

GHS MSHSAA Activities and GHS Clubs

Academic Team (Kelly: bkelly@spsmail.org) – Students compete in trivia challenges against schools in the surrounding area. Students must possess a wide range of knowledge, the desire to learn, and the ability to quickly recall information.

Active Minds (Parnell: crparnell@spsmail.org) – A club to promote mental health & well-being.

Big Sister, Little Sister, Fly Together. (TBD) – Upperclassman girls tutoring underclassman girls with support as they transition into and continue to thrive in high school. Club meetings, big sisters reach out to little sisters weekly and group activities are throughout the school year.

Board Game Club (Davis: smdavis@spsmail.org) – Creates a fun space to play games and meet new people. Board games include Magic the Gathering, Yu-Gi-Oh, Dungeons & Dragons, classic board games like Monopoly, and many more.

Chemistry Club (Hardison: nmhardison@spsmail.org, Dunn: sdunn@spsmail.org) – Affiliated with the American Chemical Society as a high school student chapter. Students will have the chance to present demonstrations, participate in exciting lab activities and interact with a variety of guest speakers.

DECA, An Association of Marketing Students (Hill: ahill@spsmail.org) – Prepares emerging leaders & entrepreneurs in marketing, finance, hospitality & management opportunities to travel & experience leadership training, serve the community, and network around the country. This group also operates the school store, The Nest.

Empowerment (Hodo: edmundhodo@spsmail.org) – Students seeking to encourage tolerance, cultural awareness, and an understanding that there is unity within diversity. We will host guest speakers on pressing issues.

eSports (Hodo: edmundhodo@spsmail.org) – The types of games tend to be popular multiplayer games on various game consoles and Personal Computers. Competitions are organized in the form of tournaments and leagues in which players compete individually or in teams with others.

Falcon Reads (Donnalley: sadonnalley@spsmail.org) Student Led Book Club and competition. Competes in HS Battle of Books. Meet once per week during intervention

Family, Career, & Community Leaders of America (FCCLA) (Johnson: cnjohnson@spsmail.org) – Open to any student who has taken or will take classes within the FACS department. Involved in community service projects. Can compete in STAR Events involving leadership skills & career preparation.

Fellowship of Christian Athletes (FCA) (Goss: tjgoss@spsmail.org) Links athletics and Christ together in the lives of students. Emphasis is placed on student-athletes, but ALL students are welcome. Weekly meetings include music, speakers, small groups & games. Additional events throughout the school year.

Future Farmers of America (FFA) (Barry: mkbarry@spsmail.org) – FFA is a dynamic youth organization that changes lives and prepares members for premier leadership, personal growth, and career success through agricultural education. FFA develops members' potential and helps them discover their talent through hands-on experiences, which give members the tools to achieve real-world success

Flockappella (Elmore: kaelmore@spsmail.org; Tracy: tmtracy@spsmail.org) – A mixed a cappella singing group, comprised of GHS students from all grades and musical abilities. We perform at school events, as well as book gigs in the greater Springfield area.

Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA) (Hill: ahill@spsmail.org) – Strengthens leadership skills, provides networking opportunities with business professionals; allows the sharing of ideas, talents & energy in community service projects and competition with students from other schools at the district, state, and national levels.

Glendale 411 (Baxley: cbbaxley@spsmail.org, www.theglendale411.com) – Bi-weekly online show that covers topics relating to GHS and to the Springfield community. We create journalistic and creative projects. Get involved by enrolling in Broadcast Journalism I & II.

Guitar Club (Hodo: edmundhodo@spsmail.org) pairing singers, songwriters, and musicians of all kinds to collaborate and have fun creating music. Open to all instruments, musical talents, and ability levels.

Health Occupations Students Association (HOSA) (Verhofstadt: kwverhofstadt@spsmail.org) – Enhances the delivery of compassionate, quality healthcare by providing opportunities for knowledge, skill, and leadership development of all health occupation students.

National Honor Society (NHS) (Bueno: nbueno@spsmail.org) – Recognizes juniors and seniors who maintain a 4.0 weighted GPA and exhibit leadership, community service, and character.

Pro Start Culinary Team (Johnson: cnjohnson@spsmail.org) – Competes in various culinary competitions. If you are currently enrolled or have taken Culinary Arts. If you like to cook, create & taste gourmet foods – you need to be a part of this group. Tryouts are in the fall with competitions in early spring.

Speech and Debate (Sutton: amsutton@spsmail.org) – Students compete locally and possibly nationally in areas such as Congressional Debate, Public Forum, Dramatic Interpretation, and Humorous Interpretation.

Student Council (Cofield: jcofield@spsmail.org) – Voice of the student body. Works with social admin, students, and community. Student body elects a president and VP with nine others chosen by a committee to form Cabinet. A president, VP & secretary, as well as representatives from each grade create Stu-Co.

Technology Student Association (TSA) (Cross: JCross@spsmail.org) enhances personal development, leadership, and career opportunities through extracurricular activities, competitions, and community service.

Theater/Fine Arts/Drama (Thomas: ddthomas@spsmail.org) – Students can audition to participate in our school plays and performances.

World Language Clubs: (French – Parnell: crparnell@spsmail.org; Spanish – Dinamarca: jedinamarca@spsmail.org) – Encourages involvement in cultural activities outside the World Languages classroom. Activities may include cultural events within the community, foreign language films, trips to museums, restaurants, etc.