

Good morning, Gateway! Welcome to the Gateway Broadcast News (GBN). Today is Thursday, March 13, 2025.

_____ Do you have a story to tell? Looking for another chance to be a published author? Let your imagination shine in our annual yearbook short story contest! This is your chance to showcase your creativity, writing skills, and storytelling talent. Write an original story on any school appropriate topic with 100 words or less and submit it to Mrs. Stoskopf by Wednesday, March 26th. Good luck!

*_____ This coming Monday, March 17th, is St. Patrick's Day! Your Leadership class has come up with a fun spirit day and whole school activity! We're celebrating on Monday with a Green, Gold & Rainbow Spirit Day! Deck yourself out in green, gold, or rainbow attire! Shirts, socks, hats—get creative and colorful! Show your school spirit and bring some St. Paddy's Day magic to our halls! And there's a competition too! Leprechaun pots filled with gold chocolate coins will be hidden in classrooms and throughout the school! If you find one, you get to keep the gold! The catch is you **MUST** be wearing green to keep the pot. If you're not wearing green your teacher will get to take the pot back and hide it again for their next class!*

_____ T-shirts are now available for purchase. Another big congratulations to our design winners! If you would like to buy a grade-level shirt for \$15, they are now up for purchase through the gateway website. Instructions are posted on the student Canvas page; shirts are available now through the 21st.

_____ 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 in your artwork to Mrs. Swaney in room B101.

_____ The following clubs meet today after school:

- AV club meets in room 412: line up quietly outside and wait to check in.*
- Youth & Government meets in room B101.*
- Remember to sign up for the Activity Bus by the end of 8th grade lunch if you need a ride home.*

_____ Study Club is cancelled today. See you next week!

_____ Today our Wrestling Team has a home meet versus Eisenhower. This is a great opportunity to show our school, so show up if you can for the 3:45 meet and support our team. Go GUARDIANS!

_____ Track & Field is a no cut sport open to all students. The first day of practice is April 14, so pick up a packet from the kiosk outside the Counseling Office and sign up today. If

you've already signed up, check your email for a message from FinalForms that requires your attention.

_____ It's almost Spring and our lost & found area is overloaded. Please take a moment to stop by and retrieve your belongings. Anything that is not picked up by Wednesday, April 2, will be donated to charity.

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