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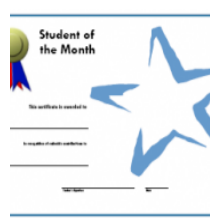
Juneteenth Today—No Live Sessions



Graduation Information Video in Big Blue Button



URGENT for Potential Grads + Due Dates



June Students of the Month

Juneteenth Federal Holiday—No Live Sessions



We will not have live sessions for school on Monday, June 19th due to the Federal Holiday of Juneteenth. Students may still be able to work on their courses in Canvas, but will not have live access to teachers, staff members, and administrators.

Students who may be behind in their attendance hours may recover some of those hours by completing some work.

Graduation Information Meeting



Last month, our Principal, held several meetings to provide our seniors and families information regarding graduation. The video is still available in the Concluded Conferences BigBlueButton link in Student Success Support on your Canvas Dashboard. The conference was held on May 31 at 2:13 and is titled: "Gateway Graduation Ceremony Information Meeting".

As the Urgent Message says below, if you are a senior and planning on graduating, please contact Mrs. Ford (mford@gatewayoh.org or 216-851-8898 as soon as possible to verify that you qualify to graduate.

The Graduation Ceremony will be held on July 31st at the Atheneum in Columbus, Ohio at 11:30am. Graduates should plan to arrive at 10:30am to be sure there is adequate time to park, have family get their seats, try on the graduation cap and gown, and prepare for the graduation ceremony.

URGENT!!! URGENT!!! URGENT!!!

The end of the school year ends in three days (Wednesday, June 21st) and students must stay on top of their work! High School credit can only be granted for completed courses. This information has been sent out repeatedly since May.

June 21st—**HARD DEADLINE**. Any course NOT completed will result in no high school credit for the course. No work, no assignments, no activities, no offline work, no exams will be accepted after 11:59pm on June 21st.

Attention Seniors

Success Planning must be complete in order to graduate. If you have questions about this, contact Tammy Unrue (tunrue@gatewayoh.org), Erikka Hardy (ehardy@gatewayoh.org), Christina Lamorgese (clamorgese@gatewayoh.org), or Marty Yoder (myoder@gatewayoh.org). This is not only a Gateway Online Academy requirement, but also a state mandated requirement for all Gateway students.

Seniors should also contact Mary Lou Ford (mford@gatewayoh.org) and set up an appointment with her to be sure all requirements have been met for graduation.

DO NOT WAIT!

Students of the Month



Congratulations to the following students for being nominated as students of the month for June! Thank you to these students of the month along with all of the other Students of the Month throughout the school year! We appreciate your hard work, diligence, communication, and connection with us!

Rose Boylen was nominated by the Success Coaches as student of the month because she works hard, is eager to learn and help her fellow students. She frequently demonstrates this in Social Space where she has volunteered to share her screen and answer any questions. She is never afraid to advocate for herself or ask questions. She is always respectful to both her peers and staff as she works to set an example for others. Congratulations!

Sartaj Uppal was nominated by the Math department as student of the month. His teachers say that Sartaj is a hardworking student—he has worked so hard to finish his math class in a short amount of time and still earned a high grade! He has stayed in close communication with his teachers and worked with them to accomplish his goals. Great job!

Sawyer Petersen was nominated by the English department as student of the month. They say that Sawyer has put in hard work all year long, and puts a lot of thought and effort into her writing assignments. Great job, Sawyer!

Gavin Godwin was nominated by the Social Studies department as student of the month. His Government and Economics teacher shared that she is very proud of the fact that he consistently submitted good work. He has worked very hard to complete both the Government and Economics courses in such a short amount of time. The teacher also shared that there were times that he could have given up, but he stayed at it, persevered, and completed the courses! Wonderful Gavin!

Emma Clarkston was nominated by the Science department as student of the month. Emma has worked hard to finish both sections of her science class! She always gave her best effort and communicated when she needed help. She always worked hard until she was done with both sections and finished the year **STRONG!** Great job Emma!

ReEnrollment—DON'T WAIT



Students and Families who wish to re-enroll for next year and have not completed the form to re-enroll should contact our Office Manager—Jessica Brown by email (jbrown@gatewayoh.org) or by phone at (216) 304-5325.

This year the state of Ohio capped our enrollment at 1000 students and we nearly hit that enrollment cap. Next year, the state of Ohio has capped our enrollment at 1250 students. We anticipate hitting that benchmark early in the year. In order to hold your spot to be enrolled in gateway next year, do not wait and re-enroll this week!



Upcoming Important Dates

Here are some important dates to remember:

- ◇ Mon., June 19th—No Live Sessions—Juneteenth
- ◇ Wednesday, THIS WEEK!—June 21st! Already—All work must be submitted by 11:59pm! Last student day! ALL COURSEWORK MUST BE COMPLETED BY 11:59 PM IN ORDER TO RECEIVE CREDIT.
- ◇ Saturday, July 1st—Graduation Ceremony at the Atheneum in Columbus at 11:30 am. Students and families should try to arrive around 10:30 - 11:00am.
- ◇ Week of July 3-8. A hard copy of students' report card will be sent home through the mail. If you would like a digital copy, email Jessica Brown at jbrown@gatewayoh.org.
- ◇ Mon., August 14th—First Day of School for Students for the 2023-2024 School Year!

Updates To Gateway's Website



Our staff bio's and contact information is located on our website, along with other information important to students, families and community members. The most important items can be found on the menu items labeled "OUR TEAM" and "RESOURCES" Please visit us at:

<https://ohio.gatewayonlineacademy.com/>

Finally, recorded videos of Zoom meetings about important information can be found on the home page of our website as well as our Facebook page