SIDNEY JR/SR HIGH SCHOOL

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NO School Monday, November 16th

#COWBOY UP

Choose courage, work hard, stay resilient, and rise to whatever challenge is in front of you.

- **Grit: Keep going when things get difficult.**
- **Courage: Face challenges instead of backing away.**
- **Resilience: Get back up after setbacks.**
- **Responsibility: Take ownership and do what needs to be done.**
- **Confidence: Trust yourself and step into the challenge.**

SCSD CAREER FAIR

November 24th, 2026 at 8:30 am



Upcoming Dates:

- NOVEMBER 13TH - JH STUDENT COUNCIL DANCE FROM 5 PM - 7 PM
- NOVEMBER 14TH - FFA CONFERENCE IN ANKENY
- NOVEMBER 14TH - HS GIRLS BASKETBALL AT IAGHSAU COACHES CLINIC AT 8 AM
- NOVEMBER 16TH - NO SCHOOL
- NOVEMBER 16TH - HS BOYS BASKETBALL STARTS
- NOVEMBER 16TH - HS BOYS WRESTLING STARTS
- NOVEMBER 17TH - HS CORNER CONFERENCE VOCAL FESTIVAL AT ESSEX AT 5:30 PM
- NOVEMBER 17TH - JH BOYS BASKETBALL VS. HAMBURG AT 4:15 PM
- NOVEMBER 17TH - JH GIRLS WRESTLING AT GLENWOOD AT 4:15 PM
- NOVEMBER 18TH - FFA OFFICER MEETING AT 7:40 AM IN PENDLETON'S ROOM
- NOVEMBER 18TH - QUIZ BOWL MEETING DURING HOMEROOM IN BECK'S ROOM
- NOVEMBER 20TH - LIFE SKILLS STATE BOWLING IN OMAHA, NE
- NOVEMBER 20TH - JH GIRLS WRESTLING AT FALLS CITY AT 2:30 PM
- NOVEMBER 20TH - HS GIRLS BASKETBALL SCRIMMAGE AT MISSOURI VALLEY AT 6 PM
- NOVEMBER 21ST - HS GIRLS WRESTLING AT SOUTHWEST VALLEY AT 10 AM
- NOVEMBER 21ST - QUIZ BOWL AT LOGAN MAGNOLIA
- NOVEMBER 23RD - SCHOOL IN SESSION

FROM THE DESK OF MRS. PAYNE

- **Jr. High/High School Arrival and Dismissal Times:**
  - Student Supervision/Breakfast Times: 7:40 am - 8:00 am
  - First Bell: 7:55 am
  - School Begins: 8:00 am
  - School Dismissal: 3:40 pm
- **Parent Drop Off Before School**
  - Students can be dropped off in front of the building each morning. The front doors open at 7:40 am, please note there is no adult supervision until 7:40 am.
- **Parent Pick Up After School**
  - School releases at 3:40 pm. Please park in the student parking lot if you will be picking your child up after school. The buses need to be able to park in front of the building in order to pick up the bus students.
- **Students Absent From School**
  - Please call the high school office by 8:30 am if your child will be absent from school. Your child can find the work they miss in class by logging into their email and/or Google Classroom. This will help them stay caught up on their school work. ***Please remind your child to check for their missing work if they are absent from school.***
- **Jr. High PE**
  - 8th Hour Jr High PE will be at the High School until further notice. Your child will be done with PE at 3:40 pm. There is a bus available to take students to the elementary after school.
- **Activity Passes**
  - Activity Passes for the 2026-2027 school year can be purchased on Varsity Bound. The cost for an activity pass is $100 for the year. Sidney students are admitted free to home events. Please note these passes are not good for the conference tournaments throughout the year or for postseason play.

The Sidney Community School District mission is to prepare responsible citizens who are life-long learners. Through a partnership with students, staff, parents and community, we provide a nurturing, disciplined, and challenging learning environment.

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