



Week of January 20th, 2020

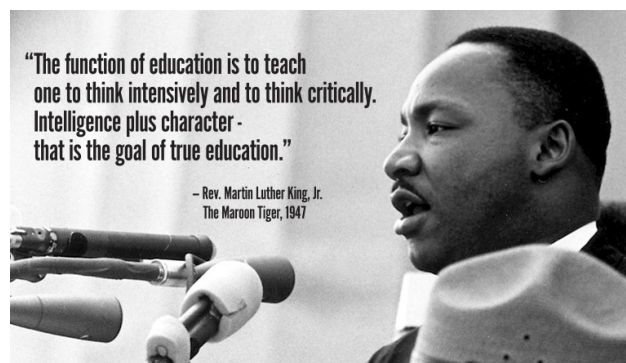
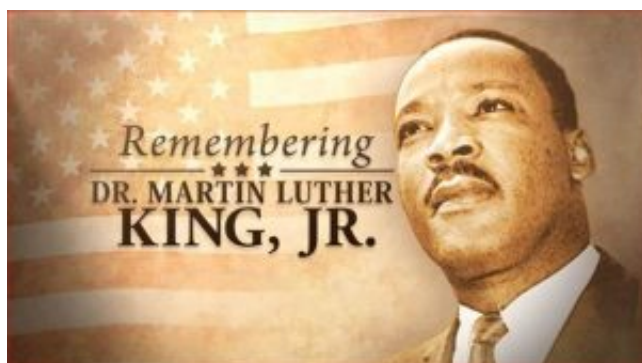
Alta High School

Ignite the Hawk Within

We are an inclusive learning community with a tradition of inspiring, supporting, and collaborating with students as they prepare to be engaged citizens in their pursuit of continuous success.

- ✓ **Step2TheU Program** – It is time for Alta's 11th grade students to start considering applying for our Step2TheU Program. For more information, please visit the [Step2TheU webpage](#). Applications are due February 3, 2020. You can also order your transcripts by going [online here](#) or through the Alta website. Please allow 2 business days to process your request.
- ✓ **Interested in Concurrent Enrollment?** – Join us for an informational meeting on January 21st. See additional page for more details.
- ✓ **After School Tutoring** – At Alta, we provide many options for students to obtain help if they are struggling in one or more of their classes. Please visit the [After School Tutoring](#) page on the Alta website for more information. You can also view a schedule for Math Lab and Computer Lab below.
- ✓ **Girls and Boys State** – Applications for Girls and Boys State are now available to all 11th grade students. This is a great opportunity to earn college credit, learn about government and citizenship and spend time with students from all over the state. This looks great on college and scholarship applications! Space is limited for these programs, so you will want to apply today. The application deadline for [Girls State](#) is February 10th. [Boys State](#) applications are due in April. See the additional pages for more information. Application information is also available in the Alta Counseling Office.
- ✓ **Are you Bilingual?** – 11th and 12th grade students: The Seal of Biliteracy is placed on a high school graduate's transcript by the state of Utah to certify for employers and universities that the student has demonstrated proficiency in English and at least one other world language. The application deadline is January 24, 2020. To apply, please visit the [Canyons District Seal of Biliteracy webpage](#). For more information concerning requirement and the application process, please see Karen Brown in the Alta Counseling Office.
- ✓ **Plume Awards** – The Euphony Staff is pleased to congratulate the three semi-finalists in the 2019-20 Fall Plume award competition: Katarina Gyorkos for "Sirens", Mars Squires for "I'm Going, He's Gone", and the Fall Winner: Isabella Coleman for "The Sunflower Pin". Any students wishing to submit their 250-word story should send an electronic copy to rachel.defriez@canionsdistrict.org by Feb. 15. The winner of the contest receives publication in the Euphony Magazine and 50\$.
- ✓ **Hawk Word of the Week:** inevitable – (adjective) certain to happen; unavoidable

**See the [Alta Website](#) or follow us on [Facebook](#) to see updated events, news and photos throughout the week.



UPCOMING Events

Monday, January 20th

NO SCHOOL

Martin Luther King Jr. Day

Tuesday, January 21st

Concurrent Enrollment Parent Meeting

6:00pm, Alta Auditorium

Boys Basketball Game vs Timpanogos

7:00pm, Alta Gymnasium

Girls Basketball Game

7:00pm, Timpanogos High School

Wednesday, January 22nd

Freshman Orientation

6:00pm, Alta Auditorium & Gymnasium

9th Boys Basketball Game

5:00pm, Provo High School

Wrestling Meet

7:00pm, Mountain Ridge High School

Thursday, January 23rd

Wrestling Meet vs Timpview

7:00pm, Alta Gymnasium

Friday, January 24th

Debate Tournament, Marie Clegg Jones

3:00pm, Utah Valley University

Girls Basketball Game vs Orem

7:00pm, Alta Gymnasium

Boys Basketball Game

7:00pm, Orem High School

Saturday, January 25th

Debate Tournament, Marie Clegg Jones

8:00am, Utah Valley University

State Cheer Competition

10:00am, SLCC Lifetime Activities Center

9th Boys Basketball Game

10:30am, Kearns High School

Interested in Concurrent Enrollment?

Join us for our Concurrent Enrollment Student / Parent Meeting

January 21, 2020
Alta Auditorium
6:00 pm – 7:00 pm

Daniel Rodriguez will be presenting information about:

Concurrent Enrollment
Early Enrollment
Concurrent Enrollment on SLCC campus
Making an Academic Plan

Daniel Rodriguez is Alta's SLCC Academic advisor. He will be answering any questions you may have about Concurrent Enrollment.



MATH LAB & COMPUTER LAB

2:30 – 4:00 pm



DECEMBER

*CHROMEBOOKS WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR HOMEWORK USE

2 THOMAS (2213)	3 SCHINO (2203)	4 MAHONEY (2405)	5 SHELDON (2113)	6 NONE
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JANUARY

6 THOMAS (2213)	7 SCHINO (2203)	8 MAHONEY (2405)	9 SHELDON (2113)	10 NONE
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27 THOMAS (2213)	28 SCHINO (2203)	29 MAHONEY (2405)	30 SHELDON (2113)	31 NONE

FEBRUARY

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Girls State 2020

About Girls State



American Legion Auxiliary Girls State is a nonpartisan program that teaches young women responsible citizenship and love for God and Country. Since the inception of the Girls State program in 1937, nearly one million young people have had the opportunity to learn first-hand how their state and local government works.

High school girls, who have completed their Junior year, spend an intensive week of study, working together as self-governing citizens at Auxiliary-sponsored Girls State programs in every state (with the exception of Hawaii).

Participants learn how to participate in the functioning of their state's government in preparation for their future roles as responsible adult citizens. Girls State citizens are divided into two political parties to gain knowledge about the operation of a two-party system. They then participate in these instructional political parties, and elections are held to fill city, county, and state positions. Activities include legislative sessions, campaigning, party rallies, debating and voting. The citizens also receive special instruction in parliamentary procedure.

Girls State gives participants the experience of living together as self-governing citizens with the privileges, rights and responsibilities of American citizenship. This learning experience helps educate young women about their duties as United States citizens and encourages their participation in the democratic process.

Two girls are selected from each Girls State program to attend Girls' Nation, a national government training program. Girls Nation "senators" meet for a week in Washington, D.C., where they run for political office, campaign for the passage of legislation and possibly meet with state Representatives and Senators. Capping off the week of Girls Nation is oftentimes a meeting with the President of the United States at the White House.

Girls State Utah - 2020

The 73rd annual Utah Girl's State will be held June 1-6, 2020 at Weber State University.

Benefits.

Besides getting to know wonderful girls from all over the state and gaining an amazing understanding of government, you will be eligible to receive 3 hours of Political Science 2920 Civic Engagement credits from Weber State University. Because the university understands and appreciates the caliber of girls who attend, they will also grant numerous scholarship waivers toward attendance at WSU, for instance Samsung Electronics offers a scholarship to students who have participated in Girls State or Boys State.

Eligibility and Selection.

Limited to Utah high school girls who have just completed their junior year and who will be returning to school for your senior year. **The selection process is handled by the members of the American Legion Auxiliary who will interview each applicant.** You will be selected based on scholastic, leadership, and service accomplishments and by your interview skills and your potential to learn and grow from this experience.

If you are interested in attending Girls State please submit your application to your counselor by Monday, February 10, 2020. A representative from the American Legion Auxiliary will contact you for an interview.

Those students who have completed their Junior year will assemble at **Weber State University June 1-6, 2020.** Tuition cost for the week is approximately \$400. The tuition covers all costs for housing, meals, materials, and university credit. College Credit is available for those who are selected to attend.

If you have questions please contact your counselor or Cindee Clawson (Girls State Chairman) @ 801-694-3132, cindeeclawson@gmail.com

You may also visit www.boysandgirlsstate.org



Utah Boys State 2020



Weber State University at Ogden, Utah is the home of Utah Boys State. The Boys State program is sponsored by the American Legion in each respective state of the country to supplement high school civics instruction. The Utah Boys State assembly convenes each year for five days during the month of June at Weber State University. Participants reside in dormitory rooms as representatives of high schools in the State of Utah.

The program involves the study of American Government and government process. Students participate in mock trial and elections. Additionally, students participate in music, sports, and seminars with public officials. Each state program elects student senators that represent the respective state at Boys Nation in Washington, D.C.

The Utah Boys State curriculum, in partnership with the Departments of Political Science and Continuing Education, permits each student to earn POLS 2920, three semester hours of university credit, graded as credit/no-credit. The university credit is generally transferable to other state funded universities. Additionally, students can apply for university and privately funded scholarships. **In addition to (3) semester hours of university credit, each student receives a graduation certificate upon successful completion of the Boys State curriculum.**

Participation in Utah Boys State is open to young men, based on availability, who maintain good citizenship and are in good academic standing. A student can **only** attend Boys State during the summer between his junior and senior year of high school. **Further information regarding attendance at Utah Boys State can be obtained from the respective high school counselor or local [American Legion Post](#).**

Those students who have completed their Junior year will assemble at **Weber State University June 8-12th**. Tuition cost for the week is approximately \$400. The tuition is processed through Utah Boys State. The tuition covers all costs for housing, meals, materials, and university credit.

TO APPLY: Go to <http://continue.weber.edu/boysstate/>

If you have additional question please contact Allan Setterberg (American Legion Post representative) @ 801-971-1114 or Cindee Clawson @ 801-694-3132, cindeeclawson@gmail.com.