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### CALENDAR:

12/10-12	HS Drama Production (Livestreamed)
12/9-10	JH/HS In-Person Instruction
12/16-17	JH/HS In-Person Instruction
12/19-01/03	Christmas Break
01/04	School Resumes
01/18	MLK Jr. Day (no school)
01/28	End of 1st Semester
01/29	Inservice Day (no school)
02/12	Inservice Day (no school)
02/15	Presidents Day (no school)

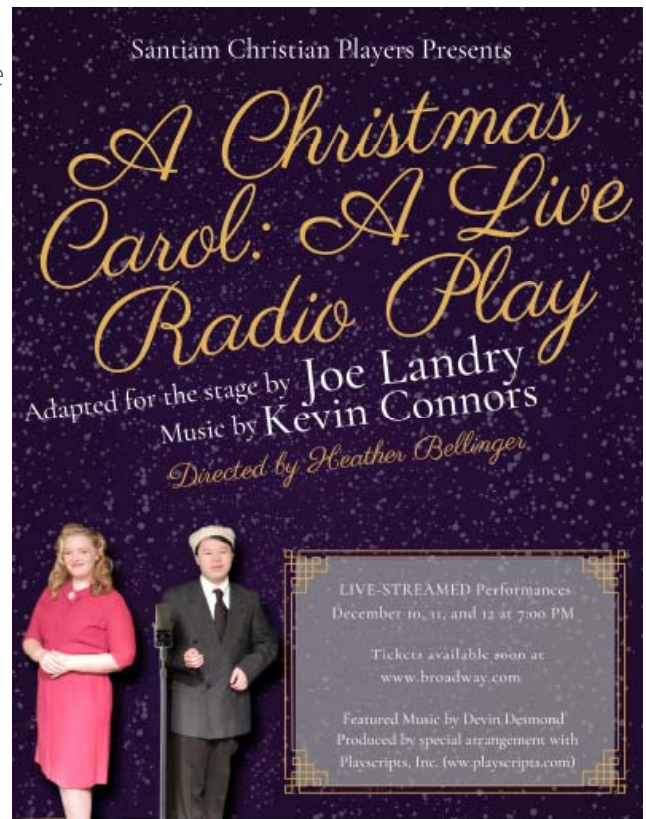
### CHARACTER EDUCATION PROGRAM

The character education topic for the month of December is: **Obedience: Quickly and cheerfully carrying out the directions of those who are responsible for me.** The weekly verse is Psalm 119:34 "Give me understanding, so that I may keep your law and obey it with all my heart."

Please read the weekly character education emails from Mr. Villers for more information regarding our monthly character traits.

### A CHRISTMAS CAROL - PERFORMANCE THIS WEEK

Christmas Eve is here in New York, 1946, and the actors of WBFR Playhouse of the Air are ready to take you on a transformative journey in Joe Landry's *A Christmas Carol: A Live Radio Play*. Journey with Ebenezer Scrooge (Ian Wang) through the past, present, and future as he learns what giving and accepting love can truly mean for himself and the people around him, especially at Christmas time. Adapted from Charles Dickens' novella, this story will keep your hearts fuller during the holiday season. And with live music and sound effects, commercials for "Extra Fancy Fruitcake", and SC students excited to present this story to you, you won't want to miss it!



Performances will be live-streamed on December 10, 11, and 12 at 7 pm. Tickets are on sale now at [www.broadway.com](http://www.broadway.com) - go to the [Drama page](#) on the SC website for ticket links and instructions. Cost to view is \$13/screen. For any questions, please contact Miss Bellinger at [bellingerh@santiam.org](mailto:bellingerh@santiam.org). Until then, anticipate gathering your family round your favorite screen for Santiam Christian Players' first production of the school year!

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## RETURN TO IN-PERSON INSTRUCTION

On December 2, the SC School Board announced that they have decided all grades should open for in-person instruction. Junior high and high school will return to school for 4 days of on-site instruction (Dec. 9-10, 16-17) before Christmas break while continuing on Zoom on the other days. JH/HS students can still join on Zoom during the in-person days if families prefer. Elementary will return to school full days on December 7 using the ELD model.

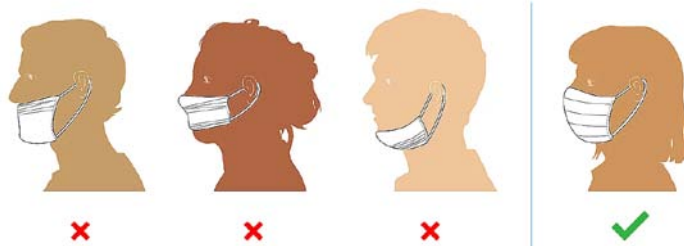
For more on the guidelines for returning to on-site instruction, visit the [Safe Schools, Ready Learners](#) document.

School Metrics data is updated each Monday and can be found at: <https://www.oregon.gov/oha/PH/DIS-EASES/CONDITIONS/DISEASESAZ/Emerging%20Respiratory%20Infections/Weekly-County-Metrics.pdf>

## ON CAMPUS SCHEDULES FOR JH/HS

Junior high and high school students can find their schedules in the Family Portal of FACTS/RenWeb. Please note some teachers have moved rooms, so it will be important to look at the schedule. Students are also assigned a location for lunch so it is important that they review their schedule carefully before returning to campus so they know where to go.

## DOs AND DON'Ts OF WEARING A MASK



## PROPER MASK WEARING REQUIRED

Please remember that masks are required to be worn properly on campus in order to comply with the guidelines. We are striving to always meet guidelines for disinfecting, distancing and mask wearing so we can return to full time in-person instruction for all grade levels. Those who refuse to comply will not be allowed to remain on campus.

## SCHOOL LUNCH MENUS



You can view our weekly/monthly elementary lunch menus by clicking on the following link [SC Lunch Menus](#).

There will be no lunch service for Junior High or High School when we first return to in-person instruction. The cafeteria will not be serving snacks during the break either.

<b>JUNIOR HIGH REGULAR SCHEDULE</b> <small>(In Person, On Campus - Alternating Red/Black days on MTWF)</small>			
RED	BLACK	START	END
1	5	8:00	9:30
Break: 9:30 - 9:45			
2	6	9:45	11:15
Break: 11:15 - 11:25			
3	7	11:25	12:10
JH Lunch		12:10	12:45
3	7	12:45	1:30
Break: 1:30 - 1:40			
4	8	1:40	3:10

<b>HIGH SCHOOL REGULAR SCHEDULE</b> <small>(In Person, On Campus - Alternating Red/Black days on MTWF)</small>			
RED	BLACK	START	END
1	5	8:00	9:30
15 minute break - 9:30-9:45			
2	6	9:45	11:15
HS Lunch 1		11:15	12:00
3A	7A	12:00	1:30
10 minute break- 1:30-1:40			
10 minute break - 11:15-11:25			
3B	7B	11:25	12:55
HS Lunch 2		12:55	1:40
4	8	1:40	3:10

## JH/HS CHAPEL

**Chapel this week:** Here's the link: <https://scchapel.online.church/>. Chapel is Friday at 8:30 a.m.

## LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION/TRANSCRIPTS

Seniors - Mrs. Schaffner and Mrs. Beam will not be working over Christmas Break or inclement weather days, so you should have already requested any transcripts and letters of recommendation you might need between now and January.

## CAREER READINESS PORTFOLIO REMINDER

Juniors & Seniors - Your College or Career Training Reflection Questions assignments are due before Christmas Break. Please get them in on time.

## SC UMBRELLAS



SC Golf Umbrellas are in...  
Just in time for the rain!  
\$25 for 1 or \$45 for 2.

Umbrellas are 62 inch, vented for wind, and come with carrying case/shoulder strap.  
Email Elise Hohensee ([hohensee@peak.org](mailto:hohensee@peak.org)) to reserve yours! Proceeds benefit the Class of 2023.

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## SENIOR - GRADUATION ANNOUNCEMENTS

It is now time to begin the ordering process for the Class of 2021 Graduation. Due to the pandemic, the process to order will be primarily done remotely. Orders need to be placed through Miners Graduate Services. Click anywhere on this flyer to be directed to the Miners website. Once on the Miners website, click on "Graduation Supplies" for instructions and information about placing your graduation order. Questions? Contact Miners Grad Services. Phone (541) 689-4588 [www.minersgrad.com](http://www.minersgrad.com)

Orders need to be placed by **Wednesday, December 9, 2020**. Orders placed after this date will be subject to late fees and product restrictions.

## LOVE OFFERING FOR SC FACULTY/STAFF

In years past, our board has asked our community to pray about giving a love offering for our faculty and staff. These requests have typically happened at our Christmas concerts in December. Since we won't be able to hold concerts next month, our board wanted to make sure that you were able to still pray about giving this year. The December Love Offering has been a tradition at Santiam Christian for a very long time, and we want to make sure it still happens this year. Please pray about making a gift to support our amazing staff, thank you!



### Ways to Give

Online: <https://www.kindridgiving.com/app/giving/kindrid-mh5e45d> When you choose a designation, please make sure to click "Christmas Love Offering for Faculty and Staff."

Drop off a check at the front office of the admin. building or mail in a check to:

Santiam Christian Schools  
C/O Development Department  
7220 NE Arnold Avenue  
Adair Village, OR 97330

## CHRISTMAS IDEA - SC SPIRIT WEAR

Today is the last day to order your SC Spirit Wear for Christmas. Visit our online spirit wear store to purchase. Orders will be ready to pick up before Christmas break. Sarah Yenchik will be in the Athletic Office this Wednesday/Thursday and will have a limited # of SC decals on hand for sale.



[https://stores.inksoft.com/santiam\\_christian\\_school/shop/home](https://stores.inksoft.com/santiam_christian_school/shop/home)

### Eagle Happenings Newsletter

This all-school newsletter will be published each Monday afternoon. If you have something to submit to the newsletter, please e-mail your copy-ready announcement to [beams@santiam.org](mailto:beams@santiam.org) by 9am on Monday morning. We reserve the right to edit for grammar, content, length, etc.

## HELP WANTED - SC JOB OPPORTUNITIES

### Janitorial positions

We are currently looking to fill three separate janitorial positions. The duties vary between the JH and HS buildings. All three are stipend positions and hours/days may vary dependent on in-person vs remote instruction, but would begin immediately.

If you are interested in one of these positions or would like more details please contact Heidi Hill at [hillh@santiam.org](mailto:hillh@santiam.org).

### Assistant Cook - Elementary Cafeteria

We currently have an opening for an assistant cook in our elementary cafeteria. The position would be Thursday & Friday, 7:30 am - 3:30 pm.

Applicant must have or be able to obtain a food handler's permit. Ability to be on your feet for the entire shift and lift 20-50 lbs as needed.

Responsibilities include: help prepare food, set up and clean up meal service, operate and clean food service equipment, clean cafeteria and kitchen, use computer to assign and record meal choices/purchases, follow all safety and sanitation guidelines.

This position is an hourly position and comes with a small tuition discount. If interested please send an application and cover letter to Mike Belloni at [bellonim@santiam.org](mailto:bellonim@santiam.org).

### Bus Route Driver

We have a current opening for a Bus Route Driver. Training is provided. This is a hourly position which also includes a tuition discount. Please contact Robert Manzi at [manzir@santiam.org](mailto:manzir@santiam.org) or 503-510-2865 with questions or for more information. See website link above for more information and application.

Job openings at SC can be found at: <https://www.santiamchristian.org/sc-family/staff-resources/>.

## COLLEGE & CAREER INFORMATION



Check the College & Career Google Classroom for Zoom links to the following virtual college visits.

12/8 Pacific University - 2pm

**Virtual Christian College Fairs** - See link for times/dates for a wide variety of Christian college fairs:

### **Career in Medicine Opportunity**

The Partnership for Scientific Inquiry (PSI) is now accepting applications for the 2021 program. Website: [www.psiprogramohsu.com](http://www.psiprogramohsu.com)

We take Oregon high school students (sophomores & juniors) who are interested in pursuing careers in medicine or biomedical research through a 16-week course. The PSI Program introduces high school students to the scientific process and provides access to research scientists from OHSU and other Portland research institutes. This is a semester-long program with a potential opportunity to be paired with a mentor for a summer research experience. There is no cost to students. We meet virtually on Tuesday nights for two hours from February to May. Students must submit an application and arrange for one teacher or counselor recommendation sent to us by the deadline of December 21, 2020. For program details and application forms visit: [www.psiprogramohsu.com](http://www.psiprogramohsu.com). The program is free of charge; however, attendance is required.

### **Careers in Marine Science & STEM**

Oregon State University's careers in science webinars provide a great opportunity for students (grades 6-12) to engage LIVE with professionals, learn about job opportunities, and hear about the paths our presenters have taken to get to where they are today. Cost is FREE and pre-registration is required. Be sure to determine the age-specific webinar series that works best for your budding marine scientist. Webinars are offered through the end of December – learn more on our [Career Day Website!](#)