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All Eyes on US Student Life

ANSBACH MIDDLE HIGH SCHOOL PRIDES ITSELF IN OFFERING A VARIETY OF FUN ACTIVITIES FOR STUDENTS TO PARTICIPATE IN OUTSIDE OF ACADEMICS AND CLUBS. THESE EVENTS ARE CATEGORIZED UNDER OUR "STUDENT LIFE" SECTION. THE REASON FOR THE IMPORTANCE OF ACTIVITIES SUCH AS HOMECOMING, SPIRIT WEEK, AND PEP RALLIES IS THAT THEY ALLOW US, EVEN YEARS AFTER THE EVENTS THEMSELVES TAKE PLACE, TO LOOK BACK AT A FEW OF THE THINGS THAT MADE OUR TIMES AT ANSBACH MIDDLE HIGH SCHOOL SO GREAT.

ADDITIONALLY, STUDENT LIFE ACTIVITIES BENEFIT THE SCHOOL AS A WHOLE BY PROMOTING ANTI-DRUG AWARENESS, BUILDING FRIENDSHIPS, AND CREATING A MORE COMFORTABLE LEARNING ENVIRONMENT. FURTHERMORE, THEY PROVIDE WONDERFUL OPPORTUNITIES FOR STUDENTS TO EXPRESS THEIR OWN CREATIVITY AND INDIVIDUALITY. ALL OF THESE ASPECTS AND MORE COME TOGETHER TO MAKE ANSBACH MIDDLE HIGH THE MOST UNIQUE, UNIFIED, AND FRIENDLY SCHOOL IT CAN BE. THESE ACTIVITIES ALSO GIVE US THE WONDERFUL ABILITY TO LOOK BACK AT THE MEMORIES WE HAVE MADE AND APPRECIATE THOSE TIMES WHEN ALL EYES WERE ON US.

- ANTONIO VALES



Spirit week

Oct 16-20, 2017

Spotlights school spirit!

Ansbach Middle High School comes together each season to promote school spirit. This year's first spirit week incorporated Red Ribbon Week into the fun. This is a week full of memorable events: bonding with friends, stomping out drugs and building school spirit. The week promotes fun dress up days, a pep assembly and activities during lunch. Dress up days were: PJ Day, Red Say, Twin Day, Tacky Tourist and School Spirit Day. Spirit week focuses on bringing grades 6 through 12 together building school spirit.

1 Wearing red Middle school students represent AMHS being drug free by wearing red.

2 Chillin Senior Shay Smith showing off her colorful slippers and Sponge-Bob bottoms for pajama day.

3 Saying cheese! All smiles for seventh graders Kennedi Turner and Mary-Ellen Morris during Red Ribbon Day.

4 Bumping tummies

Coach Smith tries dressing as the real deal with Dr. Surinak for twin day.



Front Row: Isabella Fredericks (7) Jillian Pebler (7) Emilie Yeadon (7)
Second Row: Bailee Butler (7) Natalie Shively (7) Yannic Miranda (7)
Simon Penaflor (7) Andre Sperber (7)



Celebrating the spirit!

Seniors Dahomey Iglesias, Giancarlo Solito, Shermaine Nesbitt, Nizala Mwamba-Smith and Ethan Galindez show how school spirit is done.



Eighth graders Leila Rivera-Page, Adriana Cadavid, Elizabeth Miller, Darel Hughes, Paula Keels, and Ashai Thibodeaux relax in their pajamas.

Ms.Hinds and her triplets

Ms. Hinds participates in twin day with 6th graders Karma Woods and Emily Feltner.



5 Killing the game Seniors Nizala and Shay Smith are front and center on twin day.

6 Erasing drugs Freshman Nathan Griffin feeling proud to represent school spirit.

7 Twinning Shanice Kamara (11) and Dajson Howard (11) representing their class on twin day.

8 Bundled up Eighth graders ready for a relaxing day in comfortable attire to promote school spirit.



Touring the islands?

Senior Ethan Galindez trying on a touristy look.

PEP RALLY:

Eyes team spirit!!

October 20th, 2017

What is a PEP rally?

It is an event where all classes come together to cheer, encourage and be introduced to the season's sports teams and champions. It allows us to recognize the team's hard work as they venture forth to represent AMHS.

The Pep Rallies are planned and facilitated by the AHS student council.

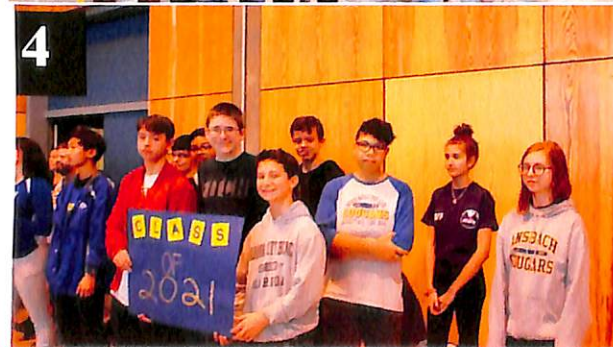
1 Promoting the spirit!
Seniors show how it is done. It is the last fall sports PEP RALLY for seniors.

2 Challenging!
Sophomores representing their class attempt to outshout the seniors.

3 Sporting the too Cool!
Juniors have fun while dominating at the events.



Seniors spotlighting the spirit! First Row: Ethan Galindez, Shermaine Nesbitt, Giancarlo Solito, Jo'Cori Smith. Second Row: Marwa Alsamarai, Chanell King, Dasha Boswell, Chelsea Caranto, Christine Bailey, Nizala Mwamba-Smith, Dahomey Iglesias, Brennan Lutman, and Alikah Munson.



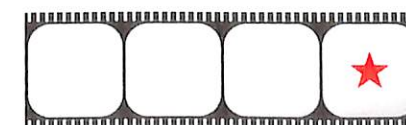
Having Fun at the Assembly

Cameron Emmanuel, James Box, Ogden Andrew, Nick Benson and Shanice Kamara. WHAT ARE THEY DOING?



Encouraging the competitors

Sixth graders having fun being introduced to their first pep assembly, but seem reluctant to join into the competitions.



5 PILLOW FIGHTING:

MSgt Buchanan and Mr. Choate take out teacher aggressions.

6 Gloating! Staff members rub their win in the students' faces. Mr. Welsh, Ms. Cook, MSgt Buchanan, Mr. Choate, Mr. Daniels, Mr. Smith and Mr. Osewalt are feeling the success!

7 Competing!
Senior Nizala Mwamba-Smith schools Madeline Liverar with her pillow fighting techniques

8 Overwhelmed:
Seventh graders appear restrained but are ready to let their school spirit show.



Lines up ready to go!

Eighth graders enjoying the pep rally and looking forward to attending as high school students.

Middle School Starry Night

21 October 2017

Dancing the night away! The middle school homecoming dance theme, "Starry Night", was a night time wonderland. It was filled with happy middle school students enjoying food, drink, friends and dancing the night away.

1 HELLO THERE

Darel Hughes (8), Leo Kim (6) Sebastian Summers (6) and Elizabeth Miller (8) taking a break at the middle school homecoming.

2 ODD ONE OUT

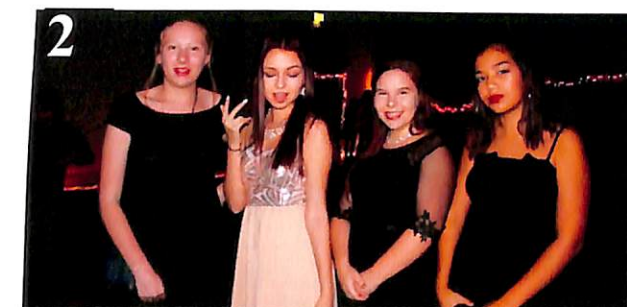
Emily Yeadon (7) Paula Keels (8) Elizabeth Miller (8) and Ashai Thibodeaux (8) wonder why Paula didn't dress in black! Didn't she get the memo?

3 LOOK

Maryssa Mansell (6), Zoe Woodworth (7), and Mirta Johnson (6) are having a great time and taking a quick break from the dance.

4 Making Merry

Seventh graders Malachi Mecham, Charles Wellenreuther and Jillian Pebler enjoy a glass of punch during intermission at the dance.



5 JAZZ HANDS Sixth graders Magena Emmanuel, Kaelynn Storton, Sabreen Alsamarai, Carlie Viray, and Laila McIntyre taking a group picture in front of the starry night.

6 Taking to the floor!

Sixth graders Sabreen Alsamarai, Laila McIntyre, Mirta Johnson, and Sarah Pierce take the dance floor

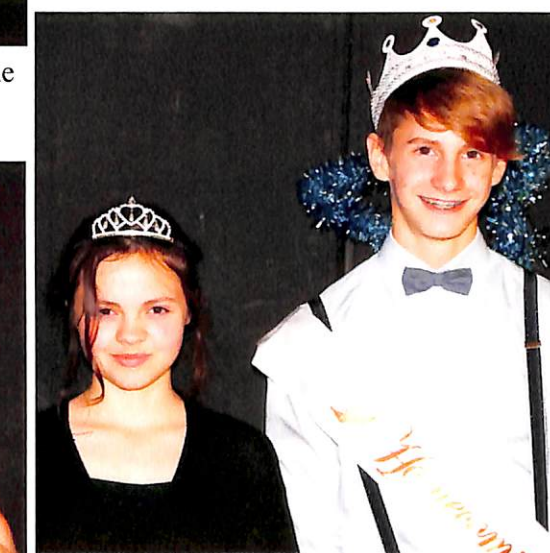
7 Royalty:

Kaelynn Storton (6), Sebastian Summers (6), Andre Sperber (7), Shelby Martin (7), Lucas Morecraft (8) and Delana Creech (8) are the newly crowned middle school homecoming royalty.



Princess and Prince

Andre Sperber and Shelby Martin are the seventh grade Prince and Princess !



King and Queen

Eighth grade royalty Lucas Morecraft and Delana Creech are all smiles winning their classes homecoming court.

Duke and Dutchess

Sixth grade royalty: Sebastian Summers and Kaelynn Storton show off their crowns at the dance.

Homecoming Starry Night

21 October, 2017

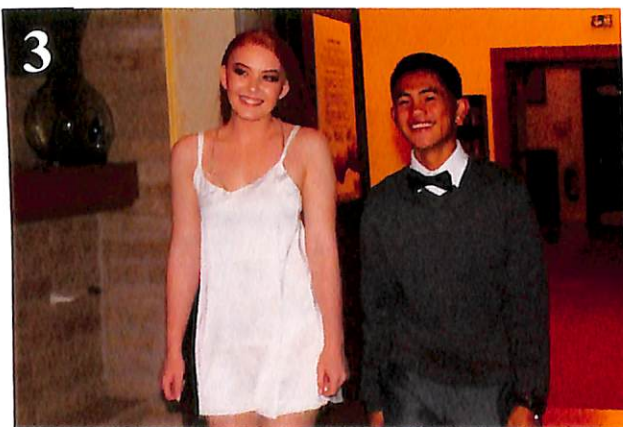
STARRY NIGHT was the theme for Ansbach High School's 2017 Homecoming Dance. Homecoming is a time for all high school students to celebrate by dancing and having fun after the Fall sports season.

1 CROWNED Seniors Ashlenne Sperber and Antonio Vales are astonished being crowned homecoming king and queen.

2 GOOFING OFF Kelli Turner (9), Jacqueline Muszczynski (9), Tia Crisp (9), and Samantha Buchanan (9) relaxing between songs.

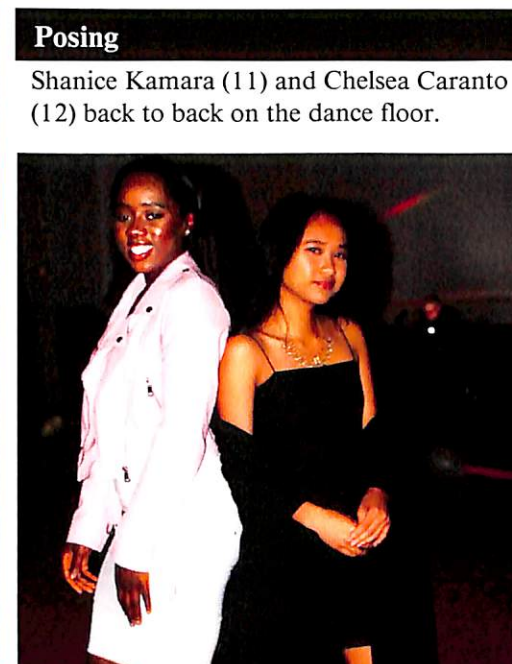
3 STYLING Juniors Jessica Livingston and Rovic Denuna smiling as they arrive at the dance.

4 ELECTED Ogden Andrew (11) and Katelynn Patterson (11) after being crowned homecoming prince and princess.



Baron & Baroness

Baron and Baroness: Elijah Odum (9) and Samantha Buchanan (9) looking cool after sharing a quick dance.



Posing

Shanice Kamara (11) and Chelsea Caranto (12) back to back on the dance floor.

5 WINNING Tenth graders Rona Denuna and Sebastian Penaflor are ecstatic after being crowned duke and duchess.

6 SMILING Alina Morecraft (10) and Pearl Reyes (10) having a blast on the dance floor.

7 FLEXING Sebastian Penaflor (10) and Aidan Sperber (10) looking extra fancy while taking a break in the courtyard.

8 SOCIALIZING Tenth Graders Cody Dunlap, Alina Morecraft, Dustin Martin, Pearl Reyes, Sebastian Penaflor, Annika Daniels-Matthews, Aidan Sperber, and Madison Liverar group up before the big dance chatting and socializing.



Dancing

Dahomey Iglesias (12) and Katelynn Patterson (11) sharing a dance after the announcement of homecoming court.

Read Across America Welcome to Hogwarts!

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1 Hufflepuff Chaser

Miguel Giraldo (6) is ready to score points for Team Hufflepuff!

2 Honeydukes

8th graders Piper Johnson, Leila Rivera-Page, Adriana Cadavid, and Ms. K dare you to try the Bertie Botts.

3 Prisoner of Azkaban

Denis Vrsevci (8) got arrested for slipping a frog into Ms. Dauber's morning coffee.

4 Forbidden Forest

Emily Feltner (6) takes a stroll through the Forbidden Forest. Look out for the children of Aragog!

5 Hogwarts Staff & Students



Can't catch this snitch!

Wait one minute! Seventh graders Elijah Luna and Andre Sperber are Ravensclaws... What are they doing in the Gryffindor hallway?



5 Playing Quidditch
Isabella Fredericks (7) representing Ravenclaw on the Quidditch pitch.

6 Platform 9 3/4

Shay Smith (12) getting ready for her last ride on the Hogwarts Express.

7 Quidditch is On! Robert StPierre (10) about to score a point for Ravenclaw.

8 The Golden Snitch

Bailee Butler (7) as The Snitch.... she's wicked fast!



Follow the Spiders?!

Shelby Martin (7) wants to know why can't it be butterflies?

In Europe



Ansbach, Germany
2017-2018

Traveling

Being stationed in Europe brings lots of travel opportunities. Students at Ansbach Middle High School enjoy spending three-day weekends, winter and spring holidays, as well as summers, traveling Europe and enjoying local traditions of Germany.

1 Sittin' around

Eric Moreno (10) and his family take a break from walking, perched above the town of Prague.

2 Really high up!

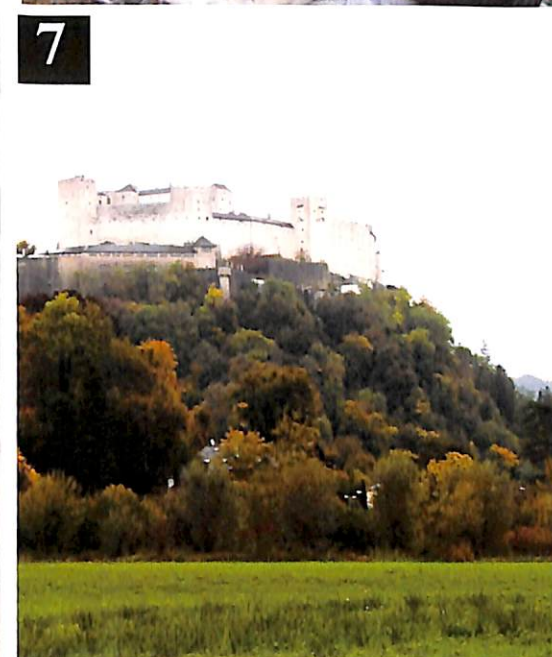
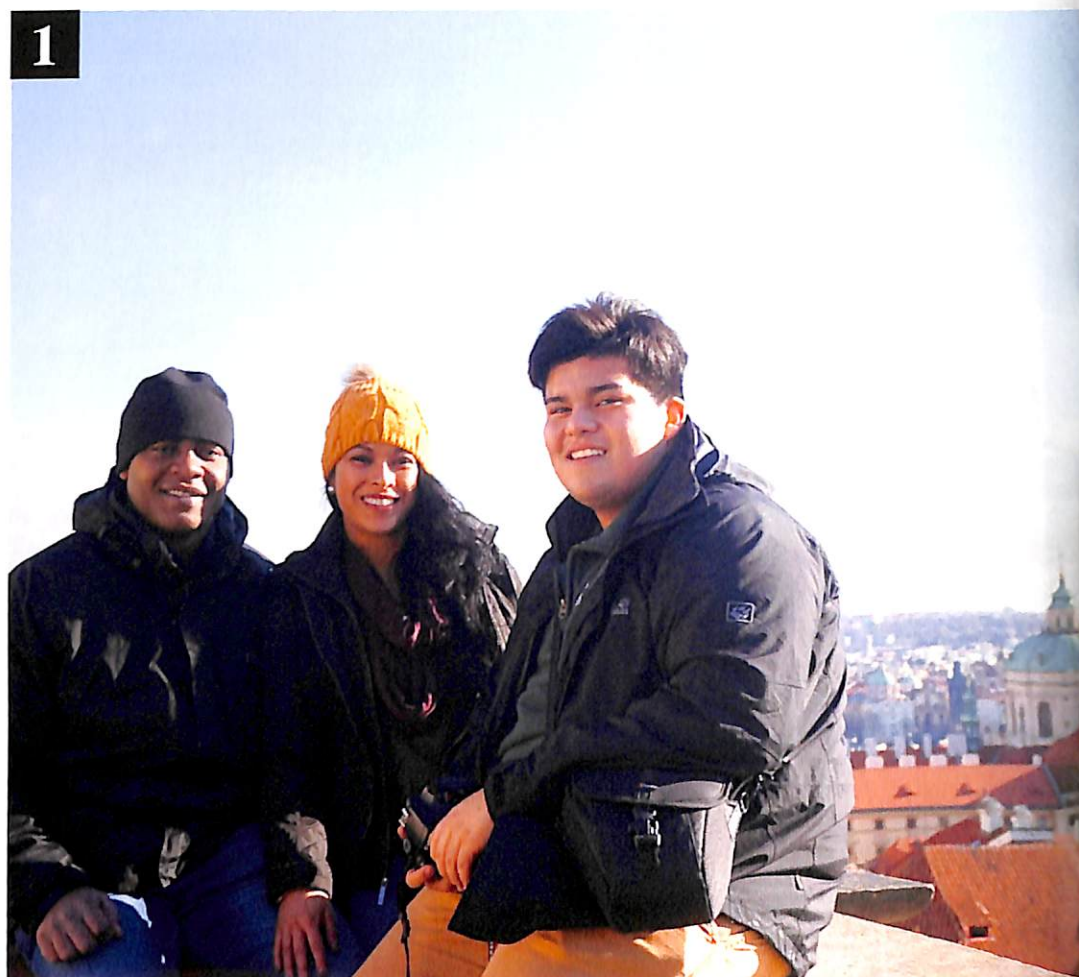
The Alpine mountains include the highest point in all of Europe!

3 Standing Tall

The Eiffel Tower is the emblem of Paris.

4 Thrill in Paris!

Mary-Ellen Morris (7) and family balance on the Eiffel Tower to enjoy the view of Paris.



Rolling around!

Shay Smith (12) riding a Segway through Hungary's capital of Budapest! Watch Out!



Ashai Thibodeaux (8) is enthusiastic about a bronze sculpture she found in Wildschauegehe Rodelbahn.

Hold on tight!



5 Chicken wrangling!

Umar Alsamara (8) and his chicken adapt to German country life. Germany provides opportunities for all kinds of experiences.

6 Island Fun

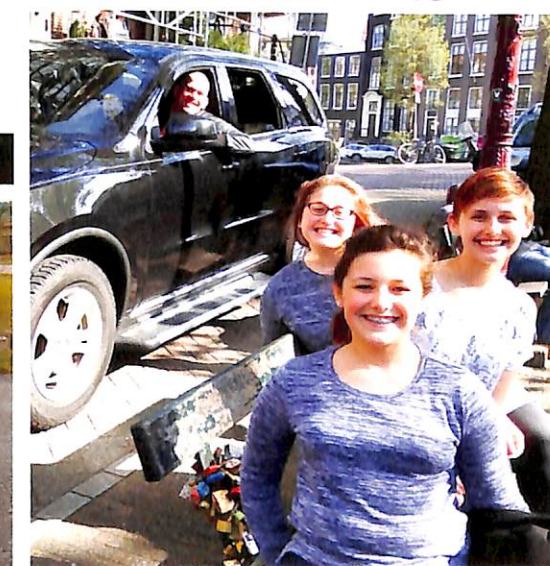
and Dustin (10) and Shelby (7) Martin, along with their mom and dad, enjoy the ocean in Majorca, capturing the moment with a selfie.

7 Above the City

A castle in Austria where the famous Wolfgang Mozart once performed!

8 Say Cheese!

Charles (7) and Salisa (8) Wellenreuther and family stop to enjoy a panoramic view in Austria.



Not going far!

Mr. Turner and his three daughters Kaitlan (12), Kennedi (7), and Kelli (9) enjoying Amsterdam.

Friends Looking for friends



2017-2018

Focusing on Friendship: Making and keeping friends is a skill that military kids continually develop and use. Stationed away from family, friends become family and their support is essential in being a part in whatever community you are stationed.

1 Friends, Friends, Friends! Ogden Andrews (11) and Kevin Kamara (11) Ethan Galindez (12) and Rovic Denuna (11), Aiden Storton (8), Noah Kim (8), and Tyrese King (9), as well as others, all enjoy spending time together at Ansbach events.

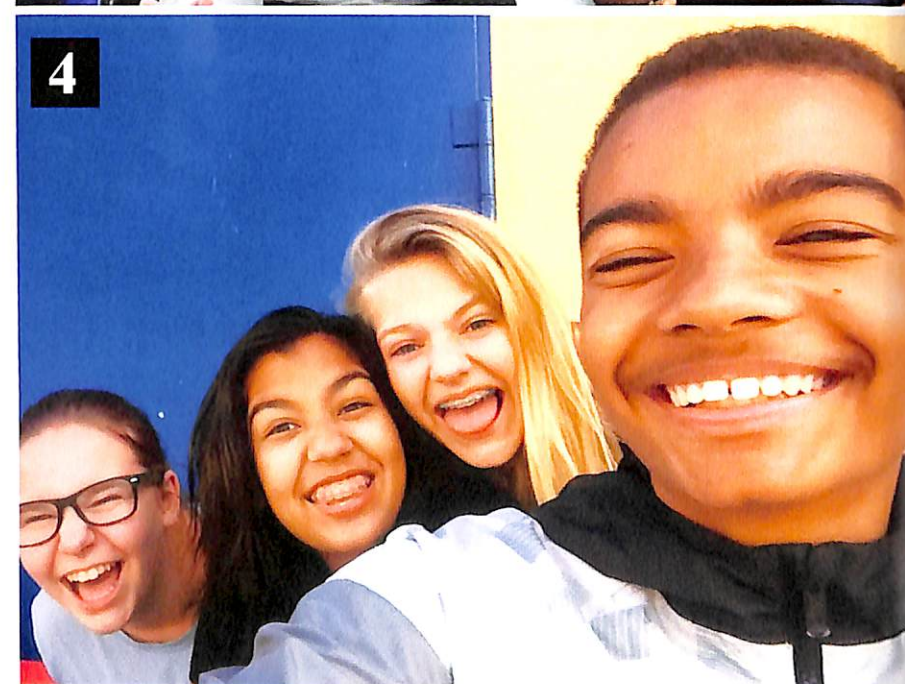
2 Proud Smiles

Seventh Graders Jillian Pebler, Emilie Yeadon, and Natalie Shively link arms and smile, proud of their friendship!

3 Gleeful!

Tenth Graders Annika Daniels-Matthews and Alina Morecraft look like they may be planning mischief.

4 Silliness is afoot! Elizabeth Miller (8), Ashai Thibodeaux(8), Shelby Martin (7), and Darel Hughes (8) beam with delight.



Life of the party

Ninth graders Jacqueline Muszczynski, Kelli Turner, Tia Crisp and Samantha Buchanan enjoying conversation and refreshments.



Booty Bump!
Twelfth Graders Nizala Mwamba-Smith and Giancarlo Solito fool around on Tacky Tourist Day.



5 Kicking back Seniors Shermaine Nesbitt and Ethan Galindez enjoy each other's company.

6 Hug it out! Tenth Graders:

Alina Morecraft and Rona Denuna along with Mrs. Duplessie hug to show off their love and school spirit.

7 Hamming it up! Seniors:

Nizala Mwamba-Smith and Jo'Cori (Shay) Smith play to entertain.

8 Wait! Seventh graders:

Kennedi Turner was not quite ready for Mary-Ellen Morris and Shelby Martin to snap a selfie!



The Science behind a Smile

Eighth graders Elizabeth Miller and Paula Keels smile while learning more in science.

Middle School Events



2017-2018

Here at Ansbach Middle High School, we hold a series of fun events that we hope all students enjoy! From chilling outside with friends to watching fire prevention activities. We can assure there will be absolutely no boredom!

1 Cutie Pies

Salisa Wellenreuther (8) and Mary-Ellen Morris (7) admiring each others cute pajamas during Spirit week.

2 Heads Up!

Sergeant Buchanan and Miguel Giraldo (6) enjoy time in the sunshine and throw a frisbee back and forth during a "Sports and Chill," after school activity.

3 YOLO

Sixth Graders Mirta Johnson, Miguel Giraldo, Joel Rosado, Blake Fowler, and Karma Woods are oblivious to fire prevention and just want to have some fun socializing.

4 What?

Eighth graders Ashai Thibodeaux and Paula Keels imitate a pop star in their fancy pajamas.



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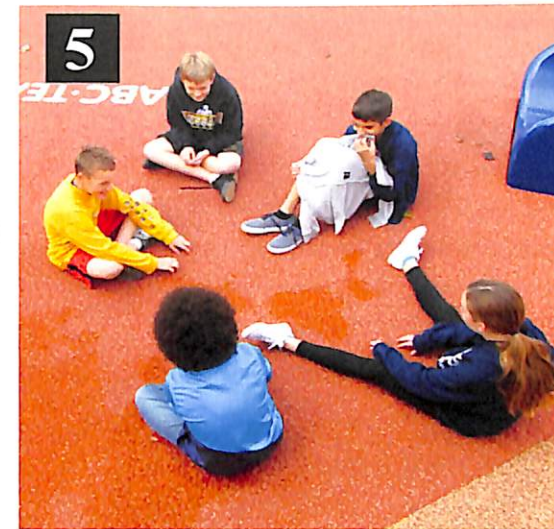
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Heads Up!

Noah Kim (8) and Damion Lopez-Turrey (8) look up to avoid getting a ball to the face.



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Nice Partings

Maryssa Mansell (6) Sarah Pierce (6), Mrs. Harrison, and Emily Feltner (6) smile as they as the the final dance calls their parting.



5 Groupies Seventh Graders Malachi Meham, Elijah Luna, Jillian Pebler, Charles Wellenreuther, and sixth grader Keaton Woods laugh and joke around.

6 Bro. Wait!

Ljah Dumo (9) prepares Lyander-Jon Dumo for his first band concert held at Ansbach Middle High School.

7 Waves Sixth graders Maryssa Mansell and Mirta Johnson greet each other in the morning with delight.

8 Reindeer Games

Margaux Edquid (7), Emilie Yeadon (7), and Aiden Storton (8) lounge casually during the Ansbach Winter Carnival.

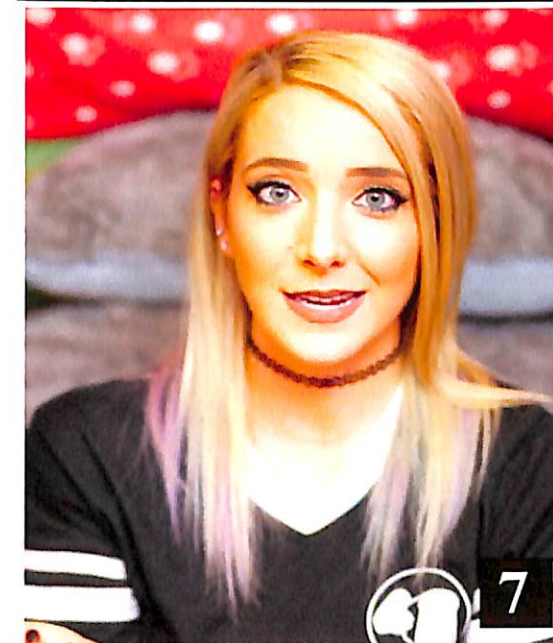
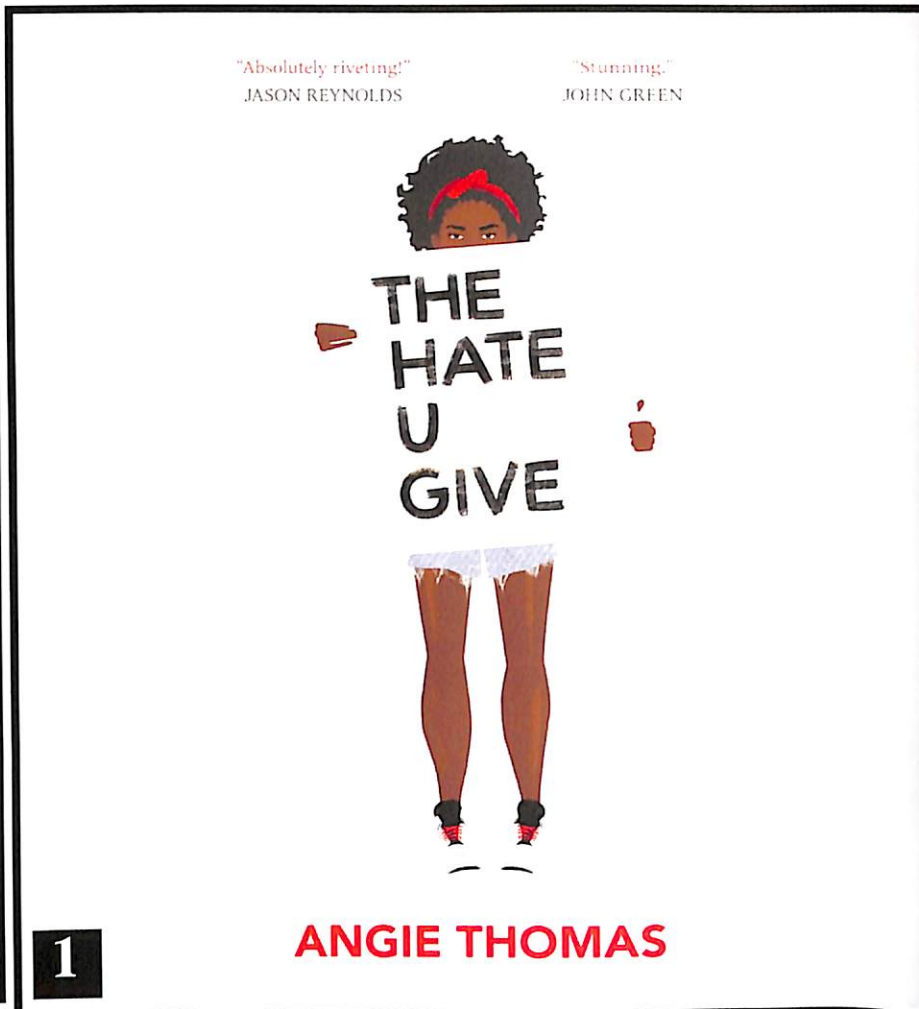


Come at me

Miguel Giraldo (6) throws his hands up without a care about the world during a "Sports and Chill".

Ansbach Middle/High Trends

1. Most popular book:
The Hate U Give
2. Most popular shoe brand:
Nike
3. Most popular song:
"Humble" by Kendrick Lamar
4. Most popular TV show:
"Stranger Things."
5. Most popular clothes brand:
H&M



6. Most popular video game:
Legend of Zelda
7. Most popular you tuber :
Jenna Marbles.
8. Most popular movie:
Black Panther



"The Hate You Give" audio book

Listening! Bethany Journigan (7) and Leila Rivera-Page (8) are anxious to listen to the book.



Nikes

New Trends. Kevin Kamara (11), Damion Lopez-Turrey (8), Denis Vrsevci (8), and Shiobue Parks (8) showing off their style.

All Eyes on US Sports

WHEN IT COMES TO SPORTS AMHS IS THE CENTER OF ATTENTION SO THERE IS NO QUESTION AS TO WHY, "ALL EYES ARE ON US". DURING THE SCHOOL YEAR THERE ARE TONS OF SPORTS THAT ARE AVAILABLE FOR STUDENTS EITHER AT THE SCHOOL OR AT THE CYS. FROM VOLLEYBALL TO TRACK, THERE'S SOMETHING FOR EVERYONE DURING EACH SEASON. AT ANSBACH MIDDLE HIGH SCHOOL, WE'RE EITHER BUMPING OR RUNNING, SHOOTING OR PASSING, KICKING OR SPRINTING. BETWEEN ALL OF THESE ACTIVITIES THAT WE TAKE PART IN, IT'S NO WONDER WHY THE FOCUS OF OUR PARENTS AND THE COMMUNITY IS ON "US".

THE SELECTION OF SPORTS LETS EVERY STUDENT SHOW THEIR SKILLS IN ONE WAY OR ANOTHER. THE SPORTS AT ANSBACH ARE: VOLLEYBALL, CROSS COUNTRY, BASKETBALL, RIFLE TEAM, DRILL TEAM, SOCCER, BASEBALL AND TRACK FOR STUDENTS IN HIGH SCHOOL. WE ALSO HAVE OUR COMMUNITY TEEN CENTER OFFERING SPORTS FOR THE MIDDLE SCHOOL TO PREPARE THEM FOR HIGH SCHOOL SPORTS AND SOME OF OUR STUDENTS PARTICIPATE ON GERMAN TEAMS. AMHS LETS EVERYONE KNOW THAT WE MIGHT BE SMALL BUT WE ARE MIGHTY. SO MAKE SURE TO KEEP YOUR "EYES ON ANSBACH," BECAUSE WE COME IN STRONG.

- SHAY SMITH



VARSITY VOLLEYBALL



From top left: Alikah Munson (12), Shanice Kamara (11), Katelynn Patterson (11), Jasmine Rivera (10), Dasha Boswell (12), Bottom: Alicia Kura (11), Shay Smith (12), Jackie Muszczynski (9), Rona Denuna(10), Shermaine Nesbitt (12), MJ Vega (9), Ashlenne Sperber (12), Madeline Liverar (10), Chanell King (12), Coach Lange, and Coach K.



Shermaine Nesbitt
"Sorry Princess, Cinderella is not even going to get to this ball!"



Ashlenne Sperber
"I see myself as a pediatric nurse helping to save kids lives"



Chanell King
"I see myself as a US soldier in the Air Force"



Shay Smith
"I see myself entertaining and delving into the minds of others"



Alikah Munson
"I can see myself creating things that I love."



Dasha Boswell
"I can see myself helping others in the future."



LEFT: LISTEN UP!
The volleyball team has a team discussion during the sets between Baumholder and Ansbach.

KATELYNN PATTERSON (11)

"Even though we have a lot of new players, we still tried our best to win!"



WHAT DO YOU SEE IN YOURSELF THAT CONTRIBUTES TO THE TEAM? SHANICE KAMARA(11)

"I'm real to my teammates."

IN YOUR POINT OF VIEW, WHAT KEEPS YOUR TEAM TOGETHER? DASHA BOSWELL(12):

"The fun we usually have at practice."



WHAT KIND OF SUCCESS DO YOU SEE WITH YOUR TEAM? ALIKAH MUNSON(12)

"I think over time we will have many memories of playing together to look back on when the season is finished."



HUDDLE UP!
Coach Lange is setting up the team to finish practice with a "BRING IT IN LADY COUGARSON 3, 1, 2, 3 LADY COUGARSON!!!"



HOW HIGH!
Junior Katelynn Patterson, co-captain, is warming up by practicing her killing.



TEAMWORK!
Senior Shermaine Nesbitt is diving for the ball.
Below: LINE THEM UP! The seniors are honored at Homecoming game.



TEAM STATS!
Record for the season was 1-12. Katelynn Patterson was named an All-Star Team Alternate. She was also named All-Region 2nd Team. MJ Vega was named All-Region 1st Team, as well as All-Tournament for Europeans.

CROSS COUNTRY



From left to right: Riley Smith (11), Johnny Keels (11), Sebastian Ellis (12), Sebastian Penaflor (10), Ljah Dumo (9), Isaiah Pipkin (10), Eliana Vales (9), Kai Park (9), Chelsea Caranto (12), Kelli Turner (9), Coach Daniels and Angelina Lopez-Turrey (10).



Coach Daniels excited to get a picture with his signature helmet in front of the Apache.



Sebastian Ellis
Senior

"Cross Country was an amazing experience that taught me so much about myself physically and mentally; wish I could do it again."



Kelli Turner (9)
Manager

"XC is a sport that allows you to have fun but you have to work hard."



Chelsea Caranto

Senior "Your biggest challenge isn't someone else. It's the ache in your lungs and the burning in your legs and the voice inside your head that yells "I can't". But you don't listen and soon you hear "I can". That's when you find out the person that you thought you were is no match for the person you are"



LISTEN UP!
Coach Daniels giving Kelli Turner (9), Isaiah Pipkin (10), Sebastian Ellis (12), and Pearl Reyes (10) instructions for a 5k training run.



"The faster you run the faster the race is finished."



LOOKING SATISFIED?

The cross country girls, Kelli Turner (9), Chelsea Caranto (12) and Eliana Vales (9) after they finished the race in Munich.

PART OF THE TEAM:

Sebastian Penaflor (10), Ljah Dumo (9), Johnny Keels (11) and Riley Smith (11) after running the



STRETCH UP!

Sebastian Penaflor (10), Dustin Martin (10), Riley Smith (11), Chelsea Caranto (12), Sebastian Ellis (12), Mrs. Daniels.

The cross country team doing their daily dynamic stretches before practice started.



HOW THE TEAM STARTED.

The team's first group picture near Katterbach.

Coach Daniels, Kelli Turner (9), Eric Unger (9), Sebastian Ellis (12), Tyrese King (9), Eliana Vales (9), Riley Smith (11), Pearl Reyes (10), Isaiah Pipkin (10), Ljah Dumo (9), Johnny Keels (11), Sebastian Penaflor (10), Kai Park (9), Dustin Martin (10), and Angelina Lopez-Turrey (10).



GET SET!
The girls on the line and ready to run in Munich.



WATCH YOUR STEP!

Back Left: Sebastian Penaflor (10), Ljah Dumo (9), Kai Park (9)
Front Left: Eliana Vales (9), Chelsea Caranto (12), Kelli Turner (9)

The team walking through their course in Frankfurt before the first run starts.



LET'S SOAR!

The team learning about the Apache

STATS:

Our top three male runners Kai Park (9), Sebastian Ellis (12) and Sebastian Penaflor (10) were only about 1.4 seconds away from making it to Europeans. The female runners Chelsea Caranto (12), Eliana Vales (9) and Kelli Turner (9) gave it their all and never lost motivation.

Cougar Girl's Basketball



Lady Cougars (left to right): Alikah Munson (12), Marianne Jancy Vega (9), Cheska Caranto (10), Chelsea Caranto (12), Pearl Reyes (10), Coach Hunt, Shanice Kamara (11), Samantha Buchanan (9), Coach Duplessie, Rona Denuna (10), Shermaine Nesbitt (12)

Seniors

What's most important about basketball?



"Playing as a team and scoring is my favorite thing to do."
Alikah Munson



"Developing chemistry with your teammates."
Captain:
Shermaine Nesbitt



"Working as a team is what I really love about basketball."
Chelsea Caranto



Coach Hunt
"I look for young ladies who are willing to work hard to be successful."



Show us how it's done!
Katie Patterson (11) shooting free throws while Shermaine Nesbitt (12) waits her turn.



What's most important about basketball?
"Making sure our team scores and has fun while doing it." **Captain** Katelynn Patterson (11)

What's most important about basketball?
"Learning to teamwork and building relationships."

Katherine McGrail (11)



What's most important about basketball?
"Dunking on the haters." Samantha Buchanan (9)



Countdown to Play!
Cheska Caranto (10), Rona Denuna (10), Alikah Munson (12), Samantha Buchanan (9) warm up for their game.



Go Cougars! Alikah Munson (12) Prepares to pass the ball to a fellow teammate.



Make us Proud!
Rona Denuna (10) hustles to get the ball before the other team.



Hustle Ladies!
Cheska Caranto (10), Chelsea Caranto (12), and Samantha Buchanan (10) run their hearts out during practice.



Defend our Ball!
Shanice Kamara (11) and Katelynn Patterson (11) leap for the skies to grab the ball from the other team.

Stats

Division/Overall

Wins:5 Losses:5/Wins:7 Losses:7
Hohenfels 26, Ansbach 23
Hohenfels 37, Ansbach 26
Ansbach 28, Baumholder 16
Brussels 28, Ansbach 20
Ansbach 36, Alconbury 15
Sigonella 27, Ansbach 22
Ansbach 31, Franconian 26
Ansbach 25, Baumholder 20
Ansbach 39, Baumholder 15
AFNORTH 22, Ansbach 16
AFNORTH 38, Ansbach 25
Ansbach 41, Franconian 18
Hohenfels 41, Ansbach 39
Ansbach 34, Hohenfels 21

Boy's Basketball



First Row: Matayo Kabuye(11), Coach Daniels, Giancarlo Solito(12), Coach Osewalt, Ethan Galindez(12), Ogden Andrew(11), Nizala Mwamba-Smith(12), Kevin Kamara(11), Nick Benson(11), Coach Ellyson, Cody Dunlap(10), Rovic Denuna (11), Dustin Martin(10).

Bottom Row: Sebastian Penaflo (10), Dahomey Iglesias (12).

Seniors



Ethan Galindez

"Basketball is a way to find yourself and escape from all your problems. Passion + Perseverance = Grit."



GianCarlo Solito

"Basketball affords me an opportunity to work hard towards a common goal with my friends."



Dahomey Iglesias

"Basketball is a sport that fuels companionship and brotherhood, there's nothing else like it."



Nizala Mwamba-Smith

"Everyone has there eyes on me because I'm the loudest in the gym."



Taking it in!

Kerwin D. Iglesias (12) charges in for the shot.



Jump Ball!

Ogden Andrew (11) starts off the game against Hohenfels by out jumping his opponent.



Too quick!

Ljah Dumo (9) dribbles past his defender to find a scoring opportunity.

Coach Ellyson

"Winners create their own luck."



Film Guy!

Eric Moreno-Palacios (10) our "film guy" recorded all of the Boys Varsity games this season. Eric was also a part of the JV Boys Basketball team.



Friends on and off the Basketball Court.

First Row: Rovic Denuna (11), Ogden Andrew (11), Kevin Kamara (11), Ethan Galindez (12), Matayo Kabuye (11), Bottom Row: Dahomey Iglesias (12), Nick Benson(11), Eric Moreno (10).



Buckets!

Kevin Kamara (11) goes up for a lay-up in traffic.



Hustle!

Giancarlo Solito (12) goes up for a block in the paint while Matayo Kabuye (11) runs in for the rebound.

STATS:

REGULAR SEASON:

Ansbach vs Hohenfels
Hohenfels vs Ansbach
Ansbach vs Baumholder
Brussels vs Ansbach
Alconbury vs Ansbach
Ansbach vs Sigonella
Baumholder vs Ansbach
Ansbach vs Baumholder
Ansbach 51, Afnorth 67
Afnorth 71, Ansbach 75
Hohenfels 57, Ansbach 44
Ansbach 68, Hohenfels 33

EUROPEANS:

Ansbach vs Sigonella
Ansbach vs Brussels
Ansbach 31, Baumholder 30

THIRD PLACE GAME:

Ansbach vs Hohenfels

Soccer



Front Row: Pearl Reyes (10), Rona Denuna (10), Kerwin (Dahomey) Iglesias (12), Kevin Kamara (11), Riley Smith (11), Dasha Boswell (12), Rovic Denuna (11). Second Row: Ashlenne Sperber (12), Robert (Max) StPierre (10), Rommel (Sebastian) Penaflor (10), Ethan Galindez (12), Ljah Dumo (9), Nathan Griffin (9), Eric Unger (9), Eric Moreno-Palacios. Third Row: Coach Solito, Annika Daniels-Matthews (10), Giancarlo Solito (12), Bryan Kott (10), Aiden Sperber (10), Nizala Mwamba-Smith (12).

Seniors, What do you focus on during the game?



Dasha Boswell

"Soccer is simple, but it is difficult to play simple."
-Johan Crujiff



Ethan Galindez

"I focus on my assignments and what I need to do in my position to better help my teammates on the field."



K. Dahomey Iglesias

"Talent without working hard is nothing."
- Cristiano Ronaldo



Giancarlo Solito

"The biggest mistake you can make is being afraid to make one."



Ashlenne Sperber

"I focus on doing my best. I have to make sure that I am doing the most I can for my team."



Our Wonderful Managers:
Nizala Mwamba-Smith (12)
Annika Daniels-Matthews (10)



Defending the Goal!
Nicholas Benson (11).



Going for the ball!
Aiden Sperber (10) closes in while Pearl Reyes (10) come to assist.

Bringing it home! Eric Moreno-Palacio (10) and Rovic Denuna (11) bring the ball to the goal.



Saving!
Riley Smith (11) deflecting the ball to keep it away from the other team with Aiden Sperber coming up from behind.

Recovery!
Our Ansbach Cougars recover the ball; Riley Smith (11), Max StPierre (10) and Rona Denuna (10).



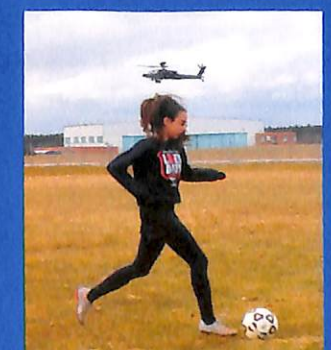
Leaping forward:
Max StPierre (10) receiving a header to change the direction of the ball.



Warming up for the game.
The team takes a lap around their half of the field.



Too Quick!
Aiden Sperber (10) is just a little too quick for the competition as he beats Hohenfels to the ball.



Practicing:
Pearl Reyes (10) works on her technique to keep control.



Guiding the team: Coach Collins inspiring the team to victory with a speech at half time.

Track & Field



Back Row: Coach Daniels, Antonio Vales (12), Herbert (Johnny) Keels (11), Ogden Andrew (11), Matayo Kabuye (11), Tyrese King (9), Dean Bruce (9), Coach Dickens.

Front Row: Shay Smith (12), Morgan Walters (12), Shermaine Nesbitt (12), Isabella Journigan (10), Alina Morecraft (10), Alikah Munson (12), Chelsea Caranto (12), Shanice Kamara (11), Chanell King (12).

Seniors, what do you want people to see when you're out on the track?



Chelsea Caranto

Persistence. I want people to see that regardless of how I feel I show up. I work hard. And, most importantly, I keep trying.



Chanell King

I want them to see my improvement and my dedication.



Alikah Munson

Smiling or running ahead of the others.



Shermaine Nesbitt

I want them to see me dust them right when they think I have given up.



Shay Smith

I want them to see that I out screamed their whole team and their mamas at every meet. By myself.



Morgan Walters

I want people to see that I am trying not to trip and die.



Antonio Vales

I want people to see my fellow teammates and I working hard to be our very best.



Runners on your Mark!

It's not often you see our runners standing still.



Dean Bruce (9) Shanice Kamara (11) , Alikah Munson (12) and Tyrese King (9) training to build their stamina.



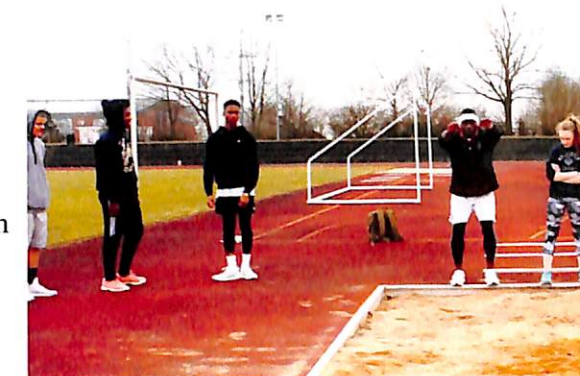
(Above) Ogden Andrews

(11): Jumper, runner, shot and discus.

Jump Like an Olympian!

(Right) Tyrese King (9), Ogden Andrew (11), Matayo Kabuye (11), and Isabella Journigan (10) all watch and learn as the Olympic Silver Medalist and Coach Mr. James shows them how to execute their jumps.

Oh no! Managers Shay Smith and Chanell King wonder what they got themselves into. Coach Daniels and Coach Dickens just smile.



Built for Speed! (Left) Chelsea Caranto (12), runner and relay, looking for a new personal best.



Going the Distance!

Matayo Kabuye (11) makes another lap around the track.



Ready, Set, GO!

Alikah Munson (12), Chelsea Caranto (12) and Alina Morecraft (10) running laps.



Go and Throw! Discus and Shotput competitors:

Antonio Vales (12), Ogden Andrew (11), Johnny Keels (11), Morgan Walters (12), Alikah Munson (12), and Shanice Kamara(11) show off their muscles.

Middle School Sports



Go Ansbach ! Damion Lopez-Turrey (8) Sebastian Summers (6) Noah Kim (8) Simon Peneflore (7) play defense to keep the opposing team from scoring.



Rebound!
The Ansbach CYS basketball team watches as ball swishes through the net.



Eye on the play! Emilie Yeadon (7) watches as the ball comes her way.



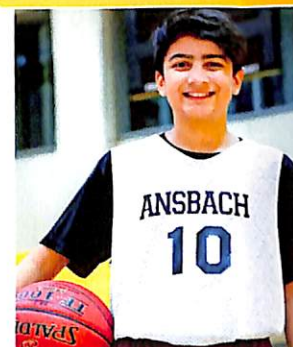
On the run! Shelby Martin (7) runs the relay.



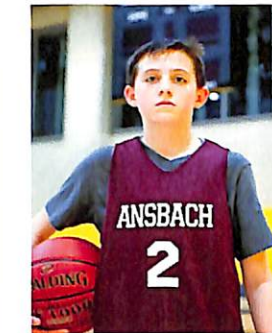
Trap! Bailee Butler (7) and Noah Kim (8) stop the offense at half court.



Oh the slopes!
Mary-Ellen Morris (7) enjoys snowboarding.



Basketball
(Top to bottom right) Kaan Jumani (7) and Yannic Miranda (7) plays on the CYS basketball team.



Introducing some players! (Left to Right) Leo Kim (6) Jacob Dickerson (6) Charlton Jones (6) enjoy a multitude of sports.

Why should we keep our EYES ON YOU?
What do you hope to accomplish?



Adriana Cadavid (8) "You should have your eyes on me because I always try my best, give it my all and I never give up."

Bailee Butler (7) "You should have your eyes on me because I do it for the fun of it and to enjoy doing it."



Jacob Dickerson (6) "You should have your eyes on me because I always put on a show".



Taking it down the court! Yannic Miranda (7), and Charlton Jones are ready to make the play.

Variety of Sporting Activities
are enjoyed by the Middle School!



Horsebackriding! Adriana Cadavid is involved in learning and building skills in horsebackriding.



Wrestling! Students Blake Fowler (6) Emily Feltner (6) and Miguel Giraldo (6) at their wrestling match.



Students play on both the CYS and the German teams. (Above) Emilie Yeadon (Middle, back row) plays with the local German soccer team.

MARKSMANSHIP



All together for one shot! Jasmine Rivera (10), Kaitlan Turner (12), Kelli Turner (9), Eliana Vales (9), Anjelina Lopez (10), Sebastian Ellis (12), Caison Duplessie (10), Gabrielle Peach (12), Tia Crisp (9), Jacqueline Muszczyński (9), James Box (11), Nathan Colon (9), MSG (R) Christopher Buchanan.



Manager Kaitlan Turner (12)

"As a manager, I can see how the teams scores get higher and higher. I like to watch them improve and encourage them to shoot their best."



Coach MSG (R) Buchanan

"I see a group of motivated young adults who give it their all. They are talented and determined athletes and I am proud to be coaching them."



Coach Ben Minchhoff

"I enjoy working with the team. They all work extremely hard and it pays off. My favorite part is seeing how well they all progress."



Team Captain Gabrielle Peach (12)

"The rifle team is constantly improving and surprising people left and right. It is a unique sport that is sometimes overlooked, but it takes a lot of focus and skill to shoot a 10."



Right: Holding Position! Eliana Vales (9) shoots a bulls eye in the prone position. Prone is the first position a new marksman learns and the first position which is shot during a meet.



Top: Nothing but 10s! Manager Kaitlan Turner (12) and varsity shooter Kelli Turner (9) come together to celebrate the team's excellent shooting scores during practice.



HOW DO YOU SEE YOURSELF WHEN YOU SHOOT?

"I see myself relaxed and at peace. Rifle is a sport that takes a lot of focus and dedication, so I stay as calm as possible to hit the bull."
- Sebastian Ellis (12)

WHY DID YOU FIRST LOOK AT THE RIFLE TEAM?

"I looked at the rifle team when I got the chance to shoot last year and loved it."

-Kelli Turner (9)



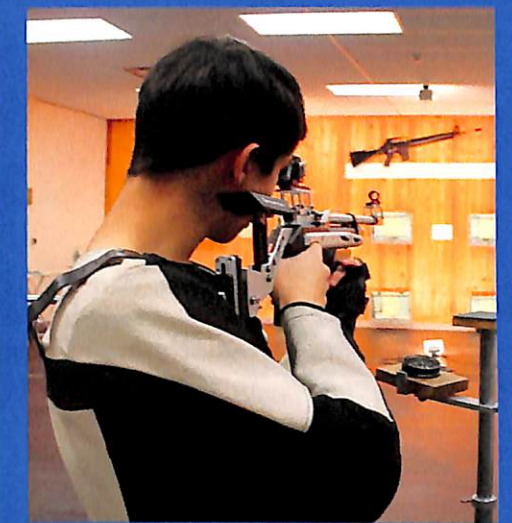
WHERE DO YOU SEE YOURSELF IN THE FUTURE?

"I see myself continuing to shoot as a personal hobby and plan to continue shooting in the future."

-Anjelina Lopez (10)



Top: Ready, Aim... FIRE! Eliana Vales (9), Gabrielle Peach (12), James Box (11), and Tia Crisp (9) focus on the firing line.



Top: Bullseye! James Box (11) takes his aim at a standing target. Standing is the hardest position to master in rifle and takes intense focus and patience to shoot a good score.



Top: Focus! Dominik Moss (10) holds his kneeling position with a sporter rifle. The sporter division of rifle requires less equipment and can present new challenges while trying to hold a steady aim.

The AHS Rifle Team is a dedicated and focused group of youth marksmen that compete in a variety of events locally and nationally. The team members shoot in three positions: prone, standing, and kneeling. They practice every week to stay on top of their game. Four of the top shooters had the opportunity to shoot in the national JROTC match in Camp Perry, Ohio this year.

Athletic Champs

Volleyball

Marianne Jancy Vega (9):
All region 1st Team
All Tournament at Europeans

Katelynn Patterson (11):
All-Star Team Alternate
All Region 2nd Team



Girl's Basketball

Katelynn Patterson (11):
All Tournament at Europeans
All Region 1st Team
All Europe 2nd Team

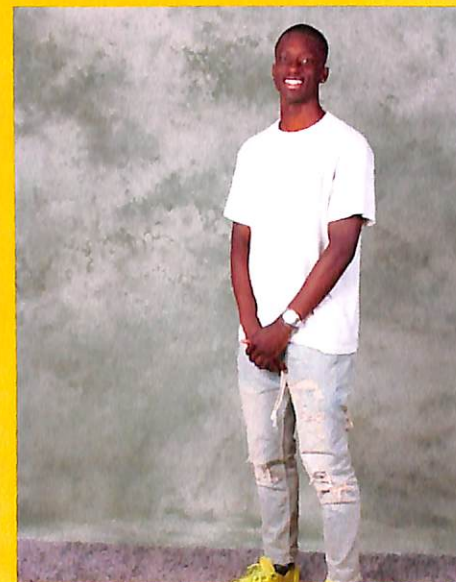
Shermaine Nesbitt (12):
All Tournament at Europeans
All Region 1st Team



Boy's Basketball

Kevin Kamara (11):
All Tournament at Europeans
All Region 1st Team
All Europe 2nd Team

Ogden Andrew (11):
All Region 1st Team

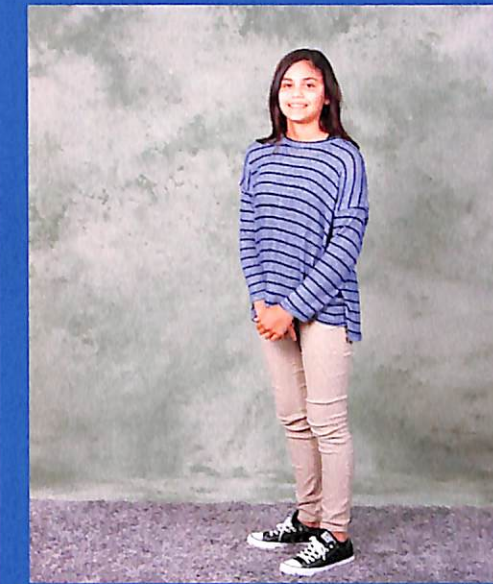


Athletic Champs

JROTC Rifle Team

Eliana Vales (9)
 James Box (11):

Took 13th place at Nationals for
Army JROTC Championships.



JROTC Rifle Team

Anjelina Lopez-Turrey (10)
 Gabrielle Peach (12):

Took 13th place at Nationals for
Army JROTC Championships.



Good Sportmanship

Kelli Turner (9)
 Chelsea Caranto (12)
 Nick Benson (11)

Ansbach H.S. Winter Sports Pep
Rally.



All Eyes on US Clubs

ALL EYES ARE ON THE ACTIVITIES AND CLUBS AT AMHS. THROUGHOUT THE SCHOOL YEAR THERE ARE A MULTITUDE OF ACTIVITIES FOR STUDENTS TO GET INVOLVED. THESE ANSBACH ALLOW FOR ALL STUDENTS TO EXPRESS THEMSELVES IN UNIQUE AND CREATIVE WAYS. FROM THE COLORFUL TECHNIQUES DISPLAYED IN ART CLUB TO THE DEMONSTRATIONS OF DISCIPLINE IN DRILL TEAM. THERE IS NO REASON TO LOOK AWAY FROM THE VARIOUS SKILLS OF ANSBACH STUDENTS. THESE CLUBS AND ACTIVITIES ALLOW FOR STUDENTS TO LEARN NEW SKILLS AND TO APPLY THEM. WHEN TAKING A LOOK AT THE INNOVATIVE PROCESSES OF EACH ACTIVITY, IT BECOMES CLEAR TO SEE THAT THERE IS NO SHORTAGE OF CREATIVE MINDS AND THAT THE OVERFLOWING LEVEL OF DEDICATION AND INNOVATION IS INSPIRATIONAL.

THE NUMEROUS OPTIONS ALLOW FOR ALL STUDENTS TO FEEL LIKE THEY ARE APART OF THE AMHS COMMUNITY. ANSBACH OFFERS STUDENT COUNCIL, LIBRARY CLUB, FILM CLUB, MATH COUNTS, AND STEM FOR BOTH MIDDLE AND HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS. PARTICIPANTS MAY HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO WORK TOGETHER AND ENSURE NO EYES STRAY AWAY FROM AMHS. ART CLUB, BAND, CHORUS, AND FLAG TEAM ALLOW FOR STUDENTS TO DISPLAY THEIR CREATIVE SIDE AND DEMONSTRATE THEIR TALENTS. THERE ARE ALSO MANY CAREER-ORIENTED ACTIVITIES; AMHS OFFERS CLUBS THAT HELP OUR STUDENTS SEE THEIR FUTURE WITH THEIR OWN EYES SUCH AS FBLA (FUTURE BUSINESS LEADERS ASSOCIATION), MUSS (MODEL UNITED STATES SENATE), POLIS (POLITICAL AND INTERNATIONAL SECURITY SEMINAR) AND EDUCATORS RISING. PARTICIPATING IN SUCH ACTIVITIES ALSO GIVE STUDENTS THE OPPORTUNITY TO MAKE FRIENDS THROUGH A COMMON INTEREST. THERE ARE MANY CLUBS AND ACTIVITIES AT AMHS THAT ARE SURE TO KEEP ALL EYES ON US.

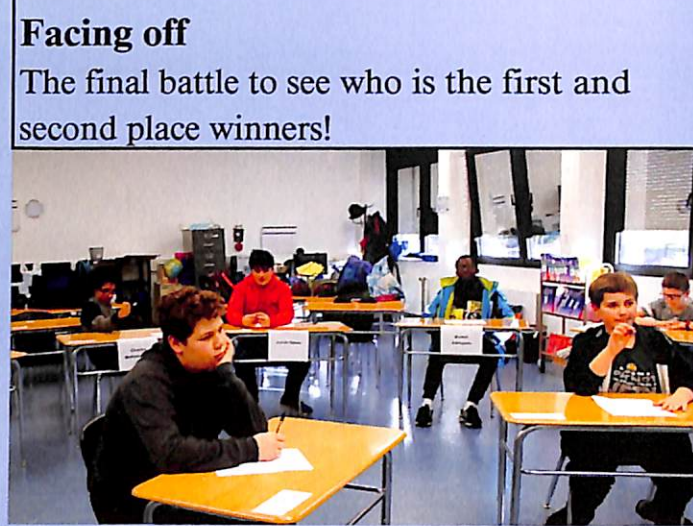
-GABRIELLE PEACH



Geo Bee



Concentration! Paying attention and working hard to try and be in the finals!



Facing off
The final battle to see who is the first and second place winners!



Relaxing after the stress of competition. Joseph Cole (6) Damion Lopez-Turrey (8) and Ashai Thibodeaux (8) have some water.



WOW!

Joseph Cole, (6) placed an outstanding first place win!



Hard working

Damion Lopez-Turrey (8) was a second place winner.



Pressure

Ashai Thibodeaux (8) placed Third.

National Geography Geo Bee

The Geo Bee is a national competition of geography questions. The students who are left battle in competition to get 3rd, 2nd, and 1st. The winner takes an exam to see who goes to the final to represent Europe in Washington DC.

The overall winner gets a \$50,000 scholarship.

Library Club

Boo! Here are three witches planning their evil plot - Not so evil, but a fun week of Harry Potter. Adriana Cadavid, Leila Rivera-Page and sponsor, Ms. Kerstetter.



Yummy! There's Piper Johnson (8) preparing the break store for excited customers



Focusing, Isabella Fredericks (7) prepares materials for Read Across America.



Hardworking!

Isabella Fredericks (7), Ms. Kerstetter and Piper Johnson (8), cut out tie templates and cloth.

Harry Potter week is nothing without the library club. The club does everything from making food for the break store, running it, and helping Ms. Kerstetter prep for the most exciting week of the year. It takes a team as she can't do every thing by herself, you know.



Careful! Piper Johnson (8), Leila Rivera-Page (8) and (right) Adriana Cadavid (8) are busy with scissors.

Flag Team

Flying High! The Flag Team practices their tosses in preparation for their performance.



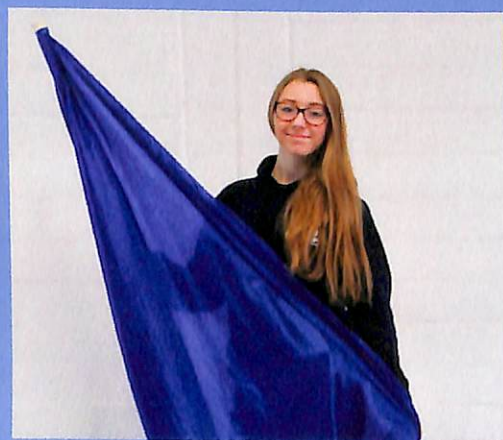
SLAM! Elizabeth Miller (8), Adriana Cadavid (8), Hannah Horton (8), and Kennedy Turner (7) take their position for the beginning of their first performance of the year at the Veterans Day ceremony.



Above: **Blue and Gold!** Kennedy Turner (7), Elizabeth Miller (8), Kelli Turner (9), Adriana Cadavid (8) Gabrielle Peach (12), and Hannah Horton (8) gather for a team photo to celebrate another successful year.



Above: **Swinging and Tossing!** Kennedy Turner (7) swings her flag in a sunset for the camera with Elizabeth Miller (8) looking on.



Above Left: **Blue Pride!** Captain Gabrielle Peach (12) shows off her blue flag. Above Right: **Eyes on the Flags!** The team strikes a pose during the Veterans Ceremony Performance.

The flag team is an AMHS club that allows for middle and high school students to learn flag dancing, spinning, and tossing skills. They perform routines for a variety of school and community events such as sports games and the JROTC Veterans Day ceremony. This is the second school year that the flag team has successfully performed.

Educators Rising



Geared Up!

Caison Duplessie (10) is ready to seize the day at the annual Educators Rising conference.

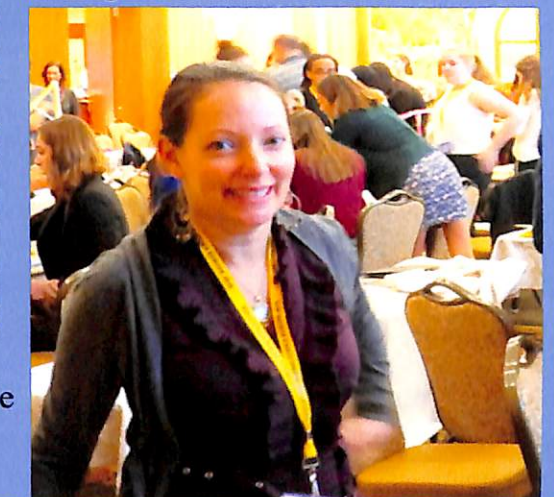
Giving Back!

Kaitlan Turner (12) prepares gifts after school for the future educators of America!



Representing!

Dr. Surinak, a speaker at the conference, is happy to have a quick photo taken during the Educators Rising conference!



Assembled!

Our three Educators Rising members Kelli Turner (9), Caison Duplessie (10) and Kaitlan Turner (12) get together for a lunch meeting!



Peace! Kelli Turner (9) takes a quick break from the action at the conference to unwind.



Mustachioed! Caison Duplessie (10) makes a fake mustache with a paperclip at the conference in Garmisch!

"Educators Rising is a national organization that is designed to promote teaching as a profession among secondary high school students. Students meet weekly for the first semester and work on different projects in preparation for the winter conference in Garmisch."

- Ms. Dameron,
Sponsor, Educators Rising

HS Student Council



Regular Meeting: High School Student Council meets weekly to plan events.

Puzzling? Senior officers Ashlenne Sperber and Kaitlan Turner ponder information.



Representing YOU ! Seniors: Dahomey Iglesias, Giancarlo Solito, Ethan Galindez, Nizala Mwamba-Smith, Kaitlan Turner, Ashlenne Sperber. Cheska Caranto (10) Samantha Buchanan (9) Annika Daniels-Matthews (10) Dean Bruce (9) Ljah Dumo (9) Rona Denuna(10) Katellynn Patterson (11) Kathryn McGrail (11) Kenneth Cole (11) Kelly Turner (9) Alina Morecraft (11) Pearl Reyes (10) and Shanice Kamara (11).



Wrapt attention! Nizala Mwamba-Smith (12) Shanice Kamara (11) pay close attention to the ideas and tasks being outlined.

High School Student Council comes together every Tuesday to discuss what activities should be planned for each class. Together, they are able to make plans for activities like Spirit Week and Harry Potter Week. High School Student Council builds leadership and opportunities for community service.



Did you get that? Annika Daniels-Matthews (10) asks Dahomey Iglesias (12).

MS Student Council

Below: A Sunny Afternoon! Sixth graders: Sabreen Alsamarai, Mirta Johnson, Sarah Pierce, Emily Feltner, Amaya Carter, and Laila McIntyre enjoying a sunny day out during the sports and chill.



Riveted ? Shelby Martin (7) and Hannah Horton (8) taking a selfie in the perfect lighting.



Who's Santa? Ms Dickens (the Middle School Student Council sponsor) cozying up to Santa. This would be scandalous if Santa wasn't Mr. Dickens.



Taking a Break. Darel Hughes (8), Elizabeth Miller (8), and Shelby Martin (7)



Preparing for fun ! The Middle School Student Council officers and their volunteers prepare for the community winter carnival.

Student Council brings together elected student leaders from different grade levels and teaches them to collaborate and plan. This puts students in a leading role when choosing what activities will be carried out throughout the school year, taking into consideration their classmates' opinions by taking votes.



Sports & Chill: Seventh graders Yannic Miranda, Andre Sperber, Bethel Akinyemi, Isabel Fredericks and Shelby Martin.

NHS



Initiation!

Giancarlo Solito (12) lights the candle of scholarship to symbolize NHS's focus on academics.

Discussing!

Ashlenne Sperber (12), Annika Daniels-Matthews (10), Nizala Mwamba-Smith (12), Mrs. Flynn, and Giancarlo Solito (12) plan how to handle the 2018 Induction Ceremony.



Our Honored Members!

This year's NHS members welcome next year's students with open arms.



Madam Presidents: Seniors Kaitlan Turner (Left) and Ashlenne Sperber (Right) put in lots of hard work and dedication while serving as National Honor Society President and Vice President, respectively.

Cutting The Cake!

NHS's Seniors partake in the honorary cutting of the cake as a team.



Q: What is NHS and what do you see in your members?

A: "I want people to see that our group of young adults can prosper in life and become leaders both professionally and personally. It's not just about academics it's about character and we want that to shine."

-Kaitlan Turner (NHS President)

NJHS

Conversing!

Samantha Buchannan (9), Annika Daniels-Matthews and Mrs. Flynn discuss the planning of an event during Harry Potter Week.



Moving on Up!

Sophomores Madeline Liverar, Pearl Reyes, Aidan Sperber, Cheska Caranto and Annika Daniels-Matthews transition from NJHS to NHS.

Deliverign a Speech!

Kelli Turner (9) instructs her peers as at the podium at the annual NHS/NJHS Induction.



The National Junior Honor Society (NJHS) is a non profit organization led by middle school students who have dedicated themselves to outstanding scholarship, service, leadership and character. They have taken a vow to inspire everyone to be their best. The purpose of this organization is to create enthusiasm for scholarship, to stimulate a desire to render service, to promote leadership, to develop character, and to encourage good citizenship in our students.



Looking Good!

Ansbach's current chapter of NJHS is ready for another year of hard work, dedication, and teamwork.



Officers!

Dustin Martin (10, Left) serves as NJHS's president while his counterpart Ljah Dumo (9, Right) serves as vice president in order to keep the club running smoothly.

HS STEM



Getting ready for action! Kelli Turner (9) (third from the left) and her team prepare to present their creation.



Programming equipment! Kelli Turner (9) and her teammate test the program.



Team Ljah! (second from the left) Ljah Dumo (9) and his team accept an award.



Checking! Eliana Vales (9) testing her robot.



Creating! One part of the task is to put together a presentation to communicate the teams ideas. Above is one example of a project. Ljah Dumo (9) (on right) works with his partner to build a model.



Let's save the world ! Stemposium is a great chance to discover something new and exciting. You meet new friends and have a fun building and programing robots, doing experiments and research while tackling a real world problem. Students, Kelli Turner (9) Eliana Vales (9) Ljah Dumo (9) had a great time working with new people. They put together presentations with their ideas on how to "save the world". These students engaged their minds to work together with students all across DoDEA

MS STEM

Say STEM!

Damion Lopez-Turrey (8) Shelby Martin (8) Hannah Horton (8) Delana Creech (8) and Andre Sperber (7) take a picture on their arrival in Belgium.



THE ARM! Delana Creech (8) Damion Lopez-turrey Shelby Martin (7) Andre Sperber (7) come out of a dark cave with rolls around their arm.



Students at Work

Damion Lopez-Turrey (8) builds a robot.



No Frowns Here!

Andre Sperber (7), Delana Creech (8), Shelby Martin (7), Hannah Horton (8), and Damion Lopez-Turrey (8).

Let's go on a journey to Mars! The STEM team traveled from Ansbach to Shape, Belgium where their learning journey launched. During that time they met real NASA astronauts. They engaged in STEM activities and STEMinars that focused on developing engineering skills like space suit design, robotics; and planetary engineering. These Cougars represented our school and collaborated with other students across DoDEA.



Focused and Driven!

Damion Lopez-Turrey (8), Shelby Martin (8), Delana Creech (8), and Andre Sperber (7) suit up for a fun time at the STEMposium.



“Being a leader
doesn’t mean
being a boss,
it means
being a team
player.”



What is JLS?

JLS is a week-long junior leadership seminar held annually in Oberweisel, Germany. Students from each DoDEA Europe school go through a vigorous selection process, to enhance their leadership skills.

How do you see JLS inspiring you in the future?



Andre Sperber(7)
“I see JLS inspiring me to remember that evreryone matters.”



Delana Creech(8)
“I see JLS inspiring me to see the value in other as well as myself.”



Lucas Morecraft(8)
“JLS has affected me by being able to manage my time way better.”



Ashai Thibodeaux(8)
“I see JLS showing me that being a leader doesnt mean being a boss, it means being a teamplayer.”

“Stepping outside of
our comfort zone
is hard, but it’s the
only way we can
find out what we are
capable of.”



Creative Connections?

Creative Connections is a six-day advanced visual and performing arts symposium for 150 motivated and talented high school students. The objective of the activity is to provide students with advanced instruction in the fine arts.



What do you want people to see in you?



Visual Art
Madison Johnson[10]
I want people to see that stepping out of our comfort zone is the only way we can find out what we can do.



Drama
Dean Bruce [9]
I would like people to see in me that I am someone who is confident and never gives up.



Drama
Shay Smith:[12]
“I want people to see I’m not just big hair and big mouth”

Math Counts



Sixth Graders at Work! Sixth graders Carlie Viray, Kaelynn Storton, and Lyander-Jon Dumo all focus on their work while two of them enjoy a little sweet treat.



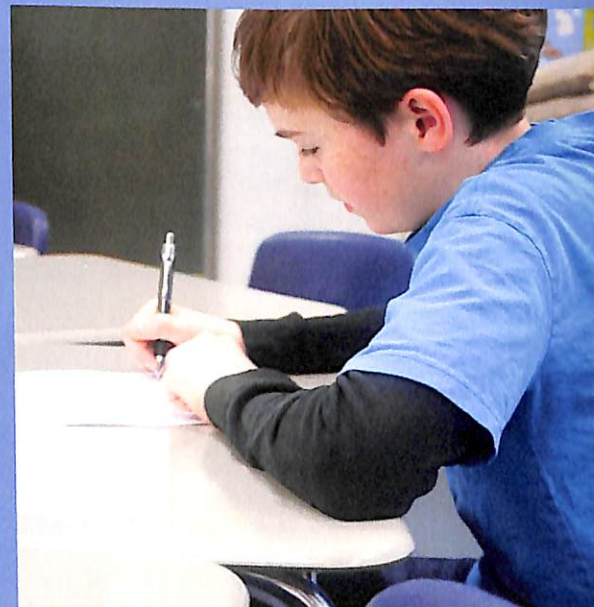
Our Problem Solvers! Our math group wanting to remember their genius and time together this year in a picture.



Seventh Grade Problem Solvers! Andre Sperber and Obaloluwa/Bethal Akinyemi work on their problems to improve their math knowledge.



Eighth Grade Workers! Aiden Storton and Adriana Cadavid help each other out with some problems that they can't do alone.



A very successful program at Ansbach Middle School is Mouth Counts!, a club headed by Mr. Richards that challenges the brain and teaches about different math equations and symbols. Math Counts is a fun learning experience that teaches you a lot about math.

Robotics

Getting the Pieces! Andre Sperber (7) gathering the parts he needs to build his robot.



Builders! Lyander-Jon Dumo (6), Andre Sperber (7), and Obaloluwa Akinyemi (7), showing off their creations.



Instructing Mr. Collins showing the builders what kind of obstacles they will have to program their robots to get through.

The robotics club, sponsored by Mr. Collins, gives students the opportunity to spend after-school time learning to use technology. Students learn how to build and program various robots to do a variety of tasks. It is a very fun club that teaches us all about the possibilities of robotics!



Programming! Some of our great robot builders are working hard to program.



Bins of Pieces! Andre Sperber (7), Lysander Reese (8), sixth graders Noah Lee and Lyander-Jon Dumo carry in supplies for their activities.



Practice makes Perfect! This is the practice course the builders will have to program their robots to work around.

POL&IS



Receiving Regions! Brennan Lutman (12) and Aidan Sperber (10) show pride for their region, Arabia.

Military Strategy! Aidan Sperber (10), Riley Smith (11), and Annika Daniels-Matthews (9) learn how to use their military defense forces on the world map to defend and aid their regions.



All Together! The regions and instructors gather for a group photo to celebrate the end of another great POL&IS seminar.



Mr. President! Kenneth Cole (11) is working hard as North America's Head of Government.



Top Left: Running the Show! (Left). Kaitlan Turner (12), as the World Bank, and Gabrielle Peach (12), as the UN Secretary General, consult each other at the head table over the General Assembly meeting.

Top Right: Extra! Extra! (Right). Cassandra Ferguson (11), as the Editor in Chief of the World Press, gives a speech at the UN General Assembly to inform the regions of the latest news.



POL&IS is a Political and International Security seminar that allows AHS students to run the world for four days alongside German students. They learn how to deal with real world problems and how international politics influence our world today.

MUSS



Attention all Senators!
Kelli Turner (9) and fellow colleagues listening to another senator speak of their bill and their ideas.



Preparing Materials
Annika Daniels-Matthews (10), Nizala Mwamba-Smith (12) preparing their debates and bills.



Video Crew!!
Kaitlan Turner (12), Giancarlo Solito (12) preparing the MUSS videos.



The Team! Kaitlan Turner (12), Nizala Mwamba-Smith (12), Annika Daniels-Matthews (10), Ashlenne Sperber (12), Kelli Turner (9), Dr. Surinak Back row: Mr. Miller (Tech), Aiden Sperber (10), Kai Park (9), Giancarlo Solito (12), Dean Bruce (9), Kenneth Cole (10) and sponsor,

The Model United States Senate Program (MUSS) gives high school students, grades 9 to 12, the opportunity to represent a U.S. Senator in a simulation of the Senate legislative process. Students research a wide variety of contemporary legislative issues and prepare bills for discussion and debate in lobbying meetings, party conferences, committee hearings, and finally, before the entire MUSS Senate in its plenary sessions. The MUSS Program provides a forum for students to use a wide range of communication skills as they seek to promote and pass legislative proposals in a dynamic and challenging simulation.



Hard day working!
The Ansbach MUSS crew going out for dinner after a hard-working day of debating and processing bills.



Debating
Kenneth Cole (11), Kai Park (9) working on their bill.



Presentations! Matayo Kabuye (11) and his group take the stage.

Listening for direction:

(Left front) Matayo Kabuye (11) and the other participants get the background they need to participate.



Standing Out!

Annika Daniels-Matthews (10) and Matayo Kabuye (11) really stood out at the ISLI conference!



Teamwork!

(Left) Annika Daniels-Matthews (10) joins her group for a rousing plan.

(Right) Matayo Kabuye (11) works with his group in a competition.



Action!

Students act out a skit at the annual ISLI conference.



ISLI is a week-long experiential learning program for developing leadership skills for high-school students, in a setting that allows 90 American DoDEA-Europe students to live, work, and learn with 90 students from top Gymnasiums in Belgium, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, Germany, Hungary, Italy and The Netherlands.

-Dr. ReGester

Helping the Community!

The Ansbach FBLA groups together with the annual Teen Dating Violence Awareness Walk participants in order to make change in their community!



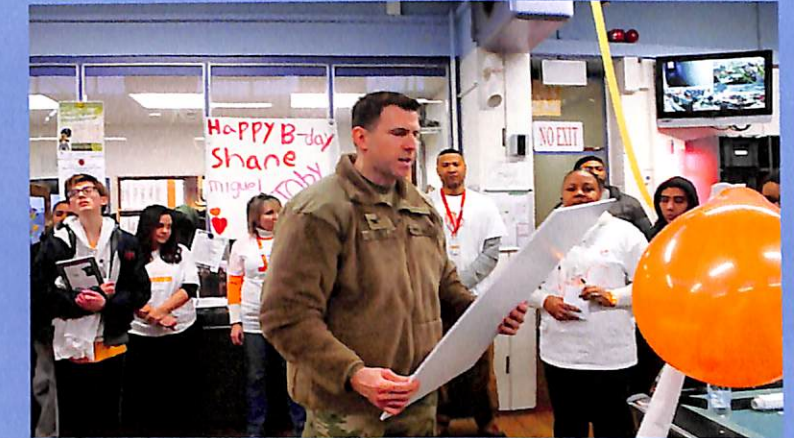
Whipping Something Up!

Dahomey Iglesias (12), Giancarlo Solito (12), and Nick Benson (11) are cooking it up in the Center for Excellence for an FBLA dine-in.



The Future Business Leaders of America is a group dedicated to helping young people learn the values and techniques that make a good, professional businessperson. In Keystone, students learn what it is like to be an integral part of their communities. Through a variety of community outreach programs, most of which done in conjunction with the Youth Center, our teens become set on the right path to successful lives.

-Antonio Vales (Keystone/FBLA Pres.)



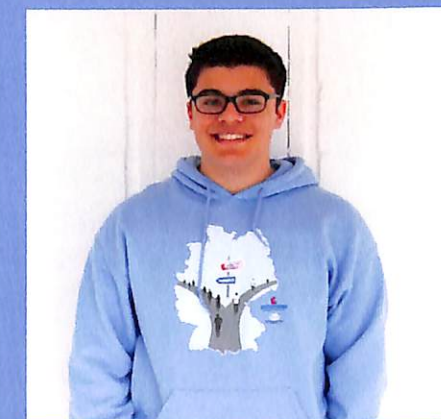
Taking a Stand!

Colonel Jones sets Ansbach's stance against teen dating violence in stone by reading off our no-tolerance policy.



Dressed for Success!

Ansbach MHS's FBLA members dress to impress in order to prepare themselves for the working world.



Presidential!

(Left) FBLA/Keystone President: Antonio Vales (12)

(Right) FBLA/Keystone Vice-President: Matayo Kabuye (11)



JS2S/S2S



Discussing

The JS2S club is discussing what they are going to do in Harry Potter Week

Introducing!

Kyle Trehem (7) is getting a warm welcome to our school by our JS2S club.



Directions: Mrs. Spano is speaking to her class during lunch about JS2S with seventh graders Mary-Ellen Morris, Bethel Akinyemi, and Jillian Pebler.



In JS2S they welcome new kids to our school and help lonely kids feel welcome in our school. In the JS2S club, there is Mary-Ellen Morris (7), Bethel Akinyemi (7), Jillian Pebler (7), Kennedy Turner (7), Shelby Martin (7), Rommel Simon Penaflor (7), Christopher Officer (6), Joel Rosado (6), and Natalie Shively (7). They all are nice and great students who help each other and everyone they can.



Kyle Trehem (7) eating lunch with the JS2S club.



JS2S members discussing and sharing ideas about how to welcome newcomers.

JS2S/S2S

Lot of planning Ms. Spano and the middle school group discuss how to make new students feel welcome. Ms. Spano and seventh graders: Mary-Ellen Morris, Bethel Akinyemi, Kennedy Turner, Shelby Martin and Rommel Simon Penaflor.

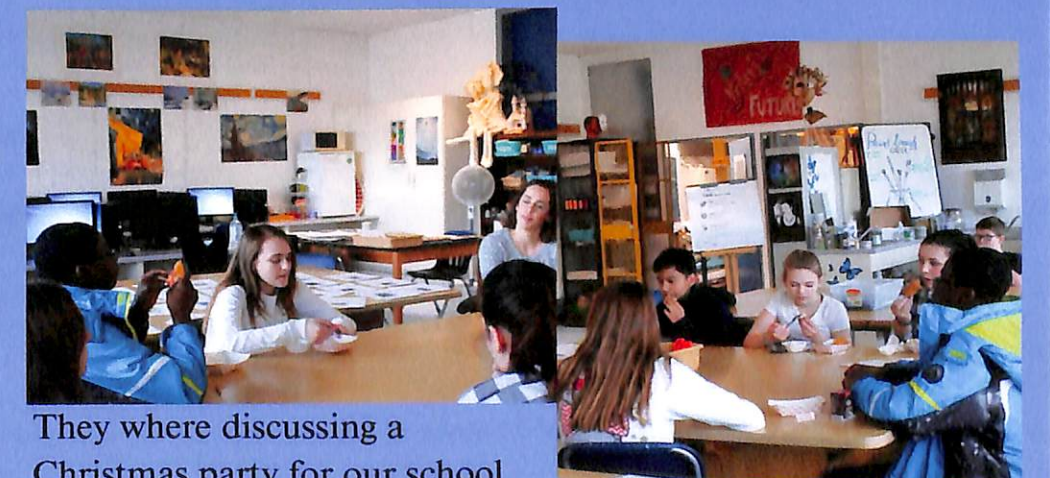


Queen Bee
Dr. Surinak sponsors the high school S2S program.

In the AHS S2S they welcome new students in grades 9 through 12. Student members walk the new students through the school to orient them. They introduce them to their teachers and to fellow classmates. They are the touchstones and liaisons when the new students get lost, have a question or when they need help with work.



High School Team: Kaitlan Turner (12), Annika Daniels-Matthews (10), Ashlenn Sperber (12), second row: Alina Morecraft (11), Ms Surinak, Katelynn Paterson (11).



They were discussing a Christmas party for our school

Theater



Say Honk!

Katherine McGrail (11) and Salisa Wellenreuther (8) in their goose costumes after *The Aristocats*.

Practice makes Perfect!

Cast members Anjelina Lopez-Turrey (10), Adriana Cadavid (8), Aiden Storton (8), and Emilie Yeadon (7) practicing their songs for the



Everybody wants to be a cat!

The cast members of *The Aristocats* after an amazing performance.



A Stunning Show!

Some of the cast members celebrating their great performance.



Hopeful! Clockworth, played by Annika Daniels-Matthews (10); Lumiere, played by Dean Bruce (9); Mrs. Potts, played by Katherine McGrail (11) are hopeful that they will regain their humanity. When the Beast, Carson Duplessie and Belle played by Cassandra Ferguson (11) fall in love.

The Ansbach Theater Group is active and provides many opportunities for the students to perform. While building performance skills for the students the theater provides quality entertainment for the community.

Theater

Saved by the Belle!

Gaston, Aiden Storton (7), is saved by Belle, Cassandra Ferguson (11), while the Beast, Carson Duplessie, considers the situation.



Ask the dishes!

The cups, forks, spoons, knives, and napkins put on a stunning show in the play *Beauty and the Beast*.



I want you!

Aiden Storton (8) as Thomas O'Malley the alley cat in *The Aristocats*.



Tale as Old as Time

The cast members of *Beauty and the Beast* during the last scene of their performance.



Take warning! The fair prince, Carson Duplessie, turns away the enchantress, Adriana Cadavid (8).



Drinks for Everyone!

The people of Belle's town and Gaston all gathered in the Tavern to praise Gaston.

Art Club

Plop! (Below) Look at Ms. Spano join the fun with Emily Feltner (6).



Beautiful! (Below) Ms. Spano shows her club member Zoe Woodworth (7) her finished product Baby Groot!



Delicious! (Below) 6th graders Sarah Pierce, Mirta Johnson, and Kinadie Norville enjoy lunch while working on art.



Determination! (Below) Kinadie Norville (6) is determined to find the right shade to use on her art work.



Brush! Look at how Mirta Johnson (6) is carefully glazing her project.



Whoosh! Sarah Pierce (6) glides a stick through the shaving cream to make a beautiful shaving cream marble for Valentines Day grams.

Art Club is a way to give your creativity freedom. There are fun activities and learning about art at the same time. This club is a way to hang out with friends and eat lunch all the while trying to make a masterpiece which might go on display for all to see.

Film Club

Future Film Critics! (Below) 6th graders Mirta Johnson, Carlie Viray, Christopher Officer, Sarah Pierce and 8th graders Leila Rivera-Page and Elizabeth Miller debating key scenes in the film.



Lulling them to sleep? (Below) 6th graders Mirta Johnson, Carlie Viray, and Sarah Pierce can barely stay awake.



It's a tough life! 6th graders Mirta Johnson, Carlie Viray, Christopher Officer, and Sarah Pierce and 8th graders (on desk) Leila Rivera-Page and Elizabeth Miller are exhausted after watching a film.

Film club is a club where students can enjoy sharing their love of movies, not to mention great snacks. This club is a great way to relieve some stress and enjoy some time after school with friends while watching a great movie. Lively discussions about the characters and plot twists are a part of the fun.



Gossip! 8th graders Leila Rivera-Page and Elizabeth Miller chat before the movie.



Yearbook/Digital Imaging



Starting Early! Ansbach's four middle school members Piper Johnson (8), Ashai Thibodeaux (8), Charles Wellenreuther (7), and Mary-Ellen Morris (7), group

Learning the Ropes! Gabrielle Peach (12), Shay Smith (12), Antonio Vales (12), and Kevin Kamara (11) begin to learn how to use the Balfour publishing program in the making of the yearbook.



Decisions Decisions! Marwa Alsamarai (12, Kevin Kamara (11), Dajson Howard (11), Mary-Ellen Morris (7), Gabrielle Peach (12), Antonio Vales (12), Ashai Thibodeaux (8), Shay Smith (12), and Piper Johnson (8). come together to decide on the yearbook's layouts.



Instructing! Photography Editor Antonio Vales (12) teaches his fellow yearbook members Marwa Alsamarai (12) and Gabrielle Peach (12) how to use the cameras and how to compose a good shot.



Right: **Finding the Angle!** Dajson Howard (11) crouches down to get a good low angle. shot.



A yearbook is the quintessential part of remembering any school year. It is a collection of friends, activities and memories. As a result, the crafting of such a book requires diligence and care. Yearbook students must combine digital imaging and publishing skills with extensive photography knowledge in order to make a memorable and effective product.

Photography Club

Learning the art of photography!



On target! Andre Sperber keeps the camera at ready to capture that action shot.



The Changing of seasons

The trees turning colors always provides opportunities for good landscape shots.



Looking Comfy! Mark Seabolt (7) Enjoying the Fall leaves as they set up a dramatic shot.

What is Photography Club? It is a club open to all students who would like to learn more about photography; how to take a variety of photos from portraits to illusion. Club members become the photographers of the school taking photos at many community events to get practical experience. They learn to take and edit photos and their work is considered for the yearbook, the newspaper and the school Facebook page.



ONE, TWO, THREE! Jillian Pebler (7) takes a close-up photo of a pinecone.



DON'T MOVE! Malachi Mecham (7) Taking photos of nature up close..

Band/Choir



On one, two, three: Kennedy Turner (7), Jonah Lee (8), Simon Penaflor (7), Noah Levinthol (7), with his brother Aidan Levinthol (9), and Tia Crisp rehearsing their song for the next event.

Rehearsing!

Simon Penaflor (7), Noah Levinthol (7), and Kennedy Turner (7) are rehearsing in band class with Jonah Lee (8), Aiden Levinthol-Winkler (9) and Tia Crisp (9).



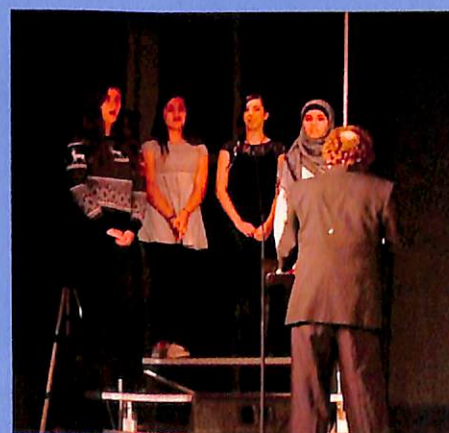
The entire band class rehearsing for the winter performance.



Ready? Kyle Trehem (7), Emily Yeadon (7), Katherine McGrail (11), Kennedy Turner (7), and Brennan Lutman (12) are ready to practice their song.



Pitch Mr. Hunt playing the piano with his students Natalie Shively (7), Madeline Liverar (10), Seraphina Cuzcano (8), and Bethany Journigan (7) getting ready to sing.



Mr. Hunt conducting while Madeline Liverar (10), Natalie Shively (7), Adriana Cadavid (8), and Marwa Alsamarai (12).

The band is the parade of our school, our voice, our song. In band they practice hard, work hard and play amazingly well. They have performed at multiple events with songs and anthems at our school. Veteran's Day events, Harry Potter assembly and two concerts a year. All are planned and conducted by Mr. Hunt.

German-American Conference



Learning about the Eastern and Western wall in Germany!

Students Kelli Turner (9), Eliana Vales (9), Bryan Kott (10), Ljah Dumo (9) are listening to the guide of the tour speak about the wall.



Take notes!

Students Chelsea Caranto (12) and Bryan Kott (10) writing about German-American relations and Politics.



The German-American conference is all about two cultures coming together. In this conference we learned about the relationship between the United States and Germany. It is a great experience, meeting new friends and learning about the German politics and also American. In this conference you will do a NATO



NATO unit!!

The group of all the attendees for the German-American Conference pose with the NATO flag after a successful simulation.



Heads Up!!

Dustin Martin(10), Eric Moreno-Palacios(10) paying attention to conference speaker about NATO.



Baring the cold and rain

Nizala Mwamba-Smith(12), Eric Moreno-Palacios(10), Chelsea Caranto(12) viewing the wall.

CHESS CLUB



Checkmate! Yannic Miranda (7) strategically picks his next move on the chess board while Mr. Cogswell looks on.

Getting Ready! Lyander-Jon Dumo (6) and Yannic Miranda (7) prepare for an intense game of checkers.



Concentrating! Christopher Officer (6) Emily Feltner (6) debate the finer points of Chess, while Kinadie Norville (6) waits to take on the winner.



Showing Off! Sarah Pierce (6) ready to claim her next victim.



Award Ceremony! Andre Sperber (7) and Yannic Miranda (7) receiving awards.

Chess Club is open to all students every day during lunch. Students can enjoy a game of chess, test their strategy, and chat with friends. Not only can students learn to play chess, they can play a variety of board games. Mr. Cogswell sponsors this club to provide an opportunity for students to develop problem-solving skills while having fun.

MIDDLE SCHOOL ACTIVITIES



PIZZA!

Laila McIntyre (6), Carlie Viray (6), Ashai Thibodeux (8), and Damion Lopez-Turrey (8) eating some pizza after playing sports.



Volleyball!

Seraphina Cruz (8), Natalie Shively (7) and Sabreen AlSamarai (6) enjoy a game.



Chilling! Leo Kim (6) and Jacob Dickerson (6) hanging out on the playground.



Yo quiero tacos!

Lining up to see who can build the finest taco. Real life challenges.

The middle school has several social events throughout the year which include Sports and Chills and dances. The Sports and Chill is an opportunity for students to spend some time after school socializing, eating pizza and playing rounds of different sports in a non-competitive atmosphere.

The dances are another opportunity for middle school students to hang out together to have fun, unwind, and build friendships.



Dinner is served! The taco bar is far superior to anything from Taco Bell.



Dance! Dance! Dance! Who's going to be first to hit the dance floor?

Drill Team



Left: **Eyes Forward!** Kennedy Turner (8), Ashai Thibodeaux (8), Colby Boehm (9), Jasmine Rivera (10), Salisa Wellenreuther (8), Nathan Colon (10), and Eli Odum (10) hold position at inspection arms.

Below: **Exhibition!** Ashai Thibodeaux (8) and Kennedy Turner (8), Hannah (7) and Salisa Wellenreuther (8) practice waterfalls.



Top Left: **All together!** The Drill Team comes together for a group photo and to celebrate a successful season.

Top Right: **Present Arms!** Caison Duplessie (10), James Box (11), Eli Odum (10), Jacqueline Muszczynski (9), and Eliana Vales (9) practice staying in sync and holding their rifles straight.



Above Left: Look at those skills! Eliana Vales (9) practices her two handed spin.



Above Right: Forward March! Drill Team Commander Gabrielle Peach (12) leads the platoon during practice.

Drill is an activity that involves both middle and high school students. The Drill Team specializes in both regulation, precision work, and exhibition, the spinning and tossing of rifles. The team is made up of a group of hardworking and determined individuals who are pushed to their limits and they practice all season to successfully compete in drill meets. The Ansbach Drill Team also practices in preparation for Drill Europeans at the end of the season.

Color Guard

Right: **Looking Sharp!** Tia Crisp (9), Kelli Turner (9), Jacqueline Muszczynski (9), and Eliana Vales (9) Patiently wait to present the colors for the JROTC Dining In.

Below: **Center Face!** Eliana Vales (9), Jacqueline Muszczynski (9), Kelli Turner (9), and Tia Crisp (9) perform an excellent color guard.



Above Left: **Attention!** Caison Duplessie (10), James Box (11), Tyrese King (9), and Dominik Moss (10) prepare to present the colors.

Above Right: **Honoring Heroes!** Tia Crisp (9), Jacqueline Muszczynski (9), Kelli Turner (9), and Eliana Vales (9) present the colors during the JROTC France trip in a WW1 Memorial Ceremony.



Color Guard is a team made up of 4 members which post, display, and retire the colors at a multitude of community events. The color guard is made up of JROTC volunteers and they spend a significant amount of time practicing in preparation for an upcoming event. Countless times this year, they have executed flawless Color Guards at ceremonies and other events.



Above Left: **Posting the Colors!** Marianne Vega (9), Kelli Turner (9), Jacqueline Muszczynski (9), and Eliana Vales (9) present the colors for the National Honor Society Ceremony.

Above Right: **Carry, Colors!** Dominik Moss (10), Tyrese King (9), James Box (11), and Caison Duplessie (10) carry the colors during one of the first volleyball games of the season.



J.R.O.T.C Military Ball



Left: Present Sabers! Tia Crisp (9), Kelli Turner (9), James Box (11), and Jacqueline Muszczynski (9) serving as the ball's saber guard.
Below: Looking Spiffy! Shanice Kamara (11), Katelynn Patterson (11), Jasmine Rivera (10), Rovic Denuna (10), and Nathan Griffin (9) show off their formal wear at the end of the ceremony.



Right: Time to Dance! Ethan Galindez (12) and Rona Denuna (10) take the time to waltz with their parents after the ceremony.
Below: 2018 Seniors! Morgan Walters, Sebastian Ellis, Channel King, Ethan Galindez, and Gabrielle Peach come to the front of the room for senior recognition and to celebrate their accomplishments during their JROTC career.



Top Left: All Eyes On Us! Channel King (12), Gabrielle Peach (12), Ethan Galindez (12), Alina Morecraft (11), Annika Matthews (10), Isaiah Pipkin (10), and Alicia Kura (11) sit at the head table and oversee the ball.



Top Right: Dig In! Cody Dunlap (11), Jasmine Rivera (10), Aidan Levinthol (9), Sebastian Ellis (12), Nathan Griffin (9), and Katelynn Patterson (11) enjoy a great meal at the ball.



Top Left: Thank You Parents! Jacqueline Muszczynski (9) presents her mother with a rose during the parent recognition and appreciation ceremony.



Top Right: Great Times! Colby Boehm (9), Morgan Walters (12), Anjelina Lopez (10), Tommy Rodriguez (10), Kelli Turner (9), and Eliana Vales (9) chat over the dinner table about the great times they experienced in JROTC.



Top Left: Awards! Mr. Scherrer, MAJ (R) Roberts and Gabrielle Peach (12) celebrate as she is presented with a leadership award.



Top Right: Congrats! Mr. Scherrer, MAJ (R) Roberts, and James Box (11) show off his national award and medal.

The Military Ball is a JROTC tradition and this year will mark the 35th annual ball. The ball is organized and coordinated by the cadets and allows for them to come together to celebrate their accomplishments from the current school year and to say goodbye to the graduating seniors. The ball also helps the cadets earn the remaining points they need for formal ceremonies in order to maintain their status as Honor Unit with Distinction.

Throughout the night, multiple ceremonies are conducted such as the Grog Ceremony, Senior Recognition, the Cake Cutting Ceremony, and the Awards Ceremony. Each of the cadets receiving awards had demonstrated leadership and academic excellence throughout the school year and their overall JROTC career. From Freshman to Seniors, the amount of honor and pride present within the JROTC cadets remains forever.



Top Left: Way to Go! Tia Crisp (9) is honored to receive her award from the VFW Commander and her father.



Top Right: Showing Pride! Caison Duplessie (10) is presented his award by MAJ (R) Roberts and the VFW Commander.

All Eyes on US Students

HERE IN ANSBACH MIDDLE HIGH SCHOOL, EVERYONE PLAYS AN IMPORTANT ROLE. ANSBACH COUGARS SPEND A LOT OF THEIR TIME AT SCHOOL AND DUE TO THE COMMUNITY SIZE, EVERY STUDENT GETS THE OPPORTUNITY TO TAKE PART IN A VARIETY OF CLUBS, SPORTS, AND ACTIVITIES. BEING A SMALL SCHOOL OPENS UP OPPORTUNITIES FOR EVERYONE TO HAVE A CHANCE TO SUCCEED.

THERE ARE CLUBS TO FIT EVERYONE'S INTERESTS AND TALENTS. STUDENTS HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO PLAY CHESS, LEARN ABOUT FILM, AND PRACTICE HOW TO BE A BUSINESS OR WORLD LEADER.

OUR SPORTS PROGRAM DEPENDS ON STUDENT PARTICIPATION AND TEAM MEMBERS ALL HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY FOR ACTUAL COMPETITION TIME AS WELL AS PRACTICE TIME.

ANSBACH HAS A LARGE NUMBER OF EVENTS TO CELEBRATE SCHOLARSHIP AND SKILLS. SOME ARE FUN AND SOCIAL EVENTS SUCH AS THE SPORTS AND CHILL. OTHERS ARE SERVICE PROGRAMS WHICH PROVIDE EVENTS FOR COMMUNITY SUCH AS THE VETERAN'S DAY PROGRAM, THE WINTER CARNIVAL AND THE LEADERSHIP TRIPS.

AT ONE POINT OR ANOTHER, EVERYONE GETS THE CHANCE TO STAND IN THE SPOTLIGHT WITH ALL EYES ON THEM.

STUDENTS AT ANSBACH ARE PROUD TO BE CARING COUGARS AND THERE'S ALWAYS SOMEONE THERE TO HELP A FRIEND OUT. ANSBACH STUDENTS ALSO HAVE THE AMAZING OPPURTUNITY TO TRAVEL AROUND EUROPE WHILE LIVING HERE IN GERMANY AND HAS THEIR OWN UNIQUE PERSONALITY AND NO ONE IS LEFT IN THE BACKROUD OR FORGOTTEN ABOUT. ALL IN ALL, AMHS IS A PLACE FOR EVERYONE. PEOPLE MOVE HERE FROM ALL OVER THE STATES AND END UP FITTING RIGHT IN.

- MARWA ALSAMAR





Class of 2018

Senior Collage



Marwa Alsamarai
"I only wear my scarf to give the rest of you girls a chance"



Christine Bailey
"There are only two ways to live your life. As though nothing is a miracle, and as though everything is a miracle."
-Albert Einstein



Dasha Boswell
"Its been magical but now I gotta bippity boppity bounce."



Chelsea Caranto
"If you were born with the weakness to fall, you were born with the strength to rise" -Rupi Kaur



Sebastian Ellis
"Remember you're only a kid once."



Ethan Galindez
" Goodbye everyone, I'll remember you all in therapy" - Plankton



Class Sweethearts
Ethan Galindez and Marwa Alsamarai



Most likely to fall off the stage at graduation
Giancarlo Solito and Dasha Boswell



Kerwin D. Iglesias
"Single from the womb, single to the tomb"



Chanell King
"Only put off until tomorrow what you are willing to die having left undone."



Brennan Lutman
"Time flies never to be recalled." - Virgil



Alikah Munson
"I call this hairstyle, 'I Tried'."



Nizala Mwamba-Smith
"We are all humans until race disconnected us, religion separated us, politics divided us, and wealth classified us."- Joyner Lucas



Shermaine Nesbitt
"This wasn't like High School Musical at all!"



Most likely to get I.D.'d
Antonio Vales and Chelsea Caranto



Class Comedians
Kerwin Iglesias and Jo' Cori Smith



Gabrielle Peach

"The brave may not live forever, but the cautious do not live at all"
-Anonymous



Jo'Cori Smith

"How do I stay so slim? Because I am always running through your mind."



Giancarlo Solito

"A loss ain't a loss, appreciate the pain, it's a blessin'" - Jay-Z



Ashlenne Sperber

"It was the best of times, it was the worst of times." - Charles Dickens



Kaitlan Turner

"I don't know anything with certainty, but seeing the stars makes me dream." -Vincent van Gogh



Antonio Vales

"School, school never changes."



Morgan Walters

We've all got light and dark inside us what matters is the part we choose to act on that's who we really are. - Sirius Black



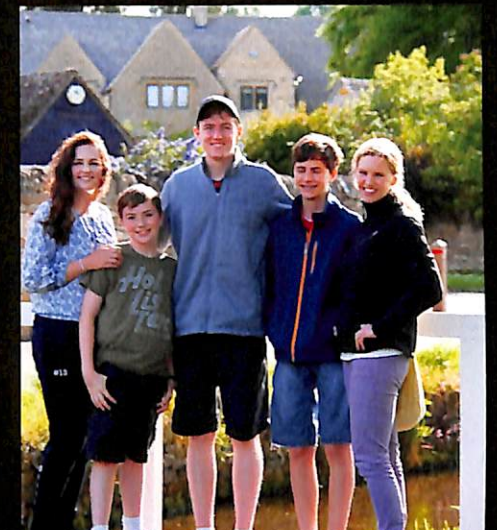
Senior Siblings/Family



Chanell King



Brennan Lutman



Ashlenne Sperber



Nizala Mwamba-Smith



Chelsea Caranto



Giancarlo Solito



Jo'Cori Smith



Kaitlan Turner



Antonio Vales



Senior Baby Pictures



Marwa Alsamarai



Christine Bailey



Dasha Boswell



Chelsea Caranto



Sebastian Ellis



Ethan Galindez



Dahomey Iglesias



Chanell King



Brennan Lutman



Alikah Munson



Nizala
Mwamba-Smith



Shermaine Nesbitt

Eyes on our past!



Gabrielle Peach



Shay Smith



Giancarlo Solito



Ashlenne Sperber



Kaitlyn Turner



Antonio Vales



Morgan Walters



Nizala R. Mwamba Smith

Nizala,
" And I thank you for choosing me to come through unto life to be a beautiful reflection of his grace see i know that a gift so great is only one God could create and I am reminded everytime I see your face" Lauren Hill sang these words and I Think of you every time I hear them. I've been mesmerized by your ability since birth. You truly amaze me with your resilience and perseverance. You did it !!! welcome to your future
Love,
Mom



From the day you were born I knew you were going to be an amazing person and every day since you have shown and proved to be more extraordinary than I ever believed possible from the way you maneuvered through the hardships of life and never let them deter you from you education as you remained on the honor roll middle school till now. With you upcoming graduation you answered one of my biggest prayers and put to rest my biggest fears. I'm so proud of the young women you are turning into responsible and reliable an very loving toward you family and friends especially your sibling. God couldn't have blessing me with a better young women to call daughter
Love Dad & Auntie Mary

Granddaughter,
I am so proud of what you have accomplished in life thus far. I know that Graduation from High School is an awesome feat and to do it on time even after having adversity and distractions lets me know you will always succeed. You are focused and determined and life adventures await you. Graduation ends one phase of your life, but it also means starting a new beginning and next steps!! I love you and you are always in my heart and prayers..Continue to walk in your greatness and to do great things as you proceed on this journey called life.
Best Wishes Graduate !!!

Love n Kisses
Grandma Faye
Dear Nizala,
We are so proud of you, so let us get started by describing looks:

P Precious, if this moment was a sunny day in the most beautiful garden of roses, you would be missed if you had not planted yourself with us. Gifts come to us in different packages. You are precious to us.

R Resilient, it has taken a lot to travel to a new place, and you have made new friends along the way. It has taken a lot to discover new relatives, new food, new culture, new language, new space and you have.

O Over the top, a phrase your grand, grand use to say anytime something new or different happened. Graduating with honors, and achieving so much. Graduating in Germany when your family is in Seattle, well that is over the top.

U Unique, you have a special way in which you see the world, walk, talk, and show love to those

Who know you, and those who get to know you. You have those Robinson dimples.

D Daring to be at the top of your game with your academics, the long hours and days you put into

Your work. Sometimes we were not sure if you would come up for air, help around the house, or let us know that you were doing ok. In many ways we could see you were very determined and it shows. You had set in your mind and heart they you were destined to be role model for your younger sisters and brothers. And you are.

Way to go graduate Class of 2018!!!! Nizala Mwamba-Smith We will always love you!!!

92 Ana Gayle and Aunt Rose

CONGRATULATIONS TO NIZALA!

Our newest high school graduate. Because of your outstanding performance you're on your way to college and preparing for a promising career. Cheers and Best Wishes for Continued Success.
Papa Spratlen



My dear Sweet Granddaughter,
Since the day you were born you have been my heart. Our bond is like no other. Since you were able to talk you had a plan for you life. To see your plan coming together brings me so much joy! You are a inspiration to all of us I could not be prouder of you and everything you have accomplished in life this far and so much more to come! I love you.
Love,
Pink Grandma AKA Oma AKA Grandma Deann

Love,
Pink Grandma AKA Oma AKA Grandma Deann



"Although the Butterfly and the caterpillar are completely different, they are one and the same"
-Kendrick Lamar

Dear Sissy AKA Sis AKA Mom AKA Everything,
We are so proud of you to be leading the pathway by finishing high school. You have helped us all, anyway you can. And for that we look to her for help with homework, advice and even just support. Even though we are apart we still love you like you still live 30 minutes away. We just want to say as the siblings (the divine 9) of you is that we love you so much and we couldn't be more proud for you to walk across the stage with you cap and gown to get your diploma that you deserve and earned
Much love and blessings,
The Divine 9

Giancarlo



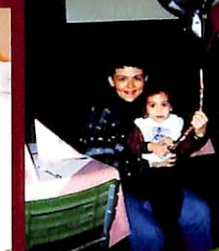
Giancarlo,
You have grown into a fine young man. You have provided us with love, joy, and laughter. We are proud and humbled by your determination, kindness and willingness to help others. As you begin your next chapter, remember these words from Ralph Waldo Emerson, "Do not go where the path may lead, go instead where there is no path and leave a trail."

Ti amiamo,
Mama and Papa

Giancarlo,
By your charm, intelligence, and compassion, even at four, you won my eternal love and loyalty. As an adult, those same qualities will surely lead to immeasurable success and happiness for you.
Love, Bev



Giancarlo,
Congratulations! I am so proud of you for growing up to be such an amazing young man and confident that you will do anything that you set your mind to. Wishing you all the best! Love, Cheryl



Giancarlo,
Best of wishes on your future! Good luck in college. Love, Alexius



Kaitlan Turner



Kaitlan,

When you were very young, your father and I would talk about our wishes for you. They were never about possessions, careers, or wealth. They were that you would be happy and healthy. That you would have an open mind and be eager to learn everything possible. That you would be honest, and believe in the benefits of hard work. That you would have a kind heart, a generous nature, and a forgiving spirit. That you would be able to laugh freely and love deeply. You are all of those things and so very much more. You never cease to amaze us.

Our hopes for your future are still the same, with a few additions. That you are able to live in the moment and recognize how it will shape your future, whether it is academically, socially, or emotionally. That you can continue to travel and understand just how big the world is, and how many people are in it. That you can surround yourself with people who will believe in you, and encourage you to be all that you can be.

We still have no idea how to parent, we only know that we have loved every minute with you. There have been challenges (socks, bike riding, sisters, driving...) and achievements (socks, bike riding, sisters ...). Through every one of them, and all the ones in between, we have always been proud of you.

Continue to overcome your obstacles with grace, dignity, and dedication. Keep facing your fears and conquering them. Remember sister giggle sessions, waffle makers, amusement parks, card games, and concerts. Wear sunscreen. Find your happy and work hard to keep it. Keep your crown on straight. Never forget how much you are loved.

Always,
Mom and Dad



All our
Love,
Grandma
and Papa



We are off to see
the Wizard!

WOOHOO!

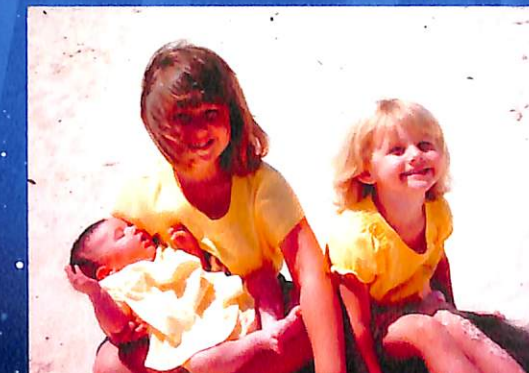


Kaitlan,

As your sister, I may not always agree with you, but I always love you. You are one of my best friends and nothing can replace you. I wish you the best in the future. Take chances, make mistakes, and get messy!!!
- Kelli



SISTERS



Kaitlan,

We have gone through some rough times, fun times, and sad times. Our bond has never broken, only become stronger. I love you always.
-Kennedi-

Ashlenne Sperber



9th



10th



11th



12th



Four amazing years
of high school!



So many adventures!
Italy, Malta, Macedonia!

Remember, the
world looks better
through rose-
colored glasses.



Ponder life you
must!



Dearest Ashlenne,
We are so very proud of the woman you have become. You are kind, smart, and funny. The goodness of your heart shows everyday. We love how you aren't afraid to try new things, see new places, and live new experiences. Remember, dreams and dedication are a powerful combination. Never forget you are cherished and loved. Go out and make this world yours! Always love,
Mom, Dad, Alexander, Aidan, and Andre



GABRIELLE PEACH



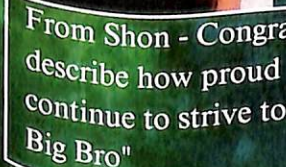
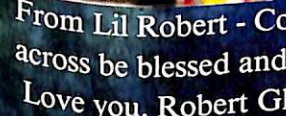
Gabrielle, it seems like it was only yesterday you were heading off to kindergarten and now the time has come where you will be graduating and heading off to college. As you begin the next chapter of your life and set off on a new adventure, I'm confident you will stand by your beliefs, carving your own path to success and continue to impact others in a positive way. Congratulations on a job well done. We are enormously proud of all that you have achieved and most importantly the young woman you have become. With your strong will and determination I know you will accomplish all the dreams and goals that you have set for yourself. You are truly an amazing daughter. We love you dearly, Mom and Dad.



We may not be close in distance but we are close at heart. Just know that no matter where life takes you I will always be here to help share all the burdens and all the joy you will encounter along the way. I am so proud of the woman you have become. This is where your true journey begins and I can't wait to see where you go from here. Love always, your sister Elizabeth.

You are a granddaughter who has always held our hearts in her hand. You have grown into a smart, beautiful, strong, and loving young woman with an inner light that shines bright. We are so proud of all you have become and looking forward to all you will be. Stay strong, be fearless and remember you are surrounded by all who love you. Dream big and believe in yourself as much as we believe in you. You have all you need inside to succeed. Shine on and show the world your light. Love Grandma and Papa

SHAY SMITH



From Grandma — Shay-Shay, my first granddaughter! Words will never express how happy and proud I am of you obtaining this goal. I knew from the day I met you and now know as I've watched you grow up what an awesome person you would be and have become. I know that this milestone is the first of many many many accomplishments and something I will shout to the world, "She has done it. Shay has graduated!" Please know that I am so proud of you, happy for you, and pray that as God leads you that you will walk in faith and confidence while sharing your greatness with the rest of the world. Kisses, with my RED lipstick. Grandma loves you.

From CoCo - Jo'Cori! We are so proud of you! We are thankful for the blessing you've been to our family. You have defied all odds, done what you set out to do...and we know you. You will be blessed in whatever you choose to pursue... We love you!!! CoCo, Collin, and the little people...Vegas & Vaden

From Auntie Angie - Congratulations Shay! I'm so proud of the young woman you have become. You have been blessed to test/overcome all challenges placed before you. I have no doubt you will be successful in anything you choose to do in your future. You are AWESOME! Love you, Much. Auntie Angie

From Lil Robert - Congratulations on completing this stage in life. May each new endeavor you come across be blessed and continue to take you on the journey of happiness and fulfillment. Love you, Robert Glover III

From Uncle Kenny - Congratulations niece on completing this Milestone in life. May you have all the success and happiness that life has to bring you in the upcoming stages. Love you. Uncle Gerald (Kenny)

Congratulations Shay! I am so proud of you and all your accomplishments! Continue to move forward in the positive direction and your dreams will come true! Love, Sadé!

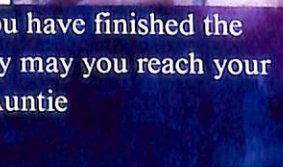
From Shon - Congratulations little sis!!! Words cannot describe how proud I am of you. Keep God first and continue to strive to be great like, I KNOW you will. Love Big Bro"

From your Mom:
My Hero
My Joy
My Life,

Time has allowed you to grow into an amazingly beautiful, talented, intelligent, funny young lady. I am so extremely proud of you. You always strive for excellence and soar above anything I could ever imagine. The day has finally come to watch you take this step into "real life". I use to be so scared but I have no doubt that you will take this life and world by storm. Always remember with God all things are possible. I believe in you, I trust you and without a doubt I love you.

Congratulations my one and only baby girl

From Nick - Congratulations on your accomplishment and for taking advantage of all the opportunities presented to you and now it's time to go make your own opportunities and take advantage of everything and accomplish all that you desire...



Congratulations Shay, you have finished the beginning of your journey may you reach your goals in life, Love your Auntie

ANTONIO VALES

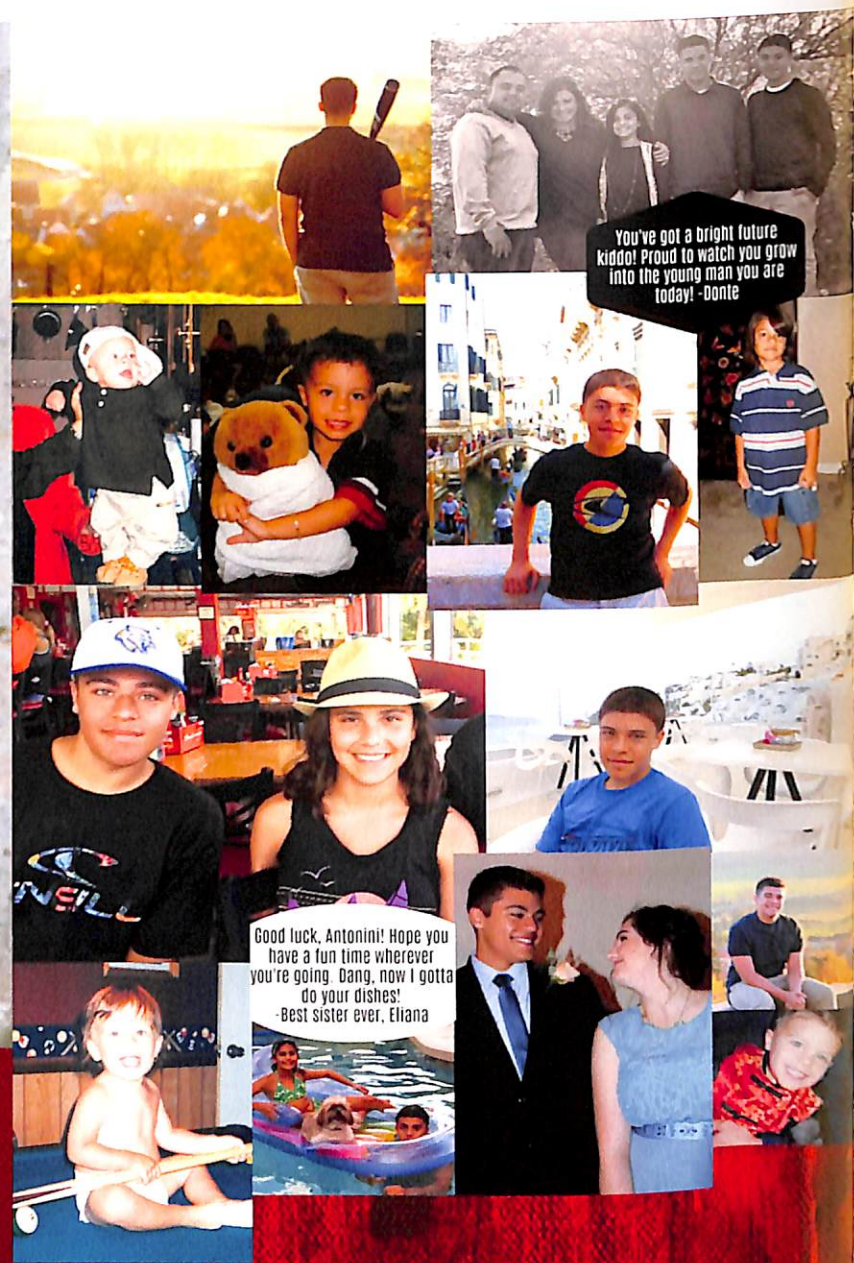


Congratulations Antonio!

We are so very proud of the man you have become- your hard work and dedication in high school has paid off! At an early age, your maturity and intelligence was apparent. From your fantastic taste in movies to your ability to engage in spirited debates on politics, history and current events - you're destined to do great things!

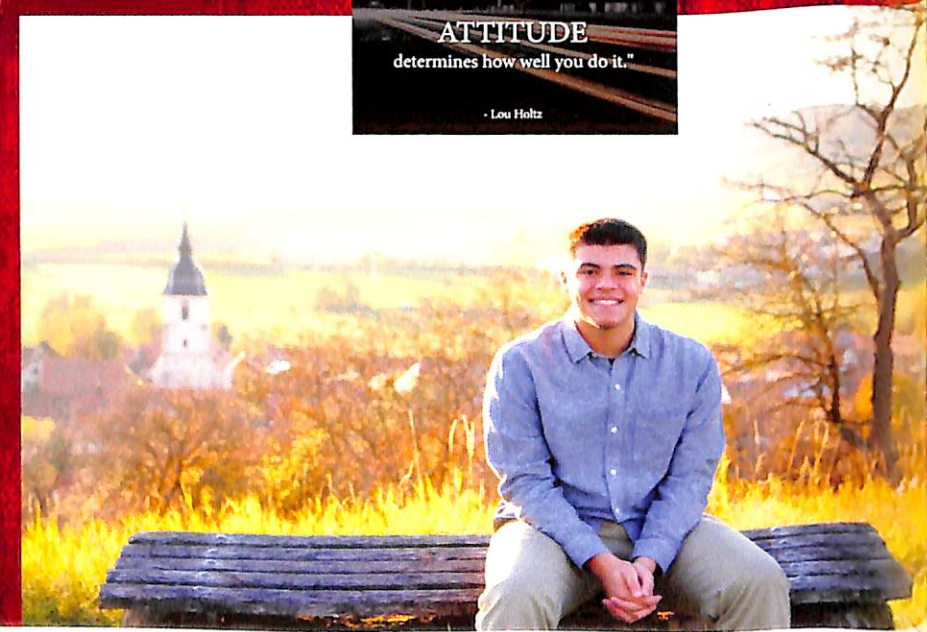
Remember to be openminded and accepting to new challenges and adventures. Make good choices, be proud of all your accomplishments and most of all believe in yourself. We have no doubt your confidence, adaptability and perseverance will contribute to your successful journey in college and throughout life. We love you very much!

Love,
Mom, Dad, Donte & Eliana



Good luck, Antonini! Hope you have a fun time wherever you're going. Dang, now I gotta do your dishes!
-Best sister ever, Eliana

"ABILITY
is what you're capable of doing.
MOTIVATION
determines what you do.
ATTITUDE
determines how well you do it."
- Lou Holtz



Senior Autographs

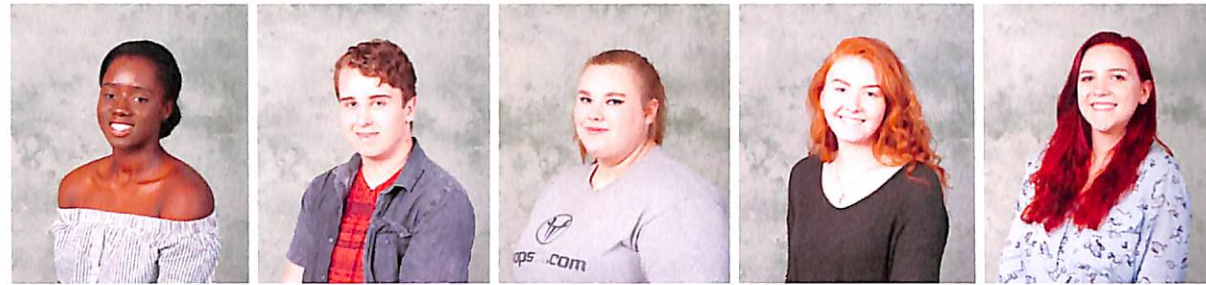
Ogden Andrew
Nicolas Benson
James Box
Kenneth Cole
Rovic Denuna



Camron Emmanuel
Cassandra Ferguson
Dajson Howard
Matayo Kabuye
Kevin Kamara



Shanice Kamara
Herbert Keels
Alicia Kura
Jessica Livingston
Katherine McGrail



Triston Moss
Katelynn Patterson
Riley Smith
Amia Strong



Matayo Kabuye is all smiles!



Friends!
Rovic Denuna, Kevin Kamara, and Ogden Andrew are ready for the games to begin.



Nick Benson is a proud junior!



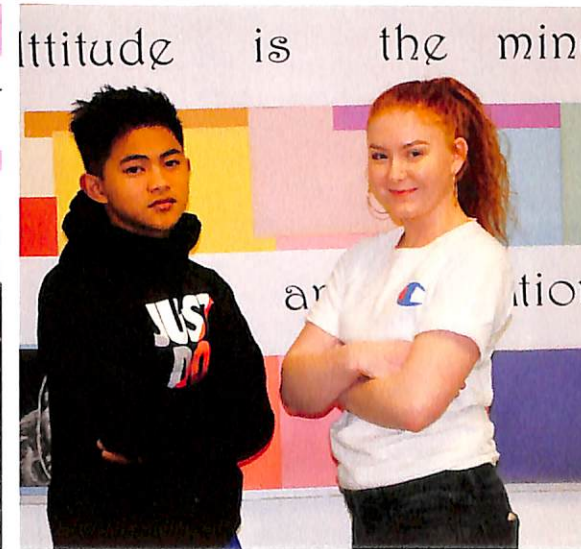
Superlatives:
Class Sweetheart
Riley Smith and
Katelynn Patterson

Always a Kid at Heart
Ogden Andrew and
Katherine McGrail



Class Comedians
Kevin and Shanice
Kamara

Most Confident
Rovic Denuna and
Jessica Livingston



Eleventh grade



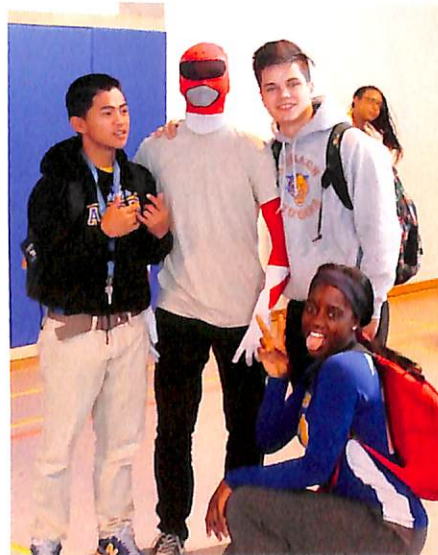
What do we see when we look at eleventh grade? The 11th grade class is a class of dreamers and a class of people who strive for perfection. They imprint their personalities in their classrooms and fill the halls with their energies. This class is far from being the new kids in the school but still not within reach of graduation. Nevertheless, the junior class buzzes with excitement and they make sure that the world sees their vision for the future.

Class officers:

President- Shanice Kamara
VP-Katherine McGrail
Treasurer-Kenneth Cole
Secretary-Katelynn Patterson

Repping Their Class:

Rovic Denuna, James Box, Nicholas Benson, and Shanice Kamara all huddle up for a group photo.





Class of 2020

Sophomore Collage

Cheska Caranto
Annika Daniels-Matthews
Rona Denuna
Cody Dunlap
Caison Duplessie



Dustin Martin
Alina Morecraft
Eric Moreno-Palacios
Dominik Moss
Rommel Penaflor



Robert StPierre



In the limelight!
Rona Denuna and Eric
Moreno-Palacios enjoying
the spotlight at the winter
pep assembly.



Madison Johnson
Isabella Jourigan
Bryan Kott
Madeline Liverar
Anjelina Lopez-Turrey



Isaiah Pipkin
Pearl Reyes
Jasmine Rivera
Tommy Rodriguez
Aidan Sperber



**Transporting her way to
Hogwarts!** Madeline Liverar
going through the portal to
attend Hogwarts!



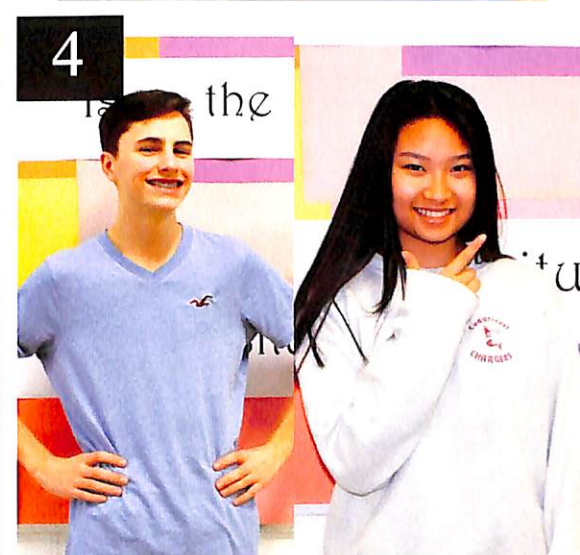
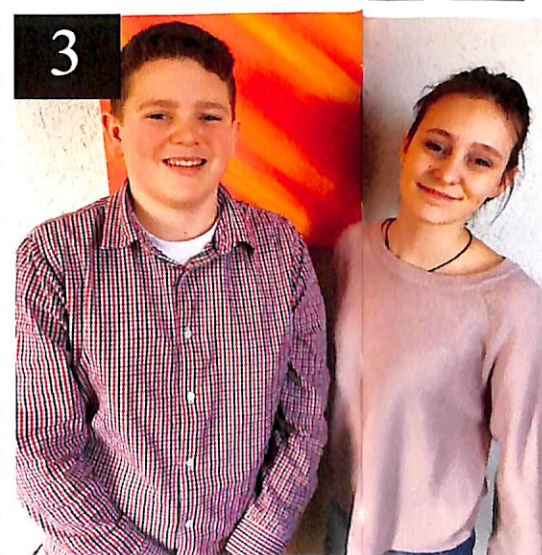
Class Superlatives:

Most likely to be Famous:
Pearl Reyes and
Rommel Penaflor

Class Sweethearts:
Annika Daniels-Matthews
Eric Moreno-Palacios

Most talented:
Alina Morecraft
Dustin Martin

Class Comedian:
Cheska Caranto
Aiden Sperber



Annika Daniels-Matthews, Rona Denuna, Cheska
Caranto feeling peppy at the winter pep assemble.

Tenth Grade



What do we see when we take a look at our tenth grade?
Our tenth graders are hard working educated
students. They are the class of 2020 and are all planning
on achieving great things this year! This class is full of
great personalities. They are always making others laugh
and make teachers enjoy what they love to do. They are
expected to leave their mark in this school and to do
great things!

Class officers
Rona Denuna
Pearl Reyes
Cheska Caranto

Studios!!
Annika Daniels-Matthews
and Rona Denuna acing
their online classes.





Class of 2021

Freshman Collage

Joseph Bailey
Colby Boehm
Dean Bruce
Nicholas Buchanan
Samantha Buchanan



Aidan Levinthol
Briana Miranda
Larina Miranda
Jacqueline Muszczynski
Elijah Odum



Ketrin Thompson
Kelli Turner
Eric Unger
Eliana Vales
Marianne Jancy Vega



Nathan Colon
Tia Crisp
Ljah Jacob Dumo
Nathan Griffin
Tyrese King



Kai Park
Lyandra Reese



Hydrating! (Right) Nathan Colon and Aidan Levinthol take time from the ceremony to drink something at a JROTC event.



Focusing on the material! Kai Park and Dean Bruce concentrate on the topic, on computers

Watch the stride! (Right) Eliana Vales and Kelli Turner compete at cross country game to be the best.

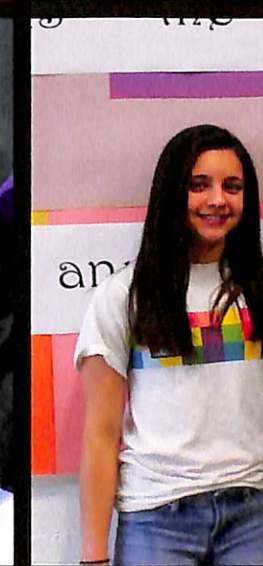


Class Comedian
Dean Bruce and
Marianne Jancy Vega

Most Sarcastic
Colby Boehm and
Jacqueline Muszczynski

Best Hair Nathan
Griffin and Samantha
Buchanan

Class Sweetheart
Elijah Odum and
Larina Miranda



Drilling to be the best! Elijah Odum (9) and Joseph Bailey at a drill meeting practicing to be the best.

9th Grade

Ninth grade is once again a grade of new beginnings. Even though ninth graders are again underclassmen in high school. This presents new challenges as they are eligible for high school sports, activities, clubs and different academic classes. Their classes carry weight and credit as they look at their four year plan and begin to see the future and the career choices they will soon make.



Class of 2022

Eighth Grade Collage

Umar Alsamara
Adriana Cadavid
Delana Creech
Seraphina Cuzcano
Mason Eisenberg



Jonah Lee
Damion Lopez-Turrey
Elizabeth Miller
Jasmine Moore
Lucas Morecraft



Leila Rivera-Page
Aiden Storton
Anberlin Summers
Ashai Thibodeaux
Denis Vrsevci



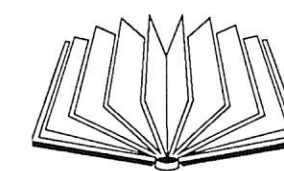
Hannah Horton
Darel Hughes
Piper Johnson
Paula Keels
Noah Kim



Jonathan Morrill
Shane Nesbitt
Shiobue Parks
Elvin Perez-Echevarria
Lysander Reese



Salisa Wellenreuther



Strong man?
Shiobue Park's head
is a good resting
place for Damion
Lopez-Turrey's arm.



Look! The Class of 2022 gets ready and eagerly awaits the pep rally start!

Class Clown
(Left)
Shane Nesbitt and
Piper Johnson.

Most Clumsy
(Right)
Jonathan Morrill and
Jasmine Moore.



Best Eyes
(Left)
Damion Lopez-Turrey
and Hannah Horton.

Class Sweethearts
(Right)
Noah Kim and Salisa
Wellenreuther.



Wake up! 8th grade students Jasmine Moore, Elizabeth Miller, Darel Hughes, and Hannah Horton wait for the assembly to start.

Eighth grade

The Eighth graders may be the top dogs of middle school, but they are more than ready to become next year's newest batch of high school freshmen.

Although this is the end of their middle school chapter, there will always be endless memories of friends, events and experiences to treasure and carry with them as they continue their journey into high school.



Concentration! Eighth graders Darel Hughes, Damion Lopez-Turrey, Lucas Morecraft, and Shane Nesbitt are jotting down data while Ashai Thibodeaux captures the moment.



Class of 2023

Seventh Grade Collage

Hope Adams
Obaloluwa Akinyemi
Tyler Bailey
Bailee Butler
Margaux Denise Edquid



Noah Levinthol-Winkler
Elijah Luna
Shelby Martin
Malachi Mecham
Yannic Miranda



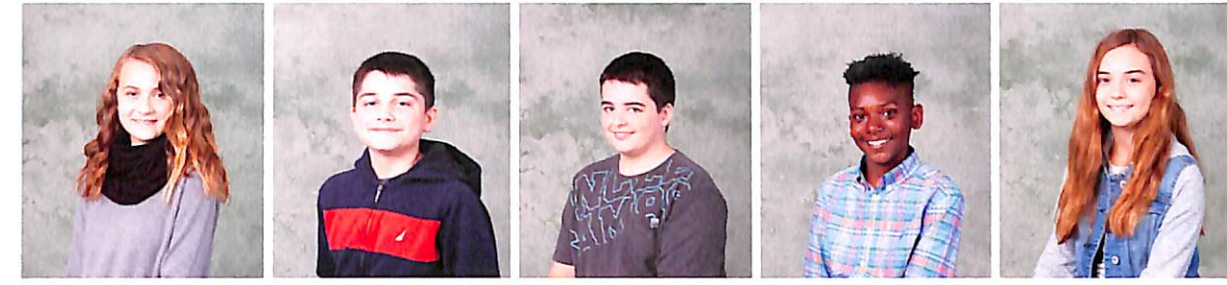
Rommel Simon Penaflor
Mark Seabolt
Natalie Shively
Andre Sperber
Kyle Trehem



Gabriel Elder
Isabella Fredericks
Jalen Howard
Bethany Journigan
Alexander Jumani



Mary-Ellen Morris
Gabriel Moss
Jonah Odum
Willie Parks
Jillian Pebler



Kennedi Turner
Charles Wellenreuther
Zoe Woodworth
Emilie Yeadon



Go cougars! The seventh graders celebrate at the Sports and Chill.



You can't see me!

Class Comedians
Shelby Martin and
Tyler Bailey



Class Sweethearts
(Right)
Mary-Ellen Morris
and
Andre Sperber



Best Laugh
Jillian Pebler and
Rommel Simon
Penaflor



**Most likely to be
teachers (Right)**
Kennedi Turner and
Malachi Mecham



Seventh Grade



Why do we need to keep our eyes on the class of 2023?

The seventh grade is a class of people who treat each other like family. They walk the halls with joy and fill the halls with laughter. Since the first day we walked into Ansbach Middle High school we all knew we were going to love it here and make many great memories.

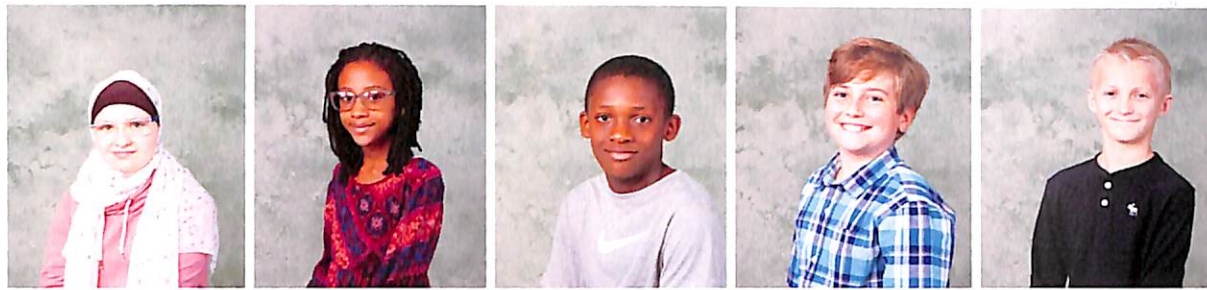
"We all accept each other for our differences" - Shelby Martin



Class Of 2024

Sixth grade

Sabreen AlSamarai
Amaya Carter
Deshawn Carty
Joseph Cole
Jacob Dickerson



Mirta Johnson
Charlton Jones
Leo Kim
Noah Lee
Maryssa Mansell



Kaelynn Storton
Sebastian Summers
Carlie Viray
Karma Woods
Keaton Woods



Lyander-Jon Dumo
Magen Emmanuel
Emily Feltner
Blake Fowler
Miguel Giraldo



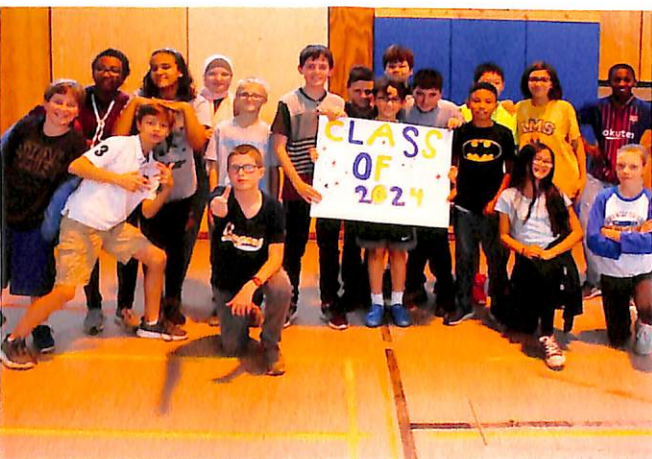
Laila McIntyre
Kinadie Norville
Christopher Officer
Sarah Pierce
Joel Rosado



1: **Studying!** Karma Woods (6) working on an assignment.
2: **Smile for the Camera!** Charlton Jones (6) getting ready for his picture to get taken.
3: **Sports and Chill!** Sebastian Summers (6) playing basketball.



Group Shot! All of the sixth grade coming together to take a group photo.



Class of 2024! The sixth grade showing their sign and their school spirit!

Class Sweethearts
Lyander-Jon Dumo
Karma Woods



Class Comedians
Deshawn Carty
Leila McIntyre



Most likely to run in the halls
Miguel Giraldo
Emily Feltner



Most Talkative
Joel Rosado
Mirta Johnson



Sixth grade



Who are 6th graders?

The 6th graders are the class of 2024! We are full of energy and lots of great potential! We are always full of pep and enthusiasm and fill the school with the joy we spread. It may be the beginning of middle school for us, but we decide what we make of the future and ourselves.

"Sixth grade is the time to mature from elementary school." -Sabreen AlSamarai



Staff Collage

Emily Applegate
Dr. Blankenship
Chris Buchanan
Kelsey Bussee
Stehen Choate



Shannon Daniels
Nancy Dauber
David Dickens
Laura Dickens
Maura Flynn



Romy Kerstetter
Wolfgang Koerner
Amie Lange
Dennis McCain
Georgina Miller



Caridad Ramirez-Agosto
Paul Rauscher
Maria ReGester
Brett Richards
Madonna Roberts



Robert Claus
John Cogswell
Holly Cook
Deborah Dameron
Ladye Daniels



Esther Harrison
Muriel Hines
Greg Houston
Mike Hunt
Donn Keels



Ken Miller
Dan Nalker
Eustace Nesbitt
Bryan Osewalt
Jeanie Park



Daren Schuettpeiz
Daniel Smith
Sarah Spano
Kelly Sperber
Tricia Surinak



Linda Sykes
Carrie Vales
Mike Welsh
Jessica Zen



Reeling them in!
(Left)
Ms. Applegate
tells a story that
builds suspense.

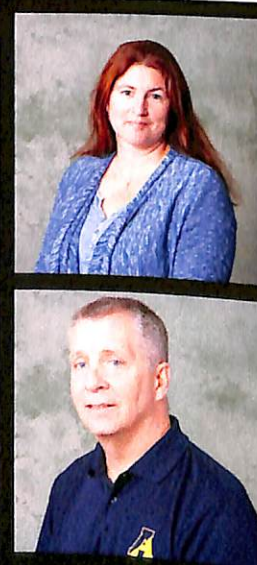


Central command! Ms. Zen, Dr. Blankenship and Mr. Rauscher field the calls and keep things running smoothly.

Savoring the food and fun!
Sarah Pierce (6) and Ms. Dickens enjoy talking and pizza at one of the "Sports and Chill" middle school events.



**Long-term
Substitutes:**
Tara
Duplessie
Mike Ellyson



Staff

Eyes on You!

The faculty and staff at Ansbach Middle High School focus on student improvement and success, looking at the whole student - academic, physical, and emotional. They work closely with the students through classes, clubs, sports as well as with academic and social events to see that all needs are met. Here at Ansbach MHS we are like a family with everyone looking out for one another, with the faculty taking the lead.

All Eyes on US Academic Life

HERE IN ANSBACH THERE IS A VARIED FIELD OF ACADEMIC COURSES THAT STUDENTS CAN TAKE. THESE COURSES RANGE FROM TRADITIONAL CURRICULAR COURSES LIKE: SOCIAL STUDIES, LANGUAGE ARTS, MATH AND SCIENCE CLASSES TO CAREER PREPARATION COURSES SUCH AS: JROTC, COMPUTER PROGRAMING CTE, TO CLASSES WHICH ENRICH THE SOUL SUCH AS ART, AND MUSIC. ACADEMICS IS THE BUILDING BLOCKS FOR THE STUDENTS DEVELOPMENT AND PREPARING THEM FOR THE FUTURE OF SUCCESS AND A WELL-ROUNDED BACKGROUND.

ACADEMICS ARE THE KEY COURSES FOR ALL STUDENTS TO HELP THEM SUCCEED IN LIFE. THESE COURSES NOT ONLY BUILD THE MINDS OF STUDENTS BUT ALSO HELPS THEM FIND WHAT THEY WANT TO IN LIFE. GOING OVER EVERYTHING A STUDENT WOULD NEED ALLOWS THEM TO WELL PREPARED FOR THE FUTURE.

TEACHERS HERE LOVE TEACHING AND DO EVERYTHING THEY CAN TO HELP THEIR STUDENTS. TEACHERS BUILD RELATIONSHIPS BOTH PROFESSIONALLY AND AS FRIENDS TO FIND THE INTEREST OF THE STUDENTS TO FIND WAYS TO TEACH THEM SO THE STUDENTS WILL LEARN BUT WILL ALSO HAVE FUN IN THE PROCESS.

ANOTHER BENEFIT OF ACADEMICS IS THE HEALTH AND PE COURSES IN WHICH STUDENTS LEARN TO STAY FIT AND HOW TO BE AND STAY HEALTHY. THESE CLASSES GO OVER THE NEEDS FOR YOUR HEALTH IN FUN WAYS FROM THE TEACHER GIVING OUT NOTES TO HAVING THE STUDENTS PLAY GAMES AND SPORTS. WHILE STUDENTS ARE HAVING FUN GETTING RID OF SOME OF THAT LARGE AMOUNT OF ENERGY THEY ARE ALSO GIVING THEIR MINDS A REST FROM THE REST OF THEIR COURSES.

BY SEBASTIAN ELLIS





(Right) GO Cougars!

The cadets showing off their cougar pride!
(Top) Tyrese King (9), MSG (R) Buchanan, Ms. Daniels
(Bottom) Kelli Turner (9), Angelina Lopez (10) Riley Smith (11)

(Below) Bring cheer to the battalion!

James Box (11) and MSG (R) Buchanan enjoying their time at the bake sale.



J.R.O.T.C.



Moving Up!

Colby Boehm (9) being promoted to private by Cassandra Ferguson (11) after passing the Promotion Board.



Stay Sharp!

The cadets presenting the cadet creed for the Veterans Day ceremony.

Looking good as Sergeant!

MSG (R) Christopher Buchanan, Angel Lopez (10), James Box (11), Morgan Walters (12), Isaiah Pipkin (10) and Sebastian Ellis (12)



Present Colors!

The Color Guard standing at attention as the rest of the cadets enter the cafeteria ready to post the flags.



JROTC

Promoting leadership career paths



MAJ (R) Roberts



"When identifying cadet leaders, I look for students who are dedicated, have good character, and take the initiative."



MSG (R) Buchanan



"Students promote leadership by setting the right example and taking charge of situations when needed."



Gabrielle Peach



"JROTC has been of the best experiences for me. It teaches youth responsibility and leadership through living by the 7 army values : loyalty, duty, respect, selfless service, honor, integrity, and personal courage. I believe that with motivation and determination any cadet can achieve the impossible and apply the leadership skills they have gained to their future."



Helping to achieve (Above)

Mrs. Cook helping out Tommy Rodriguez (10)

Eyes on the prize (Right)

Seniors Christine Bailey, Marwa Alsamarai and Giancarlo Solito are reading a class book as part of a class project.

Riveting Reader (Below)

Mr. Schuettpelz reading aloud to his class.

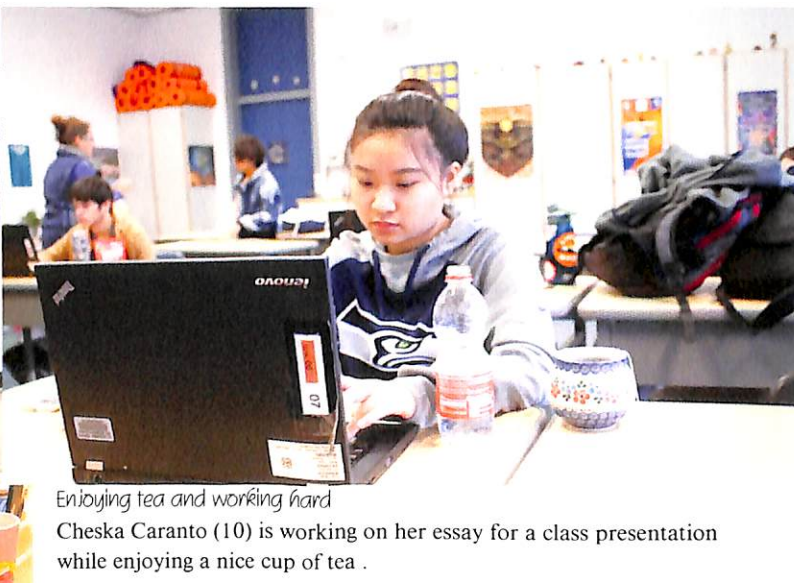
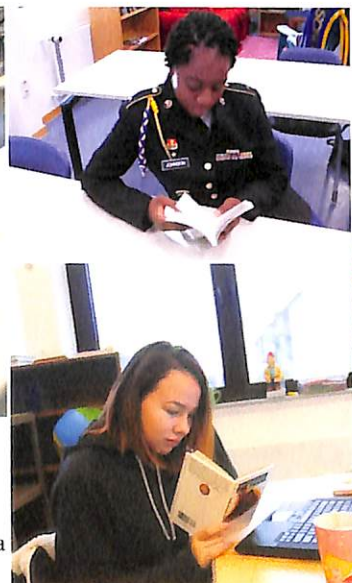


Reading in ELA



Utilizing Sources

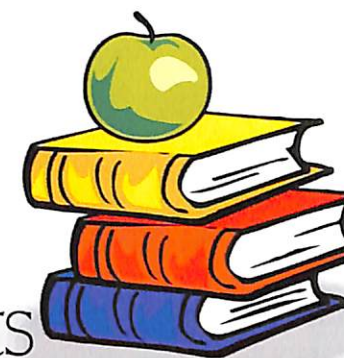
Whether it will be on screen or in print, students are still reading in ELA! Isaiah Pipkin (10) Shanice Kamara (11) Angelina Lopez-Turrey (10)



Enjoying tea and working hard

Cheska Caranto (10) is working on her essay for a class presentation while enjoying a nice cup of tea.

Language Arts



Targeting success in AMHS Language Arts



Ms. Cook



What do you see as a strength in Language Arts at Ansbach Middle High School?

"One of the many strengths within our Language Arts program here at AMHS is the teachers which compile it. Although there are only three of us, we are mighty as educators." - Ms. Cook



Mr. Schuettpelz



"The routine and rigorous reading and writing AMHS students perform daily illustrates one of our greatest strengths in Language Arts and as a school." - Mr. Schuettpelz



Mr. Nalker



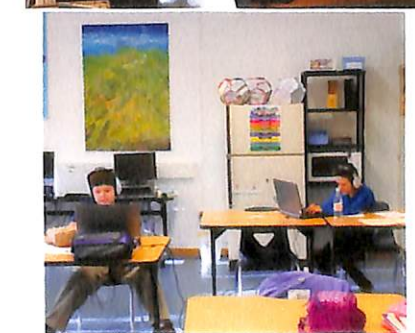
"This year's sixth graders are coming to class more prepared and eager to learn more than ever before. Students are learning to use technology to revise, edit, add effects, and share documents. Students' reading scores are increasing across the board and being able to comprehend text at a higher level will help them in all subjects." - Mr. Nalker

Students at work



Students working hard

Students keep lock on their goals for this year and work hard to achieve them. Lucas Morecraft(8) Jonathan Morrill(8) Deshawn Carty(6) Laila McIntyre (6) Blake Fowler(6) Joel Rosado(6)





Math is great! Ansbach students find math to be fun.

Diligence Counts!

(Right) Aiden Storton (8), Adriana Cadavid (8) work through the problem.

Working Together!

(Below) Madeline Liverar (10), Jacqueline Muszczynski (9) Discuss possible solutions.



Persistence is key!



Hard at Work!

Eric Unger (9) dedicating his time to work.



Counting the Numbers!

(left) Dustin Martin (10) solving some serious math in geometry.

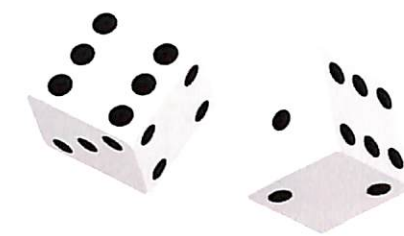


Ready to Learn!

Natalie Shively(7), Seraphina Cuzcano (8), Yannic Miranda (7), Anjelina Lopez-Turrey (10) eager to work in class.

Math

Putting things together by numbers!



Donn Keels



"Its just high school math, so it's really, really easy."
-Dr. K



John Cogswell



"Mathematical knowledge gives one power; mathematical application of this knowledge gives one success."



Greg Houston

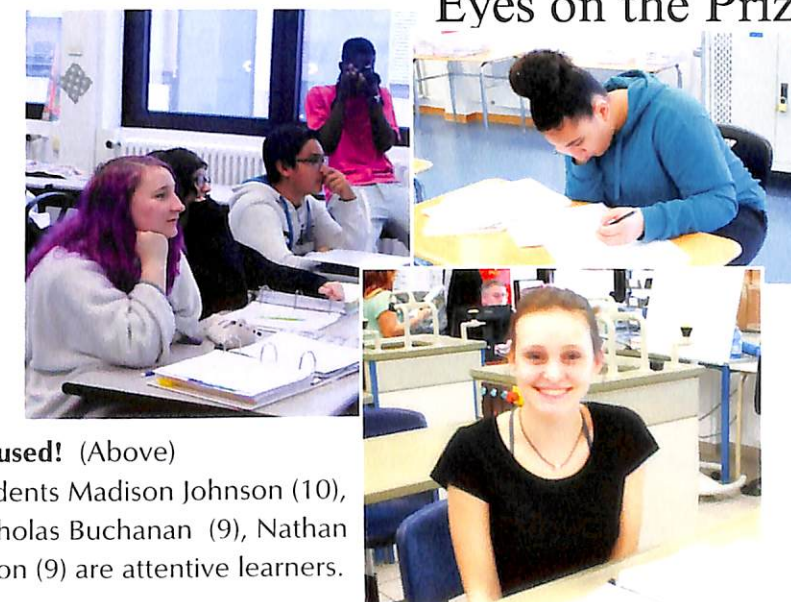


Aim High - Your flight through life is powered by your knowledge!



Focused! (Above)

Students Madison Johnson (10), Nicholas Buchanan (9), Nathan Colon (9) are attentive learners.



Eyes on the Prize!



Determined!

Coach Ellyson fills in for Mr. Smith during an anatomy

a Shyl! (Right)

Damion Lopez-Turrey (8) shields his face from the camera while Elizabeth Miller (8) and Paula Keels (8)

Staying Attentive! (Below)

Seventh Graders Shelby Martin, Jillian Pebler, Emilie Yeadon, and Tyler Bailey listen attentively as Dr. Keels delivers a lesson.



Curiosity



Computing

Seventh graders work diligently to solve a variety of problems in different fields. Above: Seventh graders, Jillian Pebler, Emilie Yeadon and Tyler Bailey work a lab.

Top right: Charles Wellenreuther and Andre Sperber partner up.



Calculating! Rona Denuna (10) checking results.



Group Work! (Above)

Sophomores, Dustin Martin and Sebastian Penafior working together

Presenting! (Right)

Senior Giancarlo Solito gives a presentation on the muscles of the

Science



A Closer View at our Science Department



Mr. Smith

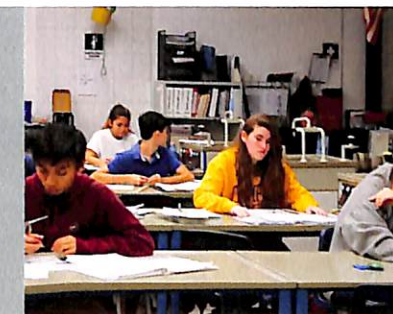


What do you see in our science department?

"I see a good group of experienced teachers and a lot of very hardworking and capable students."



Mr. Cogswell



What do you see in our science department?

"I see a lot of capable scientists in the making. At this rate, us 'old folks' will be in good hands!"

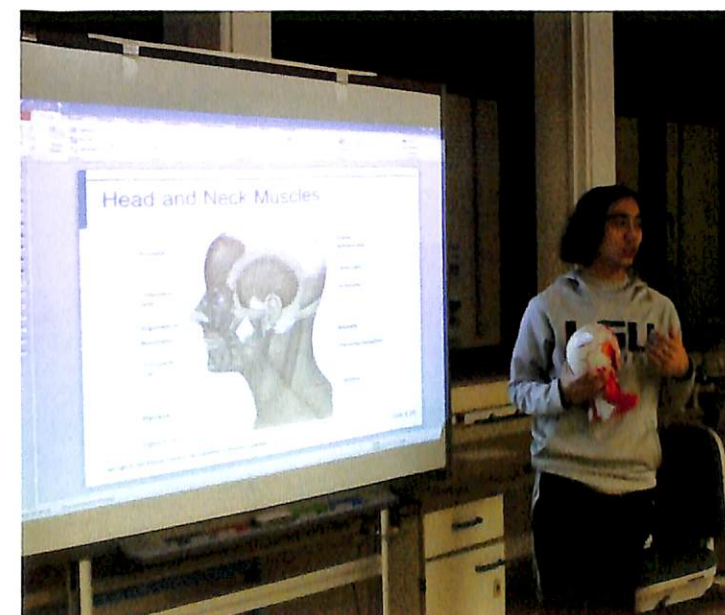


Mrs. Dickens



What do you see in our science department?

"The Ansbach science department is a small but powerful group of highly motivated, highly intelligent, and highly dedicated people who demonstrate 'Cougars Care' each and every day in their teaching and interactions with students."



Life Sciences

Smiles: Calculating the width of senior smiles: Giancarlo Solito, Shermaine Nesbitt and Nizala Mwamba-Smith.



Biologically! Ansbach's extensive science program allows for students to delve into many of the numerous branches of life science. Above: Jessica Livingston (11) and Katelynn Patterson (11) sort.

Right: James Box (11) focuses on the muscle.





Dr Surinak, "I get so much joy when my students are engaged in the learning process, have "ah-ha" moments, laugh at my (bad) jokes, and create fun in the classroom."



Groupwork!

Seventh graders Andre Sperber, and Yannic Miranda concentrating hard while doing groupwork.



Bookwork!

Kevin Kamara, and Oglen Andrew (11th) working hard in their text books.



Concentrating!

sixth graders Leo Kim, and Carlie Viray Focusing and getting work done calmly and quietly.



Working hard!

Sixth graders, Joseph Cole, Kaelynn Storton are trying to finish their work.



Focusing on Work!

Ms. Dameron's sixth grade class working hard to complete test: Sabreen AlSamarai, Karma Woods, Joel Rosado, Sarah Pierce.

Social Studies



Looking at history and society



Ms. Sykes



"A mind is a terrible thing to waste" Slogan for UNCF.
"I would like my middle school students to open their eyes and minds to see the real world around them and challenge themselves to be the very best student they can be and stop making excuses for their shortcomings. This is the last year 7th grade World Geography will be taught in DoDEA schools and I don't want our students to be geographically inferior to their world counterparts."



Ms. Dameron



"I want them to be able to think critically about current and past events, be able to engage in discussions with historical understanding, and most importantly seek diverse perspectives and information about those events."



Mr. Claus



"I would like to see my students develop an appreciation for the past, because by understanding the past we can avoid mistakes in the future."



Test work!

Jacob Dickerson (6th), trying to get a good grade on his test.



Welcome back

Mr.Nalker's sixth grade Class making welcome home signs for a student's father returning from deployment.




Christmas Time

Jonah Odum (7) having fun with class making Christmas trees to decorate.


Fine & Performing Arts

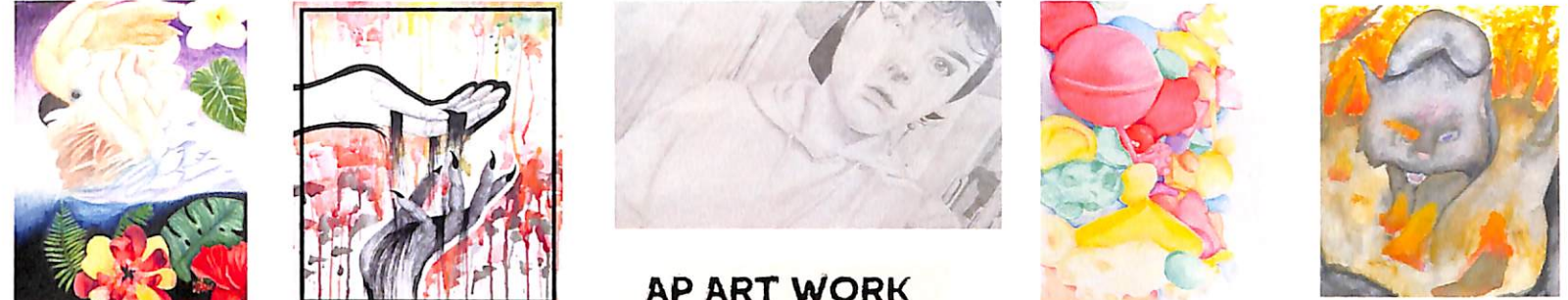
Letting creative minds drift...



MS. SPANO

Ms. Spano teaches AP Studio Art, AP Photography, and AP Art History as well as Middle School Art, Art 1 and Art 2. Whenever Ms. Spano isn't actively teaching, she's working on her own creations.





AP ART WORK



MR. HUNT



By sharing his love of music, Mr. Hunt helps students discover their own musical passions.

Left: The Lady Cougar Quartet. After preparing for months, Madeline Liverar (10), Natalie Shively (7), Adriana Cadavid (8), and Marwa Alsamrai (12) are ready to take the stage, with Mr. Hunt conducting.




Practice practice practice!
The band looking snazzy just a few minutes after taking a seat on stage.



Top Right: Tia Crisp (9) and Kelli Turner (9) tune their clarinets.



Lower Right: Noah Kim (8) reviews his music.



"In a WORLD where you can be anything, BE KIND."


AMHS offers art classes to suit both the musically and artistically inclined - with classes in band, choir, drawing, painting and more. Mr. Hunt and Ms. Spano share their love of the arts and help students explore their own creative aptitudes.





Rehearsal!
Everyone preparing to take the stage. Emilie Yeadon (7) and Margaux Edquid (7) sync the notes. Right: Ljah Dumo (9) gets a little help from dad.





Ready to start!
Band members have no time for pre-performance jitters.

PE/Health

What do you want to see when you teach your classes?



Carrie Vales



"Set goals, develop good study habits/organization, learn from your mistakes, believe in yourself and NEVER give up! Remember to take care of yourself- getting enough rest/exercise and eating a balanced meal are essential for performing your best throughout high school...and life!"



David Dickens



"It is my goal, that as a result of their experience in my class, that my students will be able to go to any gym in the world and feel proficient and confident in their attempt at life-long fitness."



Shannon Daniels



"That they can't always get what they want, but if they try sometimes they just might find that they'll get what they need."

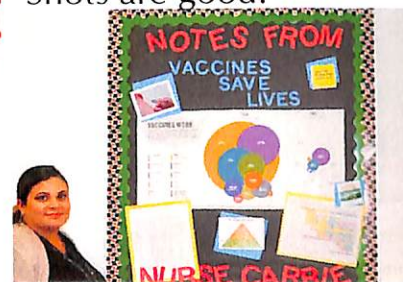


Racing the group!
The race to put the beanbag in the hula hoop and make it back first.

Having fun



Shots are good?



CTE

Preparing for careers with practice!



Nancy Dauber



The CTE classes utilize skills that students learn in their academic classes: language arts, math, art, computers, etc.; they give the students practical career applications. They often learn to use the software tools which are used in similar occupations in the real world.



Stephen Choate



The video classes and the computer science classes have been making great progress and we look to continue a tradition of excellence as we move on into the future.



Maria ReGester



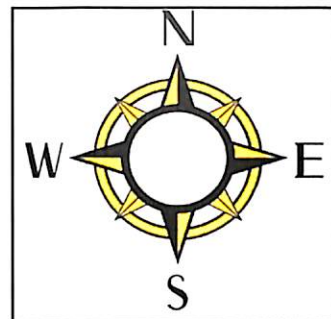
It is critical that my classes cultivate opportunities for learners to develop their "Personal Brands". The skills that are acquired in both business and technology-related courses equip learners with transferable skills to consider what they are projecting to the world.



Work hard Learn harder!
The CTE kids in Dr. ReGester's, Ms. Dauber's, and Mr. Choate's classes are practicing their tech skills.

Languages

German, Spanish, ESL



Herr Koerner



"I like when my students show an interest in what I teach, ask questions and, of course, become confident in communicating 'Auf Deutsch'."

- Herr Koerner



Maura Flynn



"I know my students learn so much in my class about Spanish and English and the world. Most importantly, they learn about themselves and how they learn."

- Señora Flynn



Emily Applegate



Our class is actually Reading Lab this year, but in terms of ESL development I focus on vocabulary development, reading fluency, and academic confidence. Students who speak multiple languages and have diverse backgrounds bring unique gifts to the table, and I learn just as much from them as I teach!

-MS. Applegate



Ms. Applegate checks eighth graders Jonathan Morill and Lucas Morecraft as they work.



Becoming fluent in German!

Cody Dunlap(10) Aidan Sperber(10) getting one-on-one practice with Herr Koerner.



Practicando their Spanish!

Ms. Flynn works with her students to improve their fluency.



Mr. Claus has taught Social Studies and Language Arts to many students... in Giessen, Würzburg, and Ansbach. He has provided experience in international politics to students through his leadership in sponsoring POL&IS and MUSS.

TRIBUTE: I have had the fortune of being your student for two years. Your classes have been the most interesting and amusing. I thank you! Your maxims inspire me, the Duke of Earl is still in my head. I can't forget the fifty states, the secret APUSH Jello Dance (shhh) or amazing Philadelphia. Thanks to you, I had the opportunity to rule the world for 4 days as UN Secretary General. I aspire to perfection and will seek to spread your wisdom.

~ Gabi Peach



Mrs. Sykes has contributed to teaching many students. She taught many years at Nürnberg Middle School prior to coming to Ansbach Middle/High School. She has coached, sponsored and played an active roll in the schools and communities where she has worked.



TRIBUTE: The Ansbach community is going to miss you dearly. We will miss having the best world geography teacher in the comforts of our school. You taught us everything we need to know about the environment around us and we thank you for that. We wish you the best of luck in your next location. From my heart to yours we will truly miss you.

~ Shelby Martin



Ms. Harrison was involved in the European military community as wife, mother, teacher and assistant principal. Some of her locations included Mannheim, Heidelberg, Hohenfels and of course Ansbach.



TRIBUTE: Most things Ms. Harrison said were inspirational. She is a remarkable Assistant Principal: a hard worker and always positive. She always told the students to be who you are no matter what people think. She is polite and respectful. Although she moved away she will never be forgotten by her Ansbach students for being an amazing person.



~ Damion Lopez-Turrey

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