

*Good morning, Gateway! Welcome to the Gateway Broadcast News (GBN). Today is Monday, February 24, 2025.*

*Please stand for the Pledge of Allegiance.*

*\_\_\_\_\_ Step up for a great cause and donate your gently used shoes! Every pair counts! Donate all your gently used shoes to your second period class. Our goal is to have 1,500 pairs donated to send to children at orphanages and communities throughout Africa. No boots, high heels, or flip flops. Let's make every step matter! The shoe drive runs from Feb 19-28. And don't forget, the 2nd period class with the most shoes wins a treat party from ASB!*

*\_\_\_\_\_ Today's Kindness Challenge is to show your teachers some kindness! Give your teachers a compliment! That means every teacher! Let's make them feel included in these days of kindness. Thank you for all that you do, teachers!*

*\_\_\_\_\_ Attention Gateway artists: you are invited to participate in the Annual EPS Art Show. Entries will be accepted in the following categories: ceramics, drawing, graphic design, media arts, mixed media, painting, photography, printmaking, sculpture, and glass art. Check out the post in the rotating gallery on the Gateway website for instructions. The deadline for entries is April 18. Turn your creations in to Mrs. Swaney in room B101.*

*\_\_\_\_\_ The following clubs meet today after school:*

- Chess & Board Games meets in the Commons.*
- Drama meets in room 313.*
- Study Club meets in the Library; remember to sign up on the blue sheet in the Commons and include details of what you will be working on.*
- Remember to sign up for the activity bus if you need a ride home.*

*\_\_\_\_\_ Fiber Arts club is cancelled today. See you next week!*

*\_\_\_\_\_ The following clubs meet tomorrow after school: Debate and Speaking, PRIDE, and Study. If you plan to attend, make sure your parents know about it and arrange transportation in advance.*

*\_\_\_\_\_ The Debate and Speaking Club is a new club where you can speak your opinion and have fun! Whether you like to make speeches or engage in formal debates, join us tomorrow after school in Mrs. Lawson's room 305. We hope to see you there!*

*\_\_\_\_\_ Did you know that if you want to participate in a school sport, attendance, grades, and behavior are very important? For example, if you have an unexcused absence for one or more periods, you will not be allowed to participate in practice or events that day. Check out the EPS Athletic Code of Conduct on our website's Athletics page to learn more.*

*Remember, Students, to be kind and respectful – it's the GATEWay!*