



Sabino High School

*"Educating to
Excel"*

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Newsletter

WELCOME BACK SABERCATS!

Sabino High School's Mission Statement:

Sabino graduates will be academically prepared for college and career success through a rigorous and creative curriculum. Our students will have a global perspective and develop social understanding that contributes to effective leadership and responsible citizenship.

Wednesday, August 17th, 2022—Cats Win Meeting

Thursday, August 25th, 2022—NO SCHOOL for Staff Professional Learning

Monday, September 5th — NO SCHOOL for Labor Day

Thursday, September 15th — Parent Teacher Conferences

Friday, September 23rd — Homecoming

Dear Sabino Learning Community,

Welcome back! I would like to extend a warm welcome to the Sabino High School learning community for the 2022-2023 school year. I hope the summer break brought relaxation and revitalization to all of you. I can undoubtedly say that I am recharged and ready for a wonderful year. Please know that I welcome all feedback and I am eager to work collaboratively with so many wonderful individuals. We are a team, we will succeed together, fail together, and thrive together with the involvement of all community members.

Kevin Amidan, Principal

PICTURE RETAKES:

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 5TH

DON'T FORGET YOUR TAX CREDIT DONATION!

FOLLOW US ON SOCIAL MEDIA!



@Sabino_HighSchool



@SabinoHigh



Facebook.com/SabinoHighSchool



Arizona tax law (ARS 43-1089.01) allows taxpayers a TAX CREDIT of up to \$400.00 for married filing jointly and \$200 for single filers if they contribute to extracurricular activities in public schools. This tax credit is available only to individuals in Arizona and is NON-REFUNDABLE.

<https://az-tucson-lite.intouchreceipting.com/>

Use code CTDS#100202645 on
Form 322 when filing taxes.

COVID-19 PROTOCOLS

As you are aware, COVID has been on a rollercoaster for Community Level spread and positivity rates. Pima County is currently at **Medium** Community Level Spread. **The CURRENT COVID policies will remain in place until revised.**

TUSD Masking and Testing Requirements			
TUSD GB Approved and Effective as of MARCH 28, 2022			
Tucson Unified will follow the CDC guidance on Community COVID Level to determine the Masking and Weekly COVID Testing requirements Check the CDC Community Level Here			
	COMMUNITY COVID LEVEL		
	HIGH	MEDIUM	LOW
Indoors, General	Mask Required	Masks Recommended	Masks Supported, but Optional
Outdoors, General	Masks Supported, but Optional	Masks Recommended	Masks Supported, but Optional
Outdoors, Large Group Events	Masks Required	Masks Recommended	Masks Supported, but Optional
Indoors, Large Group Event (Assemblies, School-wide PD, Performances, etc.)	Avoid	Masks Required	Masks Supported, but Optional
Staff Not Fully Vaccinated for COVID	Weekly COVID Test Required	Weekly COVID Test Optional	Weekly COVID Test Optional

TUSD WEEKLY POOLED TESTING

As you may remember, we partnered with Concentric by Ginkgo to provide an optional and completely free COVID pooled testing program. We are requesting that each family participate in this program to help safeguard our school community's wellbeing. Please read the below overview from our testing provider to answer some questions you may have.

To get started, please fill out the consent form with your permission to have your child participate in the weekly COVID-19 pooled testing at our school. This process should take no more than 5 minutes to complete using a computer or a smartphone.

1. First, [click here](https://testcenter.concentricbyginkgo.com/minor-consent) (https://testcenter.concentricbyginkgo.com/minor-consent).
2. Then, enter this access code: TUSD-SABINO
3. Finally, enter your child's information, and you're done!

INTERSCHOLASTICS

Please join Sabino in welcoming **Grace Reeder**, our new Girls Head Swim Coach, and **Rudy McCormick**, our new Boys Head Swim Coach! We are looking forward to a great Swim Season this Fall!

FALL SPORTS

FOOTBALL

SPIRIT LINE

CROSS COUNTRY

GOLF

SWIM/DIVE

You can find dates for all upcoming sports and events on our website:

<https://sabinohs.tusd1.org/Calendar>



**STUDENT ATHLETES MUST TURN IN
AN ATHLETIC PACKET PRIOR TO
PLAYING SPORTS! PLEASE SEE MRS
CARILLO IN THE ACTIVITIES OFFICE
FOR MORE INFORMATION.**

*****WATCH SABERCAT ATHLETICS ALL YEAR LONG!*****

The NFHS Network is your home for LIVE Sabercat Athletics

Full access to ALL content for your school on the Network

Create an account:

Visit: www.nfhsnetwork.com/users/sign_up

Once account has been created, search for SABINO and "Follow"

COME OUT AND SUPPORT OUR SABERCATS!

FAMILY ENGAGEMENT and COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

WELCOME BACK to the 2022-2023 School Year! Please know that Sabino and TUSD want to support all families with whatever their needs might be!

We have several Family Resource Centers that can help **even during the Summer months** with food boxes, clothing items, school supplies, as well as personal hygiene items.

Please do not hesitate to contact **Mr. Williams at 520-584-7751** if you need any help or information.

The Family Resource Centers are located in various areas of Tucson to provide help for all TUSD Families who are in need:

Family Resource Centers

Catalina [3645 E Pima St.](#) 520-232-8684

Palo Verde [1302 S Avenida Vega](#) 520-584-7455

Southwest [6855 S Mark](#) 520-908-3980

Menlo [1100 W Fresno](#) 520-225-2172

Clothing Bank

Duffy [655 N Magnolia](#) 520-232-7055

TUSD's Family & Community Engagement Department will be providing a monthly communication via ZOOM! JOIN US...

FACEtoface *Hosted by Lacey Grijalva*
Bringing our TUSD and Tucson Community Together

2022-23 FACEtoFace Schedule

Mark your calendars - Tuesdays at 5 p.m.

DATE	TOPIC
Sept. 27	TUSD FACE & HEART
Oct. 25	Mental Health & Grief and Loss
Nov. 29	Open Enrollment
Jan. 24	College Prep
Feb. 28	Student Equity
Mar. 28	Community Summer Programs
Apr. 25	TUSD Leadership

Each session will be 45 minutes. There will be no sessions in December & May.

Go to: bit.ly/3y6Wnyy to join via Zoom.

Sessions will also be streamed live to the [Tucson Unified Family Centers](#) and [FACEtoFace Facebook](#) pages.

Please send any questions or concerns to: FACEtoFace@tusd1.onmicrosoft.com

 **TUCSON UNIFIED**
SCHOOL DISTRICT

TUSD is also offering **free classes** for parents to help with topics ranging from learning computer skills to helping with educating and managing behaviors for families with children with autism ages 5 and under. Click the link below to see the various workshops and classes that are being offered:

<http://tusd1.schooldesk.net/Departments/Family-Community-Outreach/Classes>

Additionally, you can contact **Bruce Williams at 520-584-7751** if you have any needs or questions about the various programs.

SABINO PTSA

Sabino PTSA - we exist to fill the gap so that each student gets what they need to reach their potential. When we collectively pay for a teacher grant it gives our students opportunities to succeed. When we give out attendance and character counts awards to students we are the cheerleaders for making high school count. When we wear Spirit wear on Fridays we are supporting our student athletes and coaches. When we put on a Barnes & Noble fundraiser we are purchasing new library books.

Come join our team! Find your voice. Make a difference in your community.

Mark your calendars! Meetings start at 7:20 AM down the stairs in the Administration Building. Everyone can join -we would love to see you there.

PTSA Meetings for 2022-2023:

1st Semester: Aug. 12, Sept. 2, Oct. 7, Nov. 4, Dec 2
2nd Semester: Jan. 13, Feb. 3, March 3, Apr 6, May 5

Are you looking for a purple or gray sweatshirt, shirt, or zip up hoodie? You can also purchase your membership to have a voice, vote in meetings, and get to know what's going on by receiving emails.

If you'd like to make a donation, scan the QR code or send a check made out to Sabino PTSA to:

5000 N Bowes Rd

Tucson AZ 85749



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sabinoptsa.memberhub.com

Do you use Amazon? Sabino can get a percentage of every purchase you make. Go to www.smile.amazon.com and choose Sabino High PTSA as your charity!



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Dawn Graffam, President
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President

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tary

Tina Rustand, Hospitality
Chair

Membership Chair- open

Fundraising Chair - open

Frys Community Rewards

In just a few easy steps, part of each purchase you make at Fry's will benefit Sabino PTSA!

1. Sign in or create an account at www.frysfoods.com
2. Select "Community Rewards" under your account menu
3. Search for "Sabino" or "JT885"
4. Click "Enroll"
5. Use your VIP card or alternate ID (phone number) every time you shop at Fry's.