

**SDPA
NEWS**



**SEP
2024**

SAHUARITA DIGITAL PATHWAYS ACADEMY

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*Hello
September*

Our Hawks have started the 24-25 school year off with success! Students, teachers, and staff have worked incredibly hard to make the beginning of the year run smoothly. We appreciate everyone's efforts and communication. Opportunities to grow, learn and accomplish great things lie before you this school year. Reach out to teachers with questions and needed clarification, monitor emails daily, and please remember to submit daily attendance. We look forward to this year's first Parent Academy later this month! It's an opportunity to help your household have a live conversation with tips for successful online learning! What a privilege it is to bring education to your child's fingertips; we look forward to watching them SOAR at SDPA!



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SAVE THE DATE

September 2nd

- No School, Labor Day

September 9th

- Happy birthday, Mrs. Anderson

September 25th

- SDPA Parent Academy (virtual links emailed home)



- Mrs. Meagan Anderson •

Troy Wilson-Seals

Reagan McBroom

Jaden Ferrell

Oscar Bojorquez Encinas

Oniyha Gustad

Yizette Martinez Lorona

Atalia Martinez Ventura

Joshua Pond





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Student
Recognition

**AUGUST HAWK
OF THE MONTH**

We are super excited to recognize



Shaffiya Stewart
**as our HAWK of the
Month!**

Thank you for working hard, having a positive attitude,
persevering through challenges, and making SDPA a great
school!

CONGRATS!

SHAFFIYA ALWAYS PARTICIPATES NICELY IN OUR MEETS.
SHE TURNS IN ASSIGNMENTS WITH QUALITY IN MIND. SHE
IS VERY HELPFUL TO OTHERS AND IS A HARD WORKER.
OVERALL SHE IS A GREAT STUDENT AND CLASSMATE.

Student Council

Hello Hawks! We hope you had a great summer. Mrs. McCarthy and Ms. Harrel will be the sponsors again this year. They will be organizing Student Council during September. Student Council is looking for students who wish to develop their leadership skills. Student Council is looking for a President, Vice President, Secretary, and homeroom/class representatives. These students will assist in creating student-based activities such as in-person events and community service projects. Student Council meetings are held twice a month when possible. If you have questions, please contact:

Mrs. McCarthy (vmccarthy@sahuarita.net)
Ms. Harrel (gharrel@sahuarita.net).



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Odette Simmons

She communicates with staff frequently. She uses Edgenuity's resources to assist her children. She embodies the parent/coach role by encouraging and challenging her children in positive ways that reflect not only through their grades but their attitudes.





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K-5

We're thrilled to see our students adjusting well to their grades and online learners quickly mastering their devices and apps! Don't forget our vision and hearing screening on Wednesday, September 11th, from 10 AM to noon. Also, join us for the Parent Academy on Wednesday, September 25th, from 5 PM to 6 PM. It's a great chance to pick up useful tech tips for both students and parents. We look forward to seeing you there!

COUNSELING

Hi Hawks! I hope the semester is off to a great start. You can do it! Seniors, all college applications should be open. If you need my assistance please reach out to me directly megan.anderson@sahuarita.net The FAFSA financial application will now open December 1st! I will have some fafsa assist nights at SHS library. More information to come. fafsa.gov If you need assistance with jobs or other school applications I can help with that too. Please start working on scholarships! Both SHS and WGHS counseling websites will post scholarships. Thanks! Go Hawks!

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6-8

We are officially heading into fall and have really enjoyed getting to know you the last 4 weeks. By now you should have taken the I-Ready math and reading diagnostics. 6th

graders have their first science project, modeling the moon-sun system along with their first math project. 7th graders will be writing a blog in ELA, an argumentative essay on the Columbian Exchange and a comparison of the American and French Revolutions in Social Studies.

8th graders will have their first narrative and literary analysis essays in ELA, and in science they have a project on Modeling the Conservation of Mass. Please utilize the Google Classrooms for all essay and projects. Be sure to use your course reports as they will give specific due dates for each essay and project to help you plan accordingly.

Contact:

- Mr. Eves (jonathan.eves@sahuarita.net)
- Mrs. Kempton (tkempton@sahuarita.net)
- Mrs. Richardson (elisabet.richardson@sahuarita.net)
- Ms. Harrel (gharrel@sahuarita.net)
- Ms. McCarthy (vmccarthy@sahuarita.net)

9-12

As we move further into the semester, please keep in mind the following important points. Remember to use Google Classroom to find your notes, extra instructions, essay templates, and the latest updates on projects. Don't forget to give credit to your sources, including Edgenuity and AI, just like we covered in the Academic Integrity slideshow. If you ever need help, feel free to ask your teachers during Homeroom every morning or visit the Hawks' Nest whenever you need assistance. We're here to support you!

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Schedule

K-5 DAILY SCHEDULE

K-5 Typical Day

Start Time: 8:05am
8:05am-11:50am Class Time
11:50am-12:50pm Lunch Time
12:50pm-2:50pm Class Time
End Time: 2:50pm

K-5 Early Release Wednesdays

Start Time: 8:05am
8:05am-11:50am Class Time
11:50am-12:50pm Lunch Time
12:50pm-1:50pm Class Time
End Time: 1:50pm

K-5 Half Day Schedule (See District Calendar for Dates)

Start Time: 8:05am
8:05am-11:50am Class Time
11:50am-12:50pm Lunch Time
End Time: 12:50pm

6-12 Typical Day

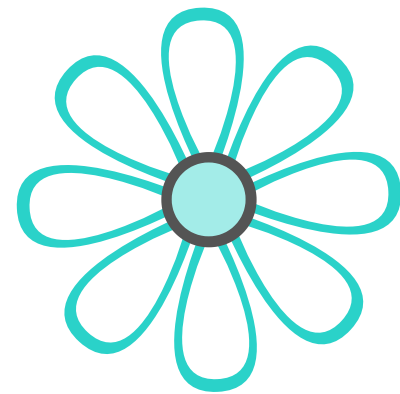
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12:50pm-3:35pm Class Time
End Time: 3:35pm

6-12 Early Release Wednesdays

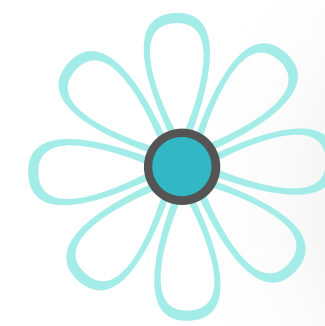
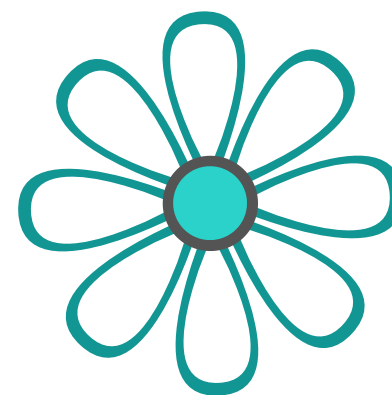
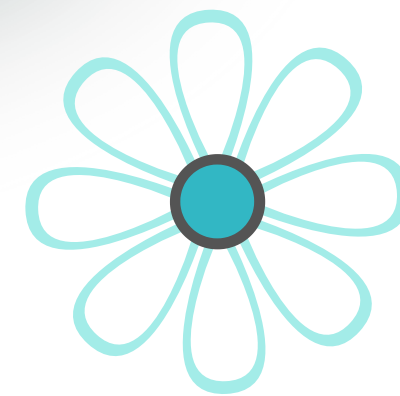
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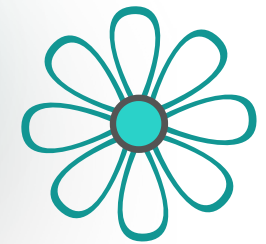
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6-12 DAILY SCHEDULE



Attendance



Reminders

Sahuarita Digital Pathways Academy is officially its own school this year! As an approved online school, we have mandatory attendance guidelines that we have to follow in order to operate. We are required to report daily attendance minutes for our SDPA students. A strong home-school partnership is needed in order to complete this required task. We need your help each school day to meet this guideline.

All SDPA students will need a Daily Attendance Log completed by a parent or guardian EACH school day.

Sahuarita Digital Pathways Academy AOI Daily Attendance Log: K -12

Each school day, you will submit the Google Form to report the total number of minutes that your child engaged in their school-related activities including:

- Time spent in live Google Meets (including lessons, Homeroom, Academic Enrichment, and Elective Enrichment).
- Time spent working on asynchronous activities in Google Classroom, Seesaw, i-Ready, Edgenuity, or another online platform.
- Time spent working 1-on-1 with a teacher or learning coach.
- Time spent working on projects, independent reading, writing, or completing offline assignments.
- Time spent working on special activities like Library, Music, PE, Computer Lab, Counseling, etc.

A separate Google Form needs to be completed for each child. Per board policy, students with 10 consecutive absences will be withdrawn. Forms are due each school day by midnight. Thank you so much for your partnership in this process!