Sorg's Scoop Updates 2/17/2022

- UPDATED -- SCHEDULING FOR 2022-2023: Students currently in grades 8-11 had meetings with Mrs. Thompson and me on Wednesday, 2/16/22. Course request forms with some explanation about the scheduling process were distributed, which students should bring home to discuss with parents. Additional information about student scheduling and specific course descriptions can also be found in the <u>curriculum guide</u>. The completed and signed course request forms must be returned to the high school office by Wednesday, March 2, 2022. Students in grades 6 and 7 will receive scheduling information at a later date.
- REMINDER -- NO SCHOOL ON MONDAY, 2/21/22: Due to observance of the Presidents' Day holiday, there will be no school for staff and students on Monday, February 21.
- REMINDER -- JH/HS PARENT-TEACHER CONFERENCES: Conferences for Grades 7-12 will be held on Thursday, February 24, 2022, from 3:30 - 7:30 PM. JH teachers have already contacted parents and are available for team meetings, while HS teachers are available for individual meetings. Parents can contact teachers directly, or Mrs. Cheney in the high school office, to schedule conferences.
- REMINDER -- REMOTE LEARNING FOR CALAMITY DAYS: Due to the number of days we have missed this year due to weather-related calamity days, any future calamity days may result in remote learning. Teachers will share with their students what remote learning will look like in each of their classes. Students should take their Chromebooks home with them each day in the event we have a cancellation due to inclement weather, in order to complete any at-home activities they may be assigned.
- ACT TESTING FOR JUNIORS: All Juniors will take the state-funded ACT test on Tuesday, March 1. Juniors will report to the new gym at 8:00 AM and will be released for the day when they conclude their testing at approximately 12:00 PM. All other students will follow a regular schedule that day.
- SCHOOL NOTIFICATIONS: Ohio Alerts, a notification system previously used by Arlington and many other schools and agencies, is no longer in use. Parents are encouraged to sign up for text alerts through the WFIN/WKXA website <u>delays.wfin.com</u>, or through the Remind text messaging service (see below, grades 7-12 only), for important information, delays, cancellations, and other announcements.
- TEXT MESSAGES: I encourage ALL students and parents in grades 7-12 to sign-up for the specific groups below to receive Remind app text notifications of school delays/closings and other important information to be shared. This is a GREAT way to receive communication about school events!

Group Name	Send this text to 81010
Class of 2022/Seniors	@22reddevil
Class of 2023/Juniors	@23reddevil
Class of 2024/Sophomores	@24reddevil
Class of 2025/Freshmen	@25reddevil
Class of 2026/8th Graders	@26reddevil
Class of 2027/7th Graders	@27reddevil