

# ELL-SALINE USD 307

2022



2023

## Activities & Information Calendar

### ***All Can Achieve and Succeed***

All students will be provided a safe, stimulating environment so that they will gain the knowledge, skills, and values necessary for living, learning, and working.

-Board of Education

This calendar is published in order to keep parents and patrons informed of school activities. It is the schools' belief that community participation is vital to the educational success of students and the district's schools. An attempt has been made to be as inclusive as possible in this publication, however, cancellations, and other changes will occur over the course of the year. Check our website ([www.ellsaline.org](http://www.ellsaline.org)) for Weekly Happenings updates.

### **School Addresses/Phone Numbers:**

District Office  
412 E. Anderson/PO Box 157  
Brookville, KS 67425-0157  
(785) 914-5602

Elementary School  
1757 N. Halstead Rd.  
Salina, KS 67401  
(785) 827-8891

Middle/High School  
414 E. Anderson/PO Box 97  
Brookville, KS 67425  
(785) 914-5600

### **School Hours:**

AM Preschool	8:15 AM to 11:15
PM Preschool	12:35 PM to 3:35
Grades K-12	8:15 AM to 3:40 PM

### **Board of Education**

The Ell-Saline USD 307 board of education consists of seven members, two from each of the three board districts and one at-large. They have the important responsibility of establishing the policies by which the district's schools are governed.

Board members serve without compensation and may be elected for an unlimited number of four-year terms.

Regular meetings of the board of education are held on the second Monday of each month at 7:00 PM in the District Office Conference Room. Meetings are open to the public, and parents and patrons are encouraged to attend.

The boards' basic function is to set policy. Comments and opinions of the public are welcomed. Specific questions or problems should first be discussed with the teacher or administrator at the appropriate school.

Board of Education members:

John Fouard President	225-6820
Bill Travis V President	643-3633
Shane Schneider	283-4335
Heather Hardesty	820-7954
Cheryl Higgins	577-2408
Marty Kramer	826-6131
Mitch Drees	225-6690

### **School Closings**

Unless the weather of the night before warrants closing school at that time, a decision will usually not be made until 6:00 AM. Once the decision is made to close school, or to run the buses late, radio stations will announce that decision. Tune to KSAL 1150AM, KINA 910AM, KSKG 99.9FM, KSAJ 98.5FM, KILS 27.7FM, or KQNS 95.9FM between 6:30AM and 8:00AM for these announcements to be made. In times of inclement weather, the decision to send students to school ultimately rests with the parents. The administration and bus drivers will make what they feel are prudent decisions concerning running the buses. Parents have the option and responsibility, if condi-

tions warrant, of keeping students at home.

### **Transportation** (For more information see back page.)

The district currently has regular routes, including kindergarten, which spans the 225 square miles of the district. Special education transportation is provided.

The bus fleet is consistently being monitored and inspected annually by state inspectors. Routes also are reviewed to provide the most efficient and economical means in busing students to and from home.

Drivers undergo training in first aid and defensive driving, and do an excellent job of safely transporting students in all types of weather.

### **School Breakfast/Lunch Program**

The district participates in the nationally sponsored school breakfast/lunch program. The food service staff takes pride in providing nutritious and attractive lunches. Students are encouraged to take advantage of the services.

### **Co-Curricular Activities**

The Ell-Saline schools have a tradition of excellence in all phases of co-curricular activities. These activities are often time-consuming for students, parents, and staff; however, national studies have shown that participants have fewer disciplinary problems at school, and in general are more successful in adult life!

The middle and high schools are members of the Kansas State High School Activities Association (2A) and are playing in the Heart of America League (HOA).

Opportunities are provided for students to participate in football, volleyball, cross country, basketball, wrestling, bowling, track, softball, baseball, music, drama, cheerleading, pep band, and pep club. Successful programs provide opportunities for developing community spirit and pride.

### **Special Education**

Ell-Saline USD 307 is a member of the Central Kansas Cooperative in Education along with eleven other school districts in the area.

The cooperative designs individual educational programs for students with special needs, ranging from the very brightest students to those with extreme learning disabilities, including pre-school handicapped children.

The special education cooperative also provides hearing screening services for all children of the district.

### **Guidance/Counseling Services**

Guidance and counseling services are provided to elementary students on a group basis with individual activities to promote understanding of oneself and to create a positive self-concept.

At the middle/high school, guidance and counseling services are provided to help students with plans, choices, problems, and better self-understanding.

With the use of each student's academic records, test scores, aptitudes, interests, and personal data, the counselor is able to help the students evaluate one's own progress, potential, and interests in order to give the students guidance and direction in pursuing high goals.

### **Graduation Requirements and the High School Curriculum**

Ell-Saline USD 307 offers a comprehensive curriculum at the secondary level to meet the needs of the college bound and vocationally oriented, as well as the general education student who is still undecided. Students have the opportunity during the year to pursue different career choices and to be assisted by the counselor, principal, and the teaching staff.

Senior high students will develop individual four-year plans to assist them and their parents in assuring that future career goals are being met. These plans may vary, but they will provide road maps for the annual and long-term programs of students.

Middle school curriculum provides for exploration and investigation. Students have the opportunity to take core curriculum courses in the basics, as well as various electives such as music, art, physical education, industrial education, and home economics.

### **Explanation of Abbreviations**

ES = Ell-Saline	DO = District Office
HS = High School	MS = Middle School
ESE = Elementary School	BOE = Board of Education
FFA = Future Farmers of America	
CPTA = Community Parent Teacher Association	
ESIC = Elementary School Improvement Council	
TBA = To Be Announced	
RR = Reading Renaissance	
V = Varsity	JV = Junior Varsity
FB = Football	VB = Volleyball
BSB = Baseball	BB = Basketball
SB = Softball	CC = Cross Country
TR = Track	GO = Boys' Golf
WR = Wrestling	BWL = Bowling



# February 2023

**Sunday**

**Monday**

**Tuesday**

**Wednesday**

**Thursday**

**Friday**

**Saturday**

			<b>1</b>	<b>2</b> Groundhog Day TBD MS HOA BB @ Sedgwick 9:00 FFA Food Science/Poultry @ Republic Co. 5:00 HS WR @ Herington Regional SB @ Inman	<b>3</b> 4:30 HS BB Berean Academy @ ES 5th Grade @ Starbase	<b>4</b> TBD MS HOA BB @ Sedgwick HS B 9th BB @ Smoky Valley
<b>5</b>	<b>6</b> MS WR Practice Begins MS SB @ Tescott 7:00 Kindergarten Music Concert @ ESE TBD HS 9th B BB @ Smoky Valley	<b>7</b> 4:30 HS BB @ Inman	<b>8</b> Bigs/Littles @ ESE 9:00 FFA Speech/Job Interview @ Clay Center ESE Spirit Stick Sales	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b> 4:30 HS BB @ Marion TBD HS Girls WR Regional	<b>11</b> TBD HS Girls WR Regional
<b>12</b>	<b>13</b> 4:00 MS Quiz Bowl @ ES 4:00 MS WR @ Minneapolis 6:30 BOE	<b>14</b> 4:30 HS BB Bennington @ ES Sweetheart	<b>15</b> Parent/Teacher Conf. 4:15pm-8:15pm MS/HS Career Day MS G BB @ K-State	<b>16</b> NO SCHOOL Parent/Teacher Conf. 7:00am-7:30pm BPA State Competition @ Wichita	<b>17</b> NO SCHOOL 4:30 HS BB Sterling @ ES TBD HS Boys WR Regional BPA State Competition @ Wichita	<b>18</b> TBD HS Boys WR Regional BPA State Competition @ Wichita Sweetheart Dance 8:00-11:00 National FFA Week
<b>19</b> National FFA Week	<b>20</b> NO SCHOOL Teacher In-Service 4:00 MS Quiz Bowl @ Moundridge 4:30 HS BB Rural Vista @ ES Pink Out Night Senior/Parent Recognition National FFA Week	<b>21</b> 4:30 HS BB @ Hutchinson Trinity National FFA Week	<b>22</b> Bigs/Littles @ ES TBD HS Girls WR State National FFA Week	<b>23</b> TBD HS Girls WR State National FFA Week	<b>24</b> TBD HS Boys WR State National FFA Week	<b>25</b> TBD HS Boys WR State 9:00 FFA Meats @ Ellsworth National FFA Week
<b>26</b>	<b>27</b> Spring Athletic Practice Begins 4:00 MS Quiz Bowl @ Little River 4:00 MS WR @ Remington 7:00 TBD HS Boys Sub State BB	<b>28</b> 7:00 TBD HS Girls Sub State BB				
<div>  <p><b>Character Education Monthly Theme</b></p> <p>HONESTY—A fairness and straightforwardness of conduct.</p> </div>						

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# March 2023

**Sunday**

**Monday**

**Tuesday**

**Wednesday**

**Thursday**

**Friday**

**Saturday**

			1  9:00 FFA Selection Day/Rules/Dates @ Minneapolis	2  MS WR @ Herington HS BB Sub-State Quarterfinals	3  HS BB Sub-State Quarterfinals 3:00 MS WR @ Chase County	4  HS BB Sub-State Finals
5	6  6:00 ESE CPTA Meeting @ ESE Library	7  8:00 MS HOA Music Festival @ Sterling	8  Bigs/Littles @ ESE ESE Spirit Stick Sales HS BB State TBD	9  End of 3rd Quarter  HS BB State TBD	10  NO SCHOOL Teacher Work Day 8:00-12:00 HS BB State TBD	11  HS BB State TBD
12   Remember to spring forward one hour	13  NO SCHOOL Spring Break	14  NO SCHOOL Spring Break	15  NO SCHOOL Spring Break	16  NO SCHOOL Spring Break	17   NO SCHOOL Spring Break  5:00 FFA Leader Lab @ Junction City	18  HS JV SB @ Hutchinson  5:00 FFA Leader Lab @ Junction City
19	20	21	22  Bigs/Littles @ ES	23	24	25
26	27  MS/HS Spring Sports Pictures	28  4:30 HS SB @ Hutchinson Trinity 4:30 HS BSB @ Hutchinson Trinity 3:30 HS TR @ Salina Stadium 4:00 MS Quiz Bowl @ Sterling	29	30  9:00 FFA @ Cloud County Community 2:00 MS TR @ Tescott	31  1:00 HS Golf @ Great Life Golf & Fitness 3:00 HS SB Remington @ ES 3:00 HS BSB Remington @ ES 3:00 HS TR @ Bennington	

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# April 2023

**Sunday**

**Monday**

**Tuesday**

**Wednesday**

**Thursday**

**Friday**

**Saturday**

						1 April Fools Day
2	3 3:30 MS Quiz Bowl HOA Tournament @ Marion 6:00 ESE CPTA Meeting @ ESE Library 6:30 TBA FFA Dist. Banquet	4 ESE Group/Class Picture Day	5 9:00 HS HOA Art Festival @ Remington	6 3:00 HS SB Bennington @ ES 3:00 HS BSB Bennington @ ES 4:00 MS TR @ Sterling 9:00 FFA @ Beloit	7 Good Friday <b>NO SCHOOL</b> Easter Break	8
9 	10 <b>NO SCHOOL</b> Easter Break	11 3:00 HS Golf @ Minneapolis 3:00 HS SB @ Little River 3:00 HS BSB @ Little River 3:30 HS TR @ Ellsworth	12 Bigs/Littles @ ESE  ESE Spirit Stick Sales	13 4:00 MS TR @ Wakefield	14 4:30 HS SB @ Canton-Galva 4:30 HS BSB @ Canton-Galva 3:00 HS Golf @ Salina	15 Jr/Sr Prom
16	17 8:00 HS HOA Forensics @ Hutchinson Trinity Catholic 9:00 FFA Livestock Eval @ Clay Center Fairgrounds 9:00 1:00 FFA Floriculture @ Clay Center armory 10:30 HS Golf @ Manhattan	18 10:30 HS TR Wilson @ Russell	19	20 4:00 MS TR @ Sedgwick	21 3:00 HS SB Marion @ ES 3:00 HS BSB Marion @ ES 3:00 HS TR @ Osborne	22
23	24 3:00 HS JV TR @ Tescott 3:00 HS BSB Sacred Heart @ ES 7:00 3rd and 4th grade Music Concert @ ESE	25 4:00 HS Golf @ Minneapolis	26 Bigs/Littles @ ES  BPA National Leadership Conference	27 10:00 MS TR @ Rural Vista  BPA National Leadership Conference	28 10:00 HS TR @ Beloit High School 3:00 HS SB @ Moundridge 3:00 HS BSB @ Moundridge BPA National Leadership Conference	29 BPA National Leadership Conference
30  BPA National Leadership Conference		 <p align="center"><b>Character Education Monthly Theme</b></p> <p align="center">DISCERNMENT—The quality to distinguish and select what is true or appropriate.</p>				

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# May 2023

**Sunday**

**Monday**

**Tuesday**

**Wednesday**

**Thursday**

**Friday**

**Saturday**

	<b>1</b> 6:00 ESE CPTA Meeting @ ESE Library 6:00 Senior Trip Parent Meeting	<b>2</b> 3:00 HS SB Sterling @ ES 3:00 HS Golf @ Ellsworth 3:00 HS TR @ Tescott	<b>3</b> 9:00 MS TR St. John @ Beloit 9:00 HS HOA Industrial Arts/Ag Fair @ Moundridge Bigs/Littles @ ESE	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b> 4:30 HS SB @ Sedgwick 4:30 HS BSB @ Sedgwick 3:00 HS TR @ Lincoln SENIORS LAST DAY	<b>6</b> Senior Trip
<b>7</b> Senior Trip	<b>8</b> 9:00 FFA Greenhand Ag Mechanics @ Chapman 1:00 HOA Golf @ Hesston Hosted by Remington 4:00 HS JV BSB Minneapolis @ ES Senior Trip	<b>9</b> 11:00 MS HOA TR @ Bennington 3:00 HS SB Inman @ ES 3:00 HS BSB Inman @ ES Senior Trip	<b>10</b> Bigs/Littles @ ES ESE Spirit Stick Sales Senior Trip	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b> 3:00 HS HOA TR @ Marion 8:30 a.m. Graduation Rehearsal	<b>13</b>  2:30 HS Graduation
<b>14</b> 	<b>15</b> TBD HS SB Regionals TBD HS BSB Regionals	<b>16</b> 7:00 MS Awards/8th Grade Promotion Night	<b>17</b>	<b>18</b> Last Day of School 11:00 Dismissal End of Quarter/Semester	<b>19</b> Teacher Workday Set TBA HS Regional TR	<b>20</b>
<b>21</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b> TBD HS SB State TBD HS BSB State	<b>26</b> 8:00 HS State TR TBD HS SB State TBD HS BSB State	<b>27</b> HS State TR
<b>28</b>	<b>29</b> Memorial Day	<b>30</b> State FFA Convention @ KSU	<b>31</b> State FFA Convention @ KSU	 <p><b>Character Education Monthly Theme</b>          TEAMWORK—Work done by several associates with each doing a part, but all subordinating personal prominence to the efficiency of the whole.</p>		

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# June 2023

**Sunday**

**Monday**

**Tuesday**

**Wednesday**

**Thursday**

**Friday**

**Saturday**

				1  State FFA Convention @ KSU	2  State FFA Convention @ KSU	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14 Flag Day	15	16	17
18 Happy Father's Day	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	

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# July 2023

**Sunday**

**Monday**


**Tuesday**

**Wednesday**

**Thursday**

**Friday**

**Saturday**

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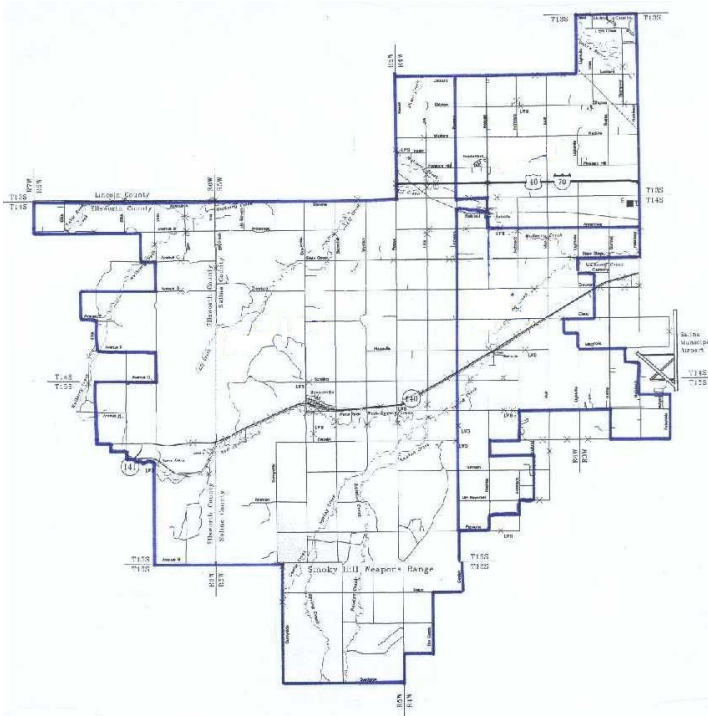
## TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION

### Transportation Director's Numbers

Jensen, Cindy  
785-819-4790  
785-225-6813 ext. 206 (District Office)  
785-225-6633 ext. 206 (High School)

### Bus Drivers' Work Numbers

Abker, Shondra 785-822-4842  
Barkley, Kim 785-309-9228  
Black, Susan 785-643-3474  
Diehl, Liz 785-452-2584  
David Graf 785-577-2629



## HOW TO GET THERE

*(All distances are from Brookville and are approximate.)*

### BartonCounty

**Community College (BCCC)** – K-140 West on US-156 (Ellsworth), turn left on US-156 to NE 30th Road, turn right. (75 miles)

**Belleville** – K-140 East merge onto US-81 North, merge onto US-36 East towards Washington. Turn left onto O Street. Take 1st right onto 27th Street. Take the 1st left onto P Street. (83 miles)

**Beloit** – Brookville/Tescott road North, turn left on K-18 to Lincoln, turn right on K-14 to Beloit. (65 miles)

**Bennington** – I-135 North, turn right on K-18. (25 miles) K-140 West to US-156 (Ellsworth), turn left on US-156 to NE 30th Road, turn right. (70 miles)

**Berean Academy** (Elbing, KS) – I-135 South to Newton (exit 31), enter first round-about turn left to STOP sign, turn right to STOP sign; turn left, turn left on S. Elbing Rd. (85 miles)

**Canton-Galva** – I-135 South to McPherson (exit 60) turn left on US-56. (60 miles)

**Ellinwood** – K-140 West to US-156 (Ellsworth), turn left on US-156 to mile marker 139 (5 miles past the US-156/K-4 junction), turn left. For the football field, turn right at the North edge of Ellinwood. The school/gymnasium is located at 210 E. 2nd St. (60 miles)

**Ellsworth** – 211 W 11th St, K-140 W 20.29 miles turn left onto N Douglas Ave/KS-14, take the first right onto W 10th st., take the first right onto Stanberry st., Stanberry st becomes 2 11th st. (20.9 miles)

**Fort Hays** – I-70 West to Hays, turn left at Exit 157. (95 miles)

**Inman** – I-135 South to Hutchinson exit, turn right to Inman, turn left at the main intersection and go approx. 6 blocks. The school will be on the left. (65 miles)

**Little River** – 455 W Prairie Ave: W K-140 19 miles, turn left KS-156 2.29 miles turn onto KS-14 14.3 miles, turn left onto KS-4 9.17 miles, turn right onto 25th Rd 1 mile, turn left on avenue B, turn slight right on to county road 107, turn slight right onto 26th rd, 26th becomes State st., turn left onto Prairie Ave.

**Lincoln** – Brookville/Tescott Rd. North, turn left on K-18. (30 miles)

**Marion** – I-135 South to McPherson (exit 60), turn left on US-56. (85 miles)

**McPherson** – I-135 South (exit 60) (48 miles)

**Minneapolis** – I-135 North to Minneapolis. (35 miles)

**Moundridge** – I-135 South to Moundridge (exit 46). (65 miles)

**Phillipsburg** – I-70 West to Hays, turn right on US-183. (165 miles)

**Remington** – I-135 South past Newton to Exit 25, turn left on K-196, turn left on NW Meadowlark Rd. (95 miles)

**Sacred Heart** – 230 E. Cloud, Salina (15 miles)

**Sedgwick** – I-135 South past Newton to Exit 22, turn right into Sedgwick. (85 miles) **OR** I-135 South to Hesston (exit 40), turn right to first stop sign, turn left. (80 miles)

**Smoky Valley/Lindsborg** – I-135 South to Lindsborg (exit 78), turn right on K-4. (35 miles)

**Solomon** – I-70 East to Solomon (exit 266). (35 miles)

**Southeast of Saline (SES)** – (505 E. K-4 Hwy., Gypsum) I-135 South to K-4, turn left. (30 miles)

**Sterling** – K-140 west to US-156, turn left on US-156 to K-14 and turn left to Sterling (60 miles)

**Sylvan Grove** – I-70 West to Sylvan Grove (exit 208), turn right. (50 miles)

**Tescott** – North on Brookville/Tescott road. (15 miles)

**Trinity Catholic** (Hutchinson) – I-135 South to Exit 58, right on K-61 to second stop light in Hutchinson, turn right at 17<sup>th</sup> Street. (80 miles)

**Wilson** – I-70 West to Wilson, turn left. (45 miles)