Advanced Marketing •CTE School Store Operations •CTE Small Business/Specialty Marketing •CTE Microsoft Office •STW Business/Management Intern •STW Finance Intern •STW Marketing Intern 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •CTE AP Computer Science Principles •CTE Computer Science I •CTE Computer Science II •CTE AP Computer Science A •CTE Cybersecurity •CTE Computer Networking and Repair •CTE Web Page Development I •CTE Web Page Development II •STW Information Technology Intern 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •CTE Child Development-Early Childhood •CTE Child Development-School Aged •CTE Future Educators I •CTE Future Educators II •CTE Law Enforcement •STW Future Educator Intern 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •CTE Medical Science I •CTE Medical Science II •CTE Nursing Assistant •CTE Sports Medicine •STW Medical Intern

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

- **Can I use my current job as a School to Work placement?**
Possibly. You may ask the Coordinator to evaluate your current job as a possible STW placement.
- **Can I begin my STW experience in the summer?**
Yes. If the employer is offering summer employment.
- **Do I automatically get a parking permit if I am enrolled in STW?**
No. STW students do not receive any preferential treatment obtaining a parking permit.
- **Can I participate in co-curricular activities (ex: sports, dance, religious obligations) and still be enrolled in the School to Work program?**
It is very difficult to do with after-school practice schedules, talk to Mrs. Gendelman.

For more information contact [Mrs. Gendelman \(janet.gendelman@uticak12.org\)](mailto:janet.gendelman@uticak12.org) via TEAMS or at 586.797.2059/586.797.1660

TITAN SCHOOL TO WORK



STUDENT SPOTLIGHT

What is School to Work...

The objective of our STW Program is to connect classroom learning with work-based learning experiences, prepare students for the move from classroom to the workplace, support supervised on-the-job training, and help students make career decisions.

Our Students will:

- Develop the essential skills and habits required in the workplace.
- Receive a **GRADE** and **CREDIT** towards graduation for this full year course.
- Gain valuable **PAID** work experience to help build a resume for post-secondary programs and future employment in a variety of career areas.

MEET OUR STUDENTS...

On April 16, 2025, we held our annual School to Work Banquet for more than 200 UCS Students and business partners!

This was a wonderful opportunity to recognize and honor our business partners for their participation in the School to Work Program.

We also honored our students for their ability to manage challenging courses while working between 15 and 20 hours a week in their professional internships!

Congratulations to all of our wonderful students on a great year of learning and growth!

For more information about how to apply to the School to Work program contact:

Mrs. Janet Gendelman

janet.gendelman@uticak12.org

586.797.2059



May 9, 2025

SHS BOOSTER CLUB

StevensonAthleticBoosterClub.com

SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS ANNOUNCED MAY 13

The Booster Club awards \$1,000 scholarships to four graduating seniors every spring to recognize athletic participation, leadership and accomplishments, as well as service to the community. Thank you to the seniors who applied for this year's award. **The four winners will be introduced during the the final booster meeting of the school year on May 13 at 7 p.m. in the ECC. All are welcome to attend.**



BECOME A BOOSTER CLUB BOARD MEMBER

Nominations are now being accepted to fill the following positions on the Stevenson Athletic Booster Club Board for the 2025-26 school year: **Board Secretary, Treasurer & Member-at-Large**. Candidates may nominate themselves or others by sending their contact information by May 12 to stevensonathleticboosterclub@gmail.com.



EARN MONEY FOR YOUR TEAM THIS SPRING & SUMMER

Volunteers are needed for concessions at baseball games, girls' soccer matches and select track & field events this spring. **NEW!** Concessions will also be offered during flag football practice at Runkel Field on select Sundays this summer. Each shift worked earns \$20 for the SHS sport of your choice. Sign up today!

SPONSOR THE RICK BYE FIELDHOUSE

With the support of the Booster Club, SHS is embarking on an ambitious fundraising campaign to outfit the new Rick Bye Fieldhouse with modern weights and fitness equipment. **Area businesses are invited to support the effort.** Several levels of sponsorships are available starting at just \$250. See options and sign up [here](#) today.



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VOLLEYBALL CONDITIONING SUMMER CAMP



JUNE 16TH - JULY 21ST

MONDAY-THURSDAY

9:00 AM-10:00AM





Titan Sports



Athletic Director: - Steve Robinson steven.robinson@uticak12.org

[Check out our new Stevenson Athletics newsletter!](#) It is updated each week on Monday morning.

Participating in Stevenson Athletics? Complete your 2024-2025 Athletic Profile today! All sports physicals and athletic forms are collected electronically through Student Central/BIG Teams (<https://studentcentral.bigteams.com>), paper copies will not be accepted. Both the student athlete AND their parent/guardian need to set up an account in Student Central/BIG Teams to complete the necessary one-time forms that allow you to be eligible to tryout/join any sport, any season, during the school year.

PLEASE NOTE: An MHSAA pre-participation sports physical is required for all students who participate in sports.

BEFORE TRY-OUTS:

Physicals (dated 4/15/24 or later) must be UPLOADED to your Student Central/Big Teams account and all on-line Athletic Forms must be completed by both the student athlete and parent/guardian. Paper copies will not be accepted. Please refer to the Parent Quick Links on the Stevenson Home Page for a copy of the MHSAA Physical Form. Families that receive lunch benefits must complete the financial assistance form to apply the benefits to Pay to Participate.

ONCE TEAMS ARE FORMED:

Pay to Participate payment must be paid via PaySchools (Click on the PaySchools: Pay Here in Student Central) or go to www.payschoolscentral.com

All Athletic Forms and Pay to Participate payments MUST be complete before athletes can participate in season practices, games, meets or tournaments.

*All outstanding Powerschool fees must be cleared, or on a payment plan, prior to participating in athletics

Questions? Please contact your coach or Remi Darroch, Bookkeeper, remi.darroch@uticak12.org or 586-797-1903.

If you qualify for Free or Reduced Lunch, then you will qualify for financial assistance with the Pay to Participate Fee. Please note: Free & Reduced Meal Applications must be filled out annually after July 1st. Therefore, if you haven't already re-applied, you will need to do so ASAP online at <https://utica.familyportal.cloud> before Free or Reduced Status can be verified. Be sure to fill out the Sharing Information Form to link information.



Stevenson Titans Athletic Department

Steve Robinson – Athletic Director

Stevenson Athletics Event Admissions Policy

- 1. All students (home and guests) must present a school ID for entrance to the event.**
- 2. Only high school students from UCS and the competing school shall be admitted without adult supervision.**
- 3. All students must be seated in the upper bleacher area even if they are accompanied by an adult.**
- 4. All junior high / middle school students must present a school ID AND be supervised by an adult. The adult must attend the event with the student and may not leave the student unsupervised.**
- 5. All Stevenson Athletic events are entirely cash free. Presales on GoFan are the best and most efficient means of entry. Be advised that there is a \$1 service fee added to all ticket sales.**
- 6. In order to avoid fees, yearly athletic passes (student, adult, and/or family) can be purchased from the bookstore or athletic office.**
- 7. All senior citizens (62+) and children under 12 (with an adult) are admitted free of charge.**
- 8. All patrons must remain in the stands or concourse area. Only team and athletic department personnel are allowed on the sidelines, field or court. Please don't gather in door or aisle ways.**
- 9. Stevenson has a strict no re-entry policy, and no bags or containers will be allowed.**



PROJECTS



- Continue safety focus through ongoing projects to enhanced door hardware and impact and shatter resistant glass.
- Enhance technology through installation of interactive projectors and teacher voice amplification system.
- Create Stevenson athletic field site at 16 Mile and Dodge Park, including:
 - Synthetic turf softball and baseball fields
 - Relocate tennis courts
- Upgrade Rick Bye Fieldhouse HVAC systems, ceiling and lighting.

Our district is continuing to move forward with the commitments made to UCS voters as part of the 2023 Safety and Success Bond Issue. Over the summer, significant improvements were made to our auto shop area and portions of our roof.

This spring, work will begin on a series of improvements to our athletics facilities that will enhance safety and be a visible reflection of our Titan pride.

The centerpiece will be a new complex at the current fields at Dodge Park and 16 Mile roads. There will also be improvements to the Rick Bye Fieldhouse.

While we keep the end goal in mind, we recognize this work will require some flexibility on our part. Your support is appreciated.

Go Titans!



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Q and A about Stevenson High School Improvements

What is the timeline for the improvements?

Work on the athletic field improvements will begin this spring and continue through the spring of 2026.

Why are the new areas not being built on Stevenson High School property?

There is limited space available at Stevenson to ensure field equity with other high schools. In addition, space on the site will need to be available for the planned improvements to Runkel Field.

How will this impact our athletics season?

Our athletics department will be working closely with coaches to ensure that our seasons can continue without interruptions. During certain portions of the improvement process, practices or games may be staged at other available facilities. Flexibility will be important as we work to transform our facilities.

What is the status of improvements to Runkel Field?

The Swinehart Field and Runkel Field improvements will be staggered to ensure we are meeting the expectations of our community for field availability and resources available to athletes. Swinehart Field will receive work initially, with work at Runkel Field scheduled to begin shortly after the reconstruction of Swinehart is complete. Improvements to Runkel and Swinehart fields will result in equitable facilities for all students.

Where can I get more information?

See www.uticak12.org/stevensonbond or call our office, 586-797-1900.



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Announcements

School Safety and Security

School ID Badges Ensuring safety and security for all students and staff is a priority each day. In addition to enhancing security, the wearing of ID badges provides a professional setting and promotes College and Career Readiness for all students.

Wearing of IDs is required as part of many workplace environments, as well as on many college and university campuses. One student ID and lanyard will be provided to every student at no cost.

The benefits and reasons for students wearing a current student ID card are:

- To be in class
- To purchase lunch
- To borrow library books and textbooks
- To obtain early dismissal
- To allow movement during school, going to and from restrooms, etc.
- To be on campus before or after school
- To participate in school activities, assemblies, dances, etc. at school.

Student ID Guidelines

A student's ID card authorizes him/her to be on the school campus. EVERY student must wear his or her student ID card while on school grounds. It is crucial that the school staff can identify everyone on campus. The identification of staff and students is a safety issue and will not be compromised. Student IDs may be left in the student's assigned locker overnight to ensure the student ID is not left at home. The following guidelines must be adhered to when wearing student ID cards:

1. Student ID cards must always be worn and visible (i.e., not kept in a purse, pocket, or backpack).
2. The student ID card must be presented to any school staff member or person of authority upon request.
3. The front and back of the student ID card cannot be altered (i.e., no markings, other photos, etc.). Defacing or altering the student ID is prohibited.
4. Wearing another student's ID card is prohibited.
5. Lost, stolen, altered, damaged and/or defaced student ID cards must be replaced immediately.

Students who fail to adhere to the above guidelines are subject to a lunch detention (or after school detention) and a replacement fee of \$5.00 to replace a lost ID badge. Students can purchase a new lanyard from the school or purchase one on their own. Tear away lanyards are recommended. Students who are insubordinate or persistently disobedient are subject to further school consequences.



Announcements

Student Dress Code

Students must adhere to the guidelines outlined in the student handbook.

- Indecent, tattered, or unsafe dress or footwear, or attire that calls undue attention to the wearer or has lettering or symbols that are disrespectful or derogatory are not allowed.
- Beach wear, low-cut tops, tank tops, sleeveless tops, muscle shirts, see-through clothing, short skirts or shorts, pajamas, tight clothing without proper coverage and clothing exposing the shoulders or mid-section are not allowed.
- Students should not wear clothing with inappropriate advertising like Playboy shirts or similar items.
- Hats are not allowed in school unless explicit permission for a medical or religious reason is reached.
- Knee length shorts and skirts are acceptable. Shoes must be worn.
- Outerwear, such as coats and hats, is not to be worn in school.
- Clothing that promotes illegal substances or drugs, illegal activities, violence, tobacco, or alcohol is prohibited.
- Clothing or head coverings worn as group identifiers that promote a disruptive school climate are prohibited.
- Clothing consistent with religious or cultural beliefs is acceptable.
- Jewelry and accessories that may be deemed dangerous are prohibited.

ATTENDANCE - 586-797-1999

A parent must call the attendance line at 586-797-1999 if your student will be absent, tardy or will have an early dismissal. The attendance desk will enter the attendance in Powerschool by the end of the school day. For early dismissals, the student will be written an early dismissal pass that they can pick up from the attendance desk.

DO NOT call the main office for attendance.

PARKING ON DODGE PARK UPDATE - We have been working with the City of Sterling Heights to improve the safety for students who are crossing Dodge Park to get to and from school. Over the past couple of years, we have had several serious incidents that have reinforced the need to take additional steps to keep our students safe.

We are pleased that a flashing crosswalk sign (called “Rectangular Rapid Flashing Beacons”) is being installed that will alert drivers that they are approaching a pedestrian crossing.

The second is that the Dodge Park Road cut out in front of our school will no longer be available for families who are waiting for their students at the end of the day or dropping them off in the morning. The city has already put in stripes to indicate that cars may not park in the area.

Your support is appreciated for these improvements. It is important that we are all doing our part to ensure the safety of our Titans.



Announcements

PARKING PERMITS

Mrs. Johnston is accepting parking permit applications from sophomores, juniors and seniors. The permits are \$50. You can find the Parking Permit Application on the Stevenson website: Stevenson High School under Parent Quick Links. Please print it and bring copies of all required documents. *Sophomore and Junior parking permits will be available first come, first served, based on availability and eligibility. PARKING is NOT allowed by students and/or parents in the Court House/City Center parking lot or along Dodge Park Road. Dropping off students in this area is also not allowed.

ATTENDANCE PROGRAM

We will continue the Attendance Program that began at the end of last school year. Parking permits are dependent on attendance. Students who have accumulated 5 or more tardies and/or Unexcused absences, will not receive their parking permit for the 1st five weeks of the school year (October 1st 2024). At that point, with responsible attendance, parking will be reevaluated for the school year. In addition, outstanding fees must be paid in full to be eligible for a parking permit. (Contact Remi Darroch, Bookkeeper, at remi.darroch@uticak12.org, 586-797-1903 for questions about your students fines.)

PARKING is NOT allowed by students and/or parents in the Court House/City Center parking lot. Dropping off students in this area is also not allowed.

Reminder that students are expected to be in school on time. Parking Permits may be suspended for the following reasons:

- ❖ Excessive unexcused absences or tardies
 - ❖ Careless or reckless driving
 - ❖ Persistent disciplinary issues

PLEASE NOTE: Students are NOT permitted to have food delivered to Stevenson High School at any time during the school day. This includes Door Dash, Grub Hub and any other delivery services. Food bought from an outside restaurant is not permitted.



Fines and Fees



Ä Please check your student's PowerSchool account 'Dashboard' for Outstanding fees. Outstanding fees should be paid immediately.

- The most common fees are Replacement Student Ids* \$5.00 each, Replacement Lanyard* \$2.00, Locker Lock, Senior Class Dues \$25.00, Junior Class Dues \$10.00, or Sophomore Class Dues \$10.00. *All students are required to have their School Id with them and visible while on school property. We provide each student their first Student Id and Stevenson lanyard free of charge. Students without their School Id are required to purchase a replacement ID, replacement Lanyards are also available.
- All fines can be paid via PaySchools Central: [click here](#) or on the [Stevenson Home Page](#) - Hover over For Families, then Select: PaySchool Link.
- Fines may also be paid with Cash/Check/Money Order at the Bookstore window during school hours. If you have a question about your student's fees, please contact Remi Darroch, Bookkeeper, at remi.darroch@uticak12.org, 586-797-1903.

IMPORTANT: Students with outstanding fees/obligations cannot purchase 2024-2025 Parking Permits or participate in Athletics and other extra-curricular activities, including August Titan Days and Homecoming until all fees/obligations are cleared.

PAYSCHOOLS CENTRAL - Follow these easy steps:

- Create an account from your computer or tablet at: www.payschoolscentral.com
- Complete the account registration by selecting register, enter your profile details, setting up your password via the email link that will be sent to you, then logging in.
- Add your children to your account using their student ID numbers. ID numbers are found on their report card available through PowerSchool.
- If you like, enter credit card and/or banking information as forms of payments to use with your PaySchools account.

A complete guide (with screen shots) is available at this [link](#).



Attendance



Attendance Policy

Another important reminder is to take time with your student to review the UCS High School Credit Review Rules and Procedures. In short, it starts by saying that a student has a responsibility to attend, be on time and prepared for each scheduled class. When a student nears or is at 10 absences (any combination of absences or tardies) they will meet with their Associate Principal and parents will be notified. When a student has accumulated 11 absences* in any one class over the course of a semester, the student will be notified in a meeting with an assistant/associate principal that they have lost credit in that class and that they are placed on an attendance contract to earn the credit back. There are two parts to a contract. First, the student must pass the class with a D- or higher. Second, the student will show improvement in attendance in ALL classes. Improvement is determined on a sliding scale which allows for 1 absence for every three weeks (rounded up) left in the semester for each class.

Please take the time to read and discuss this with your students, and make sure they understand.

Attendance and Early Dismissal Procedures

Please call **586-797-1999** and follow the prompts:

1 = Early Dismissals 2 = Late Arrival 3 = All Day Absences

Please do not call the main office for attendance. When an Early Dismissal is necessary, a PARENT MUST call in the dismissal before the student leaves. Otherwise, your student will be marked unexcused. Also, your student must check in with the Main Office before they leave campus to ensure their safety. PowerSchool is now generating automated phone calls to parents informing them of any absences for their students daily. Please use your Parent Portal to view your student's attendance.

If you have any concerns, email the individual teacher directly through the staff tab of the school's website or through the PowerSchool. If a correction is warranted, the teacher will request one. Our goal is to have call-ins recorded before the office closes for the day. However, if you have any questions regarding your student's attendance, please wait 24 hours to ensure that all records are complete and up to date.

Please [click here](#) for the Stevenson attendance policy



GENERAL INFORMATION

BELL SCHEDULE

Period	Start Time	End Time
1st Hour	7:20	8:18
2nd Hour	8:24	9:21
3rd Hour	9:27	10:24
4th Hour	10:30	12:09
A Lunch	10:30	11:01
B Lunch	11:07	11:32
C Lunch	11:38	12:09
5th Hour	12:15	1:12
6th Hour	1:18	2:14

MEDICATION

If your student requires medication to be taken during the school day, please bring in the UCS medical forms and their medication Monday through Friday from 8:00 – 2:30. Please contact Barb Johnston at Barbara.Johnston@uticak12.org for further information

SCHOOL DAY NOTES

Students should be exiting the building by 2:30 unless they have an after-school event. This is for their safety and the security of the building.

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FREE MEALS FOR THE 2024-2025 SCHOOL YEAR

- Thanks to the state of Michigan putting Michigan School Meals in the budget, UCS students will receive free breakfast and lunch throughout the 2024-25 school year.
- All UCS families are asked to complete the Education Benefits form [Here](#) - enter "Utica Community Schools" and follow the prompts. These forms help wave fees for pay-to-play sports, lower internet costs, reduced AP/college application fees and more!
- Most online forms are processed within two (2) working days compared to 10 using paper applications.
- Paper copies of these forms are distributed to all student households or are available at your child's school.
 - Complete the forms and return them to your child's school or mail them to Utica Community Schools, Food & Nutrition Services, 11303 Greendale, Sterling Heights, MI 48312
 - [Education Benefits Forms](#)
 - [Aplicación gratuita y reducida en Español](#)
 - [التطبيق مجاناً وتخفيض الناطقة بالعربية](#)

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Take A Look At Our Future



Rendering of DeKeyser Elementary School

Save the Date

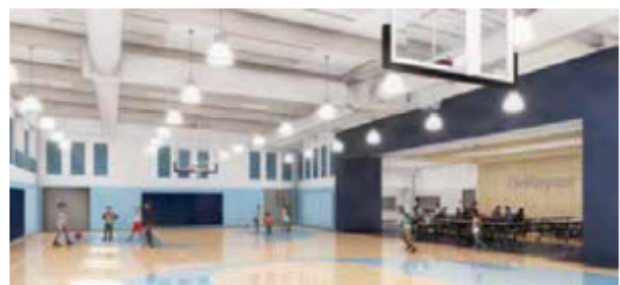
Sunday, August 24, Beginning at 2 p.m.

DeKeyser Elementary represents the first step of our vision on how UCS school designs will spur growth and achievement. We hope you will take this opportunity to see how we are transforming the future, thanks to your support of the 2023 Safety and Success Bond Issue.

**DeKeyser Elementary
39600 Atkinson
Sterling Heights**



Rendering of DeKeyser Classrooms



Rendering of DeKeyser Gym and Lunchroom

The UCS Legacy of Learning

Pursue Excellence

Live Your Passion

Be Where You Belong



Attendance Area Update

The 2023 bond issue provides an opportunity for UCS to begin a transformation of its school facilities. As reconstruction and replacement plans move forward, a unique opportunity exists to evaluate long-standing issues with attendance areas and create a stronger sense of community by linking school boundaries.

By building, renovating and innovating, we are able to give more students access to facilities that are being redesigned with a vision that encourages growth and achievement.

A Vision for the Future



Utica Community Schools has begun the transformation of elementary buildings. The reconstruction of elementaries, beginning with DeKeyser Elementary this school year, follows our UCS Empowered Strategic Plan and creates a long-range vision to:

- Create additional layers of safety and security
- Support achievement through an environment that fosters engaged learning
- Provide teachers with the flexibility and technology for large and small group instruction
- Offer a modern look that will foster community pride and enhance the desirability and quality of life in neighborhoods

For more information, visit UticaK12.org/buildingforthefuture.

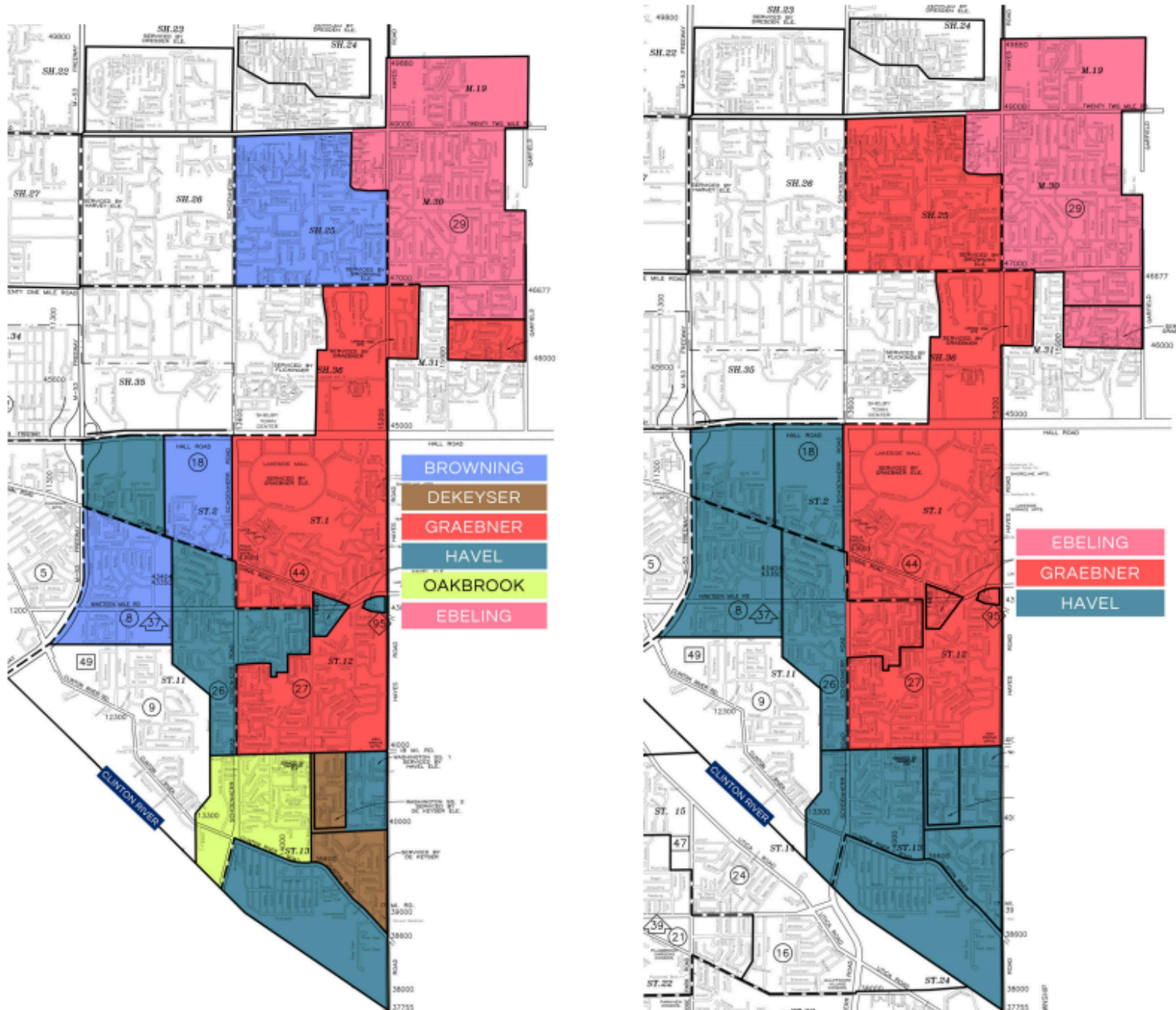
Overview

- Through the implementation of the 2023 bond issue, UCS is addressing long-standing issues within attendance areas that were largely developed 50 years ago.
- Currently, DeKeyser Elementary is under reconstruction. During the next two years, reconstruction will occur at Havel Elementary and Graebner Elementary.
- The following changes are being made under a plan for select schools in the Henry Ford II elementary feeder pattern:
 - Consolidation of the Browning Elementary attendance areas into Havel Elementary and Graebner Elementary.
 - Additional changes that follow the natural boundary of the Clinton River for the Havel Elementary attendance areas. Portions of Oakbrook and DeKeyser Elementary schools – which are separated from the schools by the Clinton River – will be combined with contiguous Havel Elementary communities.
 - A portion of Havel Elementary School where students cross Schoenherr Road will be merged with the neighboring Graebner Elementary community, which is closer in proximity to the neighborhood.
 - A small portion of Graebner Elementary in Macomb Township that is disconnected from its attendance area will be merged with a contiguous Ebeling Elementary neighborhood.

See page two for a detailed map of attendance area updates.

Attendance Area Updates

Below are current and revised attendance areas scheduled for fall of 2027. The attendance revision is made in conjunction with planned reconstruction at Havel Elementary and Graebner Elementary. The reconstruction work is part of a long-term vision for our schools that is focused on safety and designs that support innovation, growth and achievement. The revised attendance areas provide more students access to reconstructed elementary schools and reconnect communities.



More Information - www.uticak12.org/buildingforthefuture
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