

High School Principal Report  
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1. Graduation activities are this week. Senior Banquet and Awards Night are Tuesday and graduation ceremonies are Sunday, May 17. The staff is also hosting a breakfast for seniors on Friday at 7:15 am before commencement rehearsal. Please help us celebrate with our students-- we are so proud!
2. Students in grades 9-11 will be taking semester finals on a 3 day finals schedule May 20-22. Seniors will take finals on May 13 and 14.
3. Iowa Assessment scores have been returned and will be discussed in a presentation by administrators. The high school will have an intensive focus on reading in all classrooms and during advisory time with the focus on comprehension. We are working with AEA staff on this implementation.
4. The FFA has exciting news with two state officers and two students with high level internships for the World Food Prize. Please take some time to recognize Elisa Russ, Michael Tupper, Susan Schwickerath and Samantha Reicks if you see them.
5. Summer School will be run in two sessions, morning and afternoon, from May 26th to June 19th. The intent for summer school is credit recovery for students who may have been unsuccessful in a class this year.
6. Much work will be done in the building this summer. Please be aware that both June and July will include painting, carpeting, tiling, entry work and the gym floor.
7. All students have registered and a master schedule is in progress. We are working on doing some digital and face to face class sharing with surrounding districts to help use resources to the fullest.