

DAHS ACTIVITIES, CLUBS and ORGANIZATIONS

Activity	Description	Advisor	Location
<p>CUR: Curricular – coincides with school curriculum CO: Co-Curricular – complementary to school curriculum EX: Extra-Curricular – participation outside school curriculum, with eligibility requirements CL: Club – participation outside school curriculum, with no eligibility requirements</p>			
Archery Club	CL: Provides students with video tutorials on archery techniques as well as the opportunity to practice at an outdoor range.	Mr. Chilcoat Mr. Boop Mr. Stauffer	212
Art Club	CL: Meets on a weekly basis to plan, discuss, and create art projects and partake in art related activities to help promote the arts in our school and community. Contact Miss K or student Breann Young.	Miss Kowalewski	256
The Beacon (Newspaper)	CO: An open forum for the communication of news, information, and opinions, within the student body and to provide practical experience in writing, editing, graphic design, photojournalism, and newspaper design for interested students. This activity is part of the Print Journalism class, an elective open to Juniors and Seniors.	Miss A. Gable	305
Big Brothers Big Sisters “SMART” (Students and Mentors Achieving Results Together)	CL: High school students have the opportunity to build a supportive friendship with an elementary student while helping to improve self-esteem, academic skills, and social skills of that child.	Mrs. Moyer	121
Big Buddy/Little Buddy Program	CL: High School students serve as mentors to elementary students by providing motivation and open ears.	Miss Morrison	Alt. Ed. Building
Black Student Union	CL: Promotes activities of common interest, as well as cultural and educational benefits for the African American student body; strives to share with the greater Dallastown community	Mrs. Botterbusch	410

	elements of the African and African American experience.		
Book Club	CL: To promote reading for pleasure.	Mrs. Bankoske	Library
Chess Club	CL: Intended for all those who enjoy playing chess. All are welcome – from Grand Champions to beginners just learning the game. Chess Club meets after school on Thursdays throughout the year in room 241 (Mr. McAllister’s room). Bring just yourself and a desire to play!	Mr. Flynn Mr. McAllister	241
Dallastown Performing Arts Club (Drama Club)	EX: Provides opportunities for all students to explore and be involved in a variety of performing arts genres.	Mrs. Yuninger	120
Dallastown Students Against Substance Abuse (DSASA)	CL: Conducts activities that discourage and raise awareness of drug and alcohol abuse.	Mr. Gable	222
Dance Team	EX: Gives students who are dedicated to the art of dance the opportunity to share their talent as well as supporting the school's sports and community events.	Mrs. Fetrow	IS Guidance
Drama Club	See “Dallastown Performing Arts Club”		
Envirothon	CL: Learn about the environment and applied biology while competing against other schools.	Mr. Stauffer Mrs. Lloyd	212
First Priority Prayer Club	CL: Devotionals, prayer and worship singing once a week; Service projects are planned to minister to the student body, faculty, and staff	Mr. Adams	230
Future Business Leaders of America	EX: Provides innovative leadership development programs to students and bring business and education together in a positive working relationship.	Mr. Downs	308

Future Educators of America	EX: Students have the opportunity to explore a career in teaching, including presentations on The Student Teaching Experience, Special Education, Elementary, High School/Middle School, Teacher Preparation, Round Table Discussions with Teachers-to-Be and New Teachers, and Education in America.	Dr. Stauffer Mrs. Beyer	17
Gay Straight Alliance Club (GSA)	CL: The Dallastown Gay Straight Alliance (GSA) is a respectful environment for all students to discuss topics affecting us daily. Through the GSA, Dallastown hopes to be able to include discussion that is universal to all teens. Discussions are held every other Day 3 from 3:10 - 4:10 p.m. in the Library.	Ms. DiPiano	Library
German Club	EX: Promotes cultures of German-speaking countries.	Mrs. Roberts	412
Green Club	CL: Raises awareness about the environment as well as making small steps to improve it; promotes understanding through discussions and hands-on projects.	Mrs. Lloyd	210
Handheld Gamers Club	CL: Gamers bring in their handheld video game systems and socialize with other gamers in the HS library. Multiplayer gaming is highly encouraged. If you don't have a handheld, you can still join the club. M-rated games are not allowed.	Ms. Dressell	Library
High School Students for Obama	CL: High School Students for Obama is the high school grassroots organization supporting the President's reelection campaign and Organizing for America (OFA).	Mr. Koons	014
History Club	CL: To expose students to the multi-faceted topic of history in an exciting atmosphere. Activities include field trips, historical movies, service projects, event reenactments, and more.	Mrs. Dallmeyer	103

<i>Innervisions</i> (Literary Magazine)	EX: Publish the prose, poetry, philosophy, and artwork of students, and in turn promote the arts within the school.	Mrs. Ehrhart	140
International Club	CL: Acquaint members with people and cultures of other nations, to broaden the minds of all students about the world around them and to promote related activities.	Mrs. Dacheux	105
Junior Reserve Officers' Training Corps (JROTC)	JROTC is a Federal program sponsored by the United States Armed Forces in high schools across the United States. Our JROTC instructors teach their cadets to appreciate the ethical values that underlie good citizenship. Cadets will develop leadership potential, learning to live and work cooperatively with others. This program is greatly influenced by the armed forces and instills military conduct principals in students. CUR: CELS tutoring EX: Physical Training, Color Guard, Cyber Patriot, Drill, Marksmanship	Lt. Col. Innerst 1 st Sgt. Corwin	10
Latin Club: Ordo Saeclorum	CL: DAHS students of Latin have an opportunity to promote and study the Latin language and Western-Latin civilization outside the classroom.	Dr. Nelson	411
Leo Club	CL: Our objective is to provide the youth of Dallastown with an opportunity for development and contribution, individually and collectively, as responsible members of the local, national and international community.	Mr. Fickes	301A
LINK Crew	EX: Selected juniors and seniors who mentor freshmen through their freshman year in an effort to ease the transition to High School.	Mr. Downs Lt. Col. Innerst Mrs. Morrison Mr. Molin Mr. Schneider	(varies)
National Art Honor Society (NAHS)	EX: Outstanding art students are selected on the basis of character, leadership, and service. Members are expected to share their artistic talents, attend chapter meetings and participate in community service art activities.	Mr. T. Myers	252

National Honor Society (NHS)	EX: Creates an enthusiasm for superior scholarship, to stimulate a desire to serve the community, to promote leadership, and to exemplify good character. Members are invited after a rigorous selection process.	Mrs. Sechrist	11
Newspaper	<i>See Beacon</i>		
School Store-Catty Shack	CO: Provides the Entrepreneurship students with an opportunity to participate in many areas of business & provides products to the student body, such as school supplies & apparel.	Mrs. Cross	306
Ski Club	CL: For students who share an interest in winter sports, such as skiing and snowboarding, taking multiple trips to Ski Roundtop.	Mr. Fulton	326
Spanish Club	CL: The Spanish club will give members the opportunity to experience the Spanish language and culture.	Mrs. Pomraning	409
<i>The Spectator</i> (Yearbook)	EX: Record the history of each year in a high-quality yearbook while providing the staff to learn necessary skills.	Miss Robertson	320
Speech & Debate Team (Forensics)	EX: A formal method of interactive and representational argument. DAHS has been extremely successful in statewide competitions.	Ms. Borger	313
Student Council	EX: To represent the student body of high school using the democratic process and to conduct activities to stimulate involvement and build spirit.	Mrs. Smeltzer Mrs. Turnbull Mrs. Lyons	313a
Varsity Club	CL: Serves as an organization for student athletes to work together and help raise money and be role models for younger athletes.	Mrs. Werner	Gym

Video Production Club	CL: Student producers gain more opportunities to create video projects, learn new skills, and work alongside others with similar interests. Members will submit work to various film festivals, participate in workshops and have the opportunity to attend field trips. The club will be open to all Dallastown students, but commitment to the creative process is a must.	Mr. Klinedinst	265
Volunteer Club	CL: Volunteers participate in services and activities which will benefit others and bring awareness to their fellow students of the need to be good citizens throughout their lives.	Mrs. McKinney	294
Yearbook	<i>See The Spectator</i>		
MUSIC			
Activity	Description	Advisor	Location
Orchestra	EX: Pit Orchestra - provides music for annual spring musical EX: String Ensemble	Mr. Diehl	Room 284
Band	CUR: Concert Band - December & spring concerts EX: Drum Line – extracurricular, January-April EX: Jazz Band – extracurricular, November-May, practice before school, holiday and spring concerts CO: Marching Band - football games, parades, competitions CUR: Symphonic Band - December & spring concerts CUR: Wind Ensemble – part of music major class, participate in winter and spring concerts	Mr. Dougert Mr. Scheetz	Room 280
Choir	CUR: Girls' Chorus – class meets twice per cycle performs holiday & spring concerts EX: Girls' Ensemble – small auditioned group	Mrs. McCleary	Room 278

	<p>that performs spring concerts</p> <p>CUR: Select Choir – auditioned group that performs at fall, holiday & spring concert; meets as a class 3 times a cycle</p> <p>EX: Select Vocal Ensemble – small ensemble that sings at concerts & community events</p>		
Spring Musical	EX: Each year a musical is performed by high school students.	Mrs. Anderson	Auditorium

ATHLETICS

SEASON	SPORT (Extra-Curricular)	GENDER	LEVEL
FALL	Cheerleading - Football Cross Country Field Hockey Football Golf Soccer Tennis Volleyball	Girls Boys/Girls Girls Boys Boys/Girls Boys Girls Girls	JH/JV/Varsity JH/Varsity JH/JV/Varsity JH/JV/Varsity JV/Varsity JH/JV/Varsity JV/Varsity JV/Varsity
WINTER	Basketball Cheerleading – Basketball & Wrestling Swimming Wrestling	Boys/Girls Girls Boys/Girls Boys	JH/JV/Varsity JH/Varsity Varsity JH/JV/Varsity

SPRING	Baseball Cheerleading - Competition Lacrosse Soccer Softball Tennis Track & Field Volleyball Volleyball	Boys Girls Boys/Girls Girls Girls Boys Boys/Girls Boys Girls	JV/Varsity Varsity JV/Varsity JH/JV/Varsity JV/Varsity JV/Varsity JH/Varsity JV/Varsity JH
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