

New Proposed Activity Form

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Proposed Activity/Group Name: eSports

Sponsor (must be a staff member): SCOTT CHRISTENSEN / KYLE BESS


Purpose of Activity/Group: TO PROVIDE H.S. STUDENTS WITH THE OPPORTUNITY TO PURSUE

THEIR INTERESTS IN ESPORTS & STEM RELATED ACADEMIC CURRICULA AND WORK RELATED INTERESTS WHILE DEVELOPING A GREATER SENSE OF COMMUNITY AND ENHANCING THEIR SKILLS IN INNOVATION AND TEAM WORK

Types of Activities planned: REGULAR CLUB MEETINGS WILL BE HELD

WEEKLY PRACTICES, TOURNAMENTS (WITHIN GHS AND AGAINST OTHER HS.)

Signatures for Approval

Approved Not Approved  10/22/21
Director of Student Clubs

Approved Not Approved  10-26-21
Superintendent

Approved Not Approved _____
Board of Education Representative

Date

(Attach minutes of meeting)

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Proposed Activity/Group Name: Gray Matters Collective Chapter
Sponsor (must be a staff member): Brooke Emmerson / Aly Ator / Jeff Bell
Purpose of Activity/Group: A safe place for students to learn coping strategies and to share resources.
Types of Activities planned: Weekly student meetings, development of student leaders (more info attached)

Signatures for Approval

Approved Not Approved Brooke Emmerson 10/15/21
Director of Student Activities/Athletic Director

Date
 Approved Not Approved [Signature] 10-22-21
Superintendent

Approved Not Approved _____
Board of Education Representative

Date

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ABOUT US

The Gray Matters began with a mental health campaign at Augustana College in 2018 led by Haley DeGreve & Kevin Donovan. The two set out to make a statement: mental health is important & we need to see change.

As suicide is the second leading cause of death in ages 10-24 in America, our mission is focused on providing resources, education, & community to young people & those in the "gray".

We believe mental health isn't a black & white issue. Many get lost in the "gray area" of not knowing what to do, what to say, & how to help someone struggling. We aim to empower those in this "gray area" to become mental health advocates & save lives.

Most importantly, we do all of this to spread one important message:

**You matter.
Your mental health matters.
The Gray Matters.**

ADVOCACY

RESOURCES

Those involved with The Gray Matters become the bridge between those battling mental health problems to those providing support, professional help, & healing. We are connected to many local & national resources available on our website.

EDUCATION

We consistently provide free presentations & basic trainings for anyone & everyone. Please let us know if you'd like to book a session with us. Free of charge, donations welcome.

COMMUNITY

We are a collective -- we believe community can help others survive & heal. We have Gray Matters chapters at local high schools & colleges.

Our collective is wide-spread, existing in person and virtually. If you would like to share your story, we will provide a space to do so on our blog, social



We aim to help you create a world