



Asheville School

2025-2026 Key Contacts

The Academic Office

Ms. McNair Letson, Director of Academic Affairs

Reach out to Ms. Johnson with questions about the academic schedule, credits, electives, and choice in the school's curriculum.

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Mr. Van Kussrow, Registrar

Reach out to Mr. Kussrow with questions about the School Portal, course enrollment, placement tests, transcripts, and permission forms.

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Academic Department Chairs

Reach out to our department chairs with any specific questions about departmental course offerings and electives.

- Ms. Chris O'Steen, Humanities Department, English Chair
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- Mr. Carl Boland, Humanities Department, History Chair
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- Mr. Jacob O'Brien, Math Department
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- Ms. Christine Jones, Science Department
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- Mr. Sean Lakey, Visual & Performing Arts Department
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- Ms. Caroline Fleming, World Languages Department
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Athletics & Afternoon Programs

Ms. Sarah Bednar, Director of Athletics & Afternoon Programs

Reach out to Ms. Bednar with questions about athletics and afternoon programming.

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Business Office

Mr. Hanes Swingle, Director of Finance

Reach out to Mr. Swingle with questions about tuition, tuition insurance, payment, and billing.

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College Office

Ms. Amy McCuin and Mr. John Smith, Co-Directors of the College Office

Reach out to Ms. McCuin or Mr. Smith with questions about preparing for the college search and navigating the college application process.

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Health & Wellness Services

Dr. Kellett Letson, Director of Health and Wellness Services

Reach out to Dr. Letson with questions about student health and wellness, Magnus Health Portal, health insurance, and medical forms.

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Mountaineering

Ms. Zoe Manickam, Director of Mountaineering

Reach out to Ms. Manickam with questions about our mountaineering program, on-campus outdoor exploration and facilities, special excursions, and mountaineering activities.

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Student Life Office

Mr. Ray Edmond, Assistant Head of School for Student Life

Reach out to Mr. Edmond with questions about student life, dress code policies, and advisory groups.

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Ms. Kate Janson-Foltz, Associate Dean of Students

Reach out to Ms. Janson-Foltz in the Student Life Office with questions about residential life, dorm information (Dorm Room Movers, packing lists, travel schedules, and airport shuttles), and student expectations.

studentlife@ashevilleschool.org, jansonfoltzk@ashevilleschool.org

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Spiritual Life

Chaplain Nate Sell

Reach out to Chaplain Sell to learn more about chapel services, vestry, interfaith programs, and the value of spiritual reflection at Asheville School.

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