

CLUB AND ORGANIZATION INTEREST FORM

	<p>ACADEMIC TEAM: Mr. Rick Ceddia The Academic Team competes in academic competitions and tournaments against other schools. In the last 30 years, we have competed in both local and state tournaments. The team is open to all grade levels and all academic levels. Weekly meetings include "Jeopardy" style games that quiz you on general academic studies and current events.</p>
	<p>ART CLUB: Mr. Dave Buetsche and Mrs. Kim Plagge Art Club is for any student who enjoys making and learning about art. Students meet monthly either after school or in the evenings. Activities include: guest speakers, workshops, open studios, the annual Halloween party with Mercy's Art Club, an Art Christmas party, movies, and field trips.</p>
	<p>BEGINNING BAND: Mr. Jack Anderson Beginning Band meets every day as a class and welcomes students in any grade. As a participant, you will play in several concerts. Beginning Band is a fun and interactive way to fulfill your Fine Arts credit!</p>
	<p>BOOK CLUB: Ms. Monica Williams-Mitchell Book Club is perfect for reading enthusiasts. Students pick the book of the month and meet to discuss or watch the movie and occasionally meet with Seton's Book Club. All students are welcome to join.</p>
	<p>COFFEE + MUSIC CLUB : Mr. Dave Buetsche Members of the Coffee + Music Club meet weekly to drink a variety of coffees, discuss major issues of the day and listen an amazing range of music. Meetings are Wednesday mornings in the Art Room.</p>
	<p>CHESS CLUB: Ms. Monica Williams-Mitchell Chess Club is open to students who are looking to improve strategy or learn the game. During meetings, students lead discussion concerning specific moves and overall strategy. All students are welcome to join!</p>
	<p>DRAMA CLUB: Mr. Gary Rogers Drama Club partners with Seton High School to produce the Fall production. Students meet twice a month after school to prepare and rehearse. Any and all Seton and Elder students with an interest in theatre are welcome to join. Not interested in "on stage" work? Join to take part in sound, lights, set design and construction, costumes, and stage management.</p>
	<p>ENGINEERING CLUB: Mr. TJ Evert Engineering Club meets weekly to plan and discuss engineering projects. These projects have included building small-scale roller coasters, disassembling a toaster to understand how it works, just to name a couple projects! All students are encourage to attend meetings.</p>
	<p>ENTREPRENEURSHIP CLUB: Mrs. Erin Lind Entrepreneurship club is for anyone who is interested in owning their own business someday. Students meet monthly in the mornings before school begins. Each month there will be a featured business professional at each meeting to discuss what route they took to start up their own business. All students are welcome to join!</p>
	<p>EUCHRE CLUB: Mr. Scott Louis Love the game of Euchre? Join the Euchre Club! Members meet in Room 201 every Friday morning to play the challenging card game. Everyone is welcome!</p>
	<p>FRENCH CLUB: Ms. Heidi Hanks and Ms. Amy McLean Students interested in the French culture and language are welcome to join the French Club! Students have the opportunity to make French food, to write to pen pals in French-speaking countries, and to interact with other French Clubs at other high schools. Students of all levels are encouraged to join the French Club.</p>
	<p>FRESHMAN CHORUS: Ms. Jordan Schad Freshman Chorus is open to all freshmen who are interested. After freshman year, students are welcome to join the Glee Club. Student perform at concerts on campus and locally in Cincinnati.</p>
	<p>GERMAN CLUB: Karin Albrecht-Kraeling Students who are enrolled in German 3 and 4 are part of the German Club! Students meet twice a month to watch a German TV show or film and to do activities related to German traditions and holidays.</p>
	<p>GUITAR CLUB: Mr. Dave Buetsche Guitar Club is a small group of guitar enthusiasts. Whether you have played for years or just learning to play, you are welcome to join! Meetings take place in Rm. 207 either before or after school depending on the week. Guitars and the need to rock are not provided. You must bring your own.</p>

	<p>INTERalliance: Mr. Rick Nohle INTERalliance meets throughout the year to discuss and plan for a weekend competition in early spring. This group is comprised of tech-lovers and fanatics of all grade levels.</p>
	<p>KEY CLUB: Mr. Roger Auer Key Club is a service group that responds to the needs of the immediate community. Projects have included rehabbing houses in Over the Rhine, neighborhood cleanups, Prepare Affair, tutoring at St. Leo's, just to name a few. Students meet weekly to sign up for upcoming service opportunities.</p>
	<p>LEADERSHIP AND INITIATIVE CLUB: Mr. Tom Nugent Leadership and Initiative Club is a new opportunity for students to work with the community. Students serve the homeless prior to football games, collect winter clothing for local causes, host the Coaches vs. Cancer game, and Relay for Life. Leadership and Initiative Club meets once a month to discuss upcoming events and volunteer opportunities.</p>
	<p>LITURGY COMMITTEE: Mr. Roger Auer The Liturgy Committee plans class masses, all school liturgies, and daily Eucharist. Students meet prior to masses and liturgies to organize upcoming events. All students are welcome to join.</p>
	<p>MAGIC THE GATHERING: Members meets weekly to play Magic the Gathering. Students hone skills and discuss strategies of the card game.</p>
	<p>MOCK TRIAL: Ms. Sharon Montgomery Mock Trial is given an Ohio court case based on actual events. Members meet regularly to appoint roles within the court, assemble arguments, and fight their case. Mock Trial competes their case against other schools in the state in the early Spring.</p>
	<p>PING PONG CLUB: Mr. Roger Auer Ping Pong Club hosts weekly rounds of ping pong every Tuesday after school. At the end of the year, students organize a ping pong tournament for Elderfest for all Elder students.</p>
	<p>POLAR PANTHERS: Mr. Steve Spencer, Mr. Greg Dickman Polar Panthers is a club of students who enjoy running and are active from November through December. It is open to any Elder student and is a good opportunity for a beginning runner to try distance-running in a low-key atmosphere.</p>
	<p>POSTER CLUB: Mrs. Kim Plagge, Mr. Dave Buetsche, and Mr. Dave Reiring Poster Club creates all posters for the cafeteria, upcoming sporting events, upcoming school dances, as well as other Elder events. Poster Club encourages creativity and is open to all students.</p>
	<p>PRO LIFE CLUB: Mrs. Julie Martin The mission of students for Life is to establish an active pro-life culture among the youth of our community by educating our peers on life and actively promoting the right to life for all persons. Students have participated in 40 Days for Life, The Mark for Life in Washington DC, Praying the steps at Holy Cross-Immaculata Parish on Good Friday, Baby Bottle Campaign, and Volunteering at Pregnancy Center West.</p>
	<p>PURPLE QUILL: Mr. Gary Rogers The Purple Quill is Elder's student newspaper organized by students enrolled in Journalism class. Students research and write stories for the monthly online and print editions of the Purple Quill. The Purple Quill accepts articles, photos, and artwork for review by editors.</p>
	<p>SCRUBS CLUB: Mr. Greg Dickman Scrubs Club spends Fridays with Turk and J.D. Students meet once a week and watch episodes of Scrubs.</p>
	<p>SKI CLUB: Mr. Sean Tierney The Ski Club is active during the winter months and meets Wednesdays after school at Perfect North Slopes. You are encouraged to join whether you are a skilled skier/snowboarder or just learning the slopes.</p>
	<p>SPANISH CLUB: Mrs. Mary-Beth Corey and Karin Albrecht-Kraeling Students who are enrolled in Spanish 3,4 or AP class are welcome to join Spanish Club! Students meet twice a month to watch short films and do activities based on Hispanic or Spanish holidays and try traditional foods.</p>
	<p>SPIRIT COMMITTEE: Mr. Dave Reiring and Mr. Justin Quatman The Spirit Committee provides cheerleaders for sporting events, contributes to the Poster Club, organizes spirit-related events such as Storming the Pit and themed cheering sections, and produces and sells spirit-related t-shirts. The Pep Rally Committee also derives from this organization; these students plan, prepare and run the pep rallies.</p>

	<p>STUDENT AMBASSADORS: Mrs. Maura Korn Student Ambassadors attend events hosted by the Guidance, Alumni, and Admissions Offices. During these events, students have the opportunity to welcome guests, help complete day-of tasks, setup or cleanup for an event, give speeches, or host shadows from elementary schools.</p>
	<p>STUDENT COUNCIL: Mr. Dave Reiring Student Council helps plan and organize many Elder events including Fall Dance, Prom, Freshman and Sophomore Dance, fall mixers, intramurals and weekend sports tournaments, the Boys and Girls Club tutoring program, Freshman Orientation, Open House, the Food and Toy Drive, and ElderFest. Student Council consists of Class Representatives (all students), Class Officers (all students), and Executive Board (Seniors who have been on Student Council).</p>
	<p>SUPPORT THE TROOPS: Mr. Justin Quatman Support the Troops provides support for all Elder graduates serving in the military at home and abroad. The featured project is sending care packages to the troops during the holiday season. Students also write letters to troops, attend "Changing of the Sign" ceremonies, plans special recognition events for veterans, and more! All students are welcome to join.</p>
	<p>ULTIMATE FRISBEE: Mr. Dave Reiring Elder disc is the newest and fastest growing club at Elder; students from all grade levels are welcome to participate! Whether you are experienced in disc or not, come join the fun! The club meets once or twice a week, usually at Kuliga Park.</p>
	<p>VIDEO PRODUCTION TEAM (VPT): Mr. Jeff Fuell Do you have an interest in video or radio production? Our Video Production Team produces our morning video announcements on Elder News Network and films athletic events for EHSports.</p>
	<p>ELDERADO YEARBOOK: Mrs. Kathy Hirth Yearbook is open to all students. Staff will take pictures for the yearbook, design and edit all of the pages of the book. We will have meetings one evening a week.</p>