

# Sorg's Scoop Updates

1/20/23

- **SCHEDULING FOR 2023-2024:** The scheduling process for the 2023-2024 school year has begun! Mrs. Thompson and I are conducting grade-level meetings with all students in grades 6-11, during which students will be given a Course Request form with an explanation of the scheduling process. Students and parents are encouraged to contact Mrs. Thompson with any scheduling questions or concerns. Additionally, course descriptions and additional scheduling information can be found in the 2023-2024 Curriculum Guide by clicking [here](#). The signed Course Request forms are due back in the office by Friday, February 3, to give us sufficient time to develop the master schedule for next school year.
- **GRADUATION PLANS:** Students in grades 9-11 have recently been given their individual Graduation Plan summaries. Parents should review the information that has already been provided in the plan and then sign the plan. Students should then return the plan to the office with their Course Request form they will receive in the scheduling meetings.
- **STOPit:** Arlington is utilizing the STOPit reporting system, which allows students, parents, or teachers to ANONYMOUSLY report harassment, bullying, weapons, vapes, drugs, threats, and concerns about depression or self-harm in others. Go to [appweb.stopitsolutions.com](http://appweb.stopitsolutions.com) to submit a report, enter the school access code ARLINGTON, and then complete the required information. Reports are delivered directly to school administrators for their review.
- **SAFER OHIO SCHOOL TIP LINE:** Another reporting system is the Safer Ohio School Tip Line. Individuals can anonymously report concerns by calling or texting 844-SaferOH (844-723-3764). Once a report is received and determined by Ohio Homeland Security officials to need further action, the information will be forwarded to local law enforcement and school officials. More information about the tip line can be found [here](#).
- **SCHOOL NOTIFICATIONS:** Parents are encouraged to sign up for text alerts through the WFIN/WKXA website [delays.wfin.com](http://delays.wfin.com), or through the Remind text messaging service (see below, grades 6-12 only), for important information, delays, cancellations, and announcements.
- **TEXT MESSAGES:** I encourage ALL students and parents in grades 7-12 to sign-up for their groups below to receive text notifications of school delays/closings and other important info! Please note that students MUST be at least 13 years of age to sign-up for these text messages.

<b><u>Group Name</u></b>	<b><u>Send this text to 81010</u></b>
Class of 2023/Seniors	@23reddevil
Class of 2024/Juniors	@24reddevil
Class of 2025/Sophomores	@25reddevil
Class of 2026/Freshmen	@26reddevil
Class of 2027/8th Graders	@27reddevil
Class of 2028/7th Graders	@28reddevil