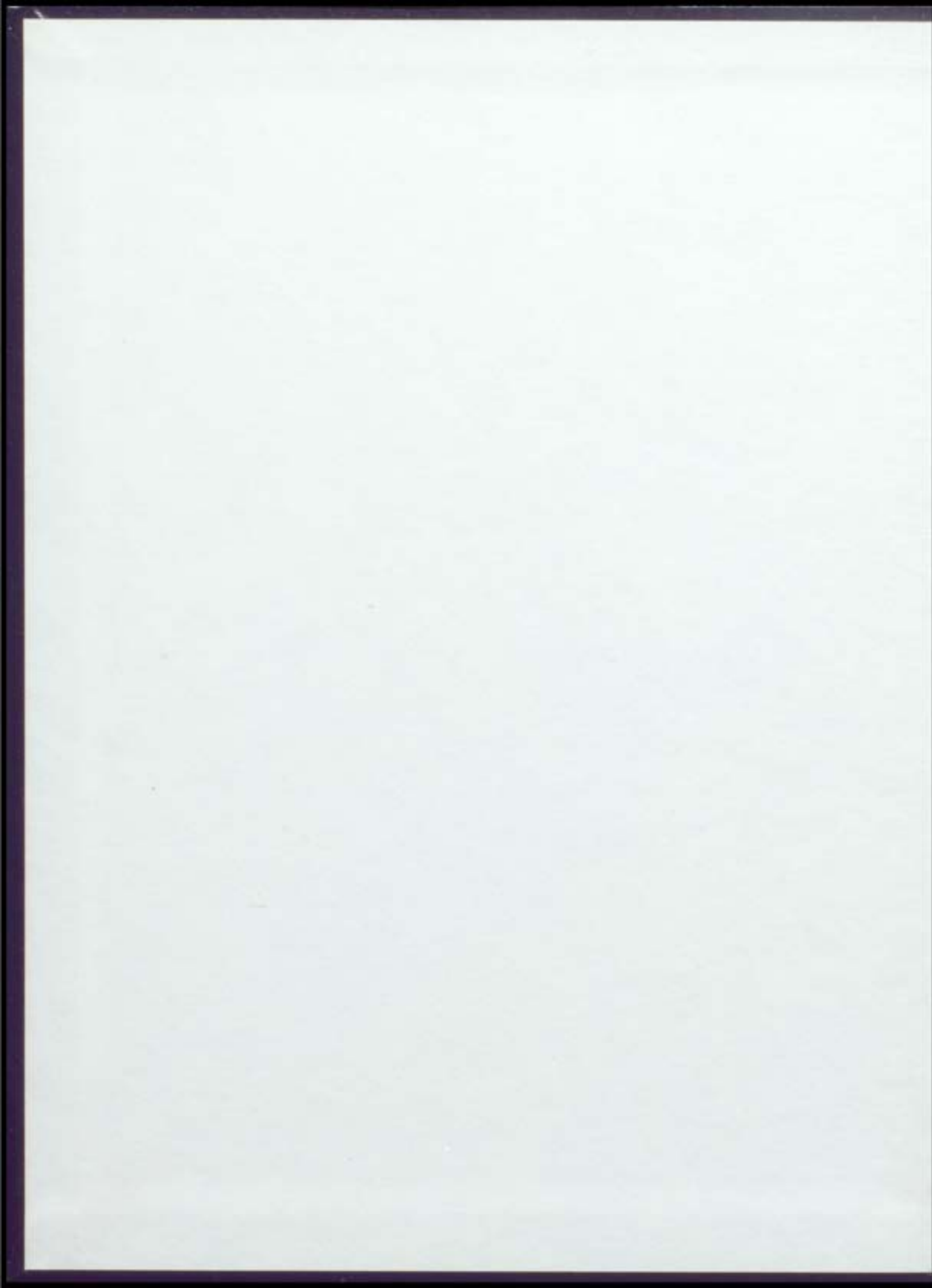
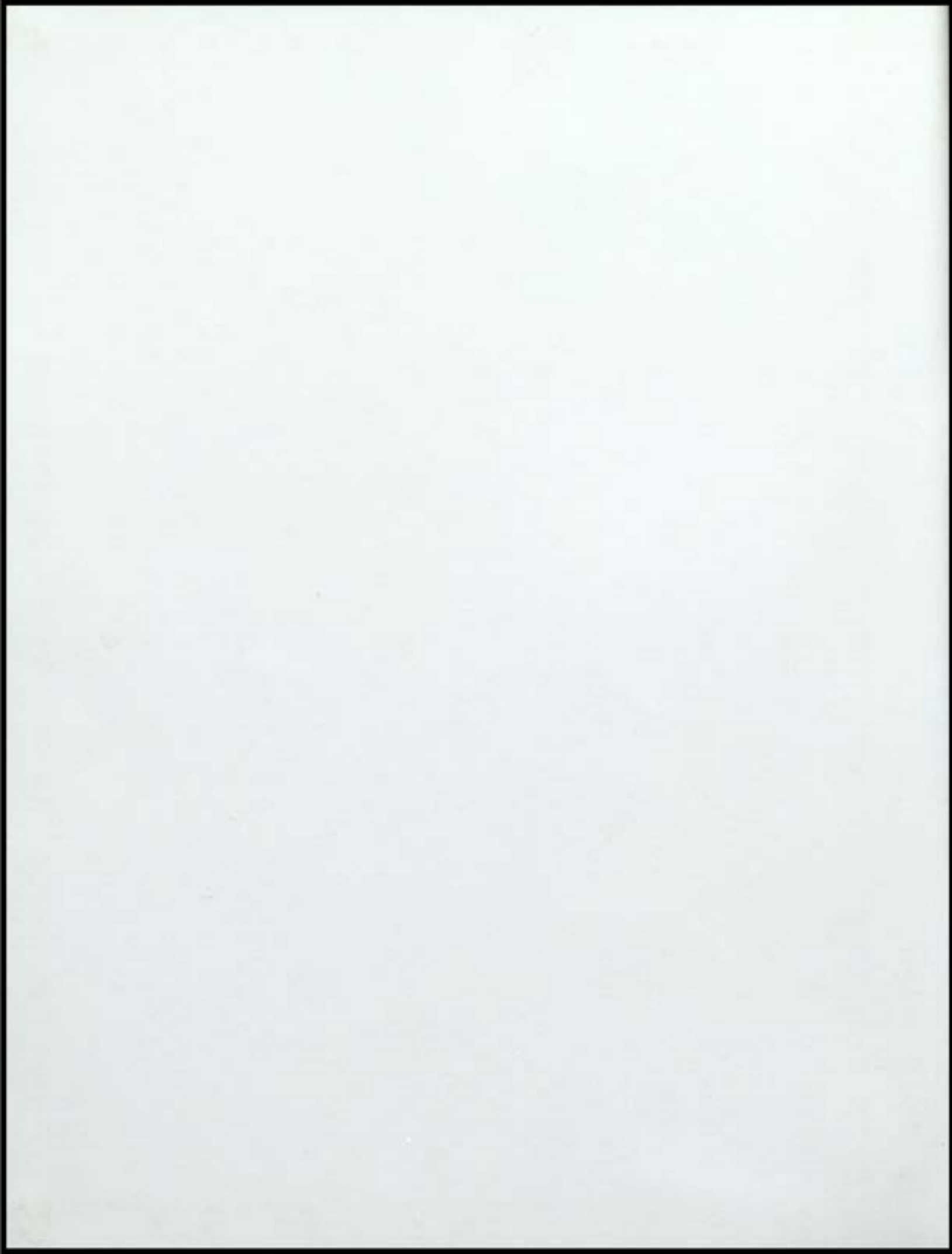


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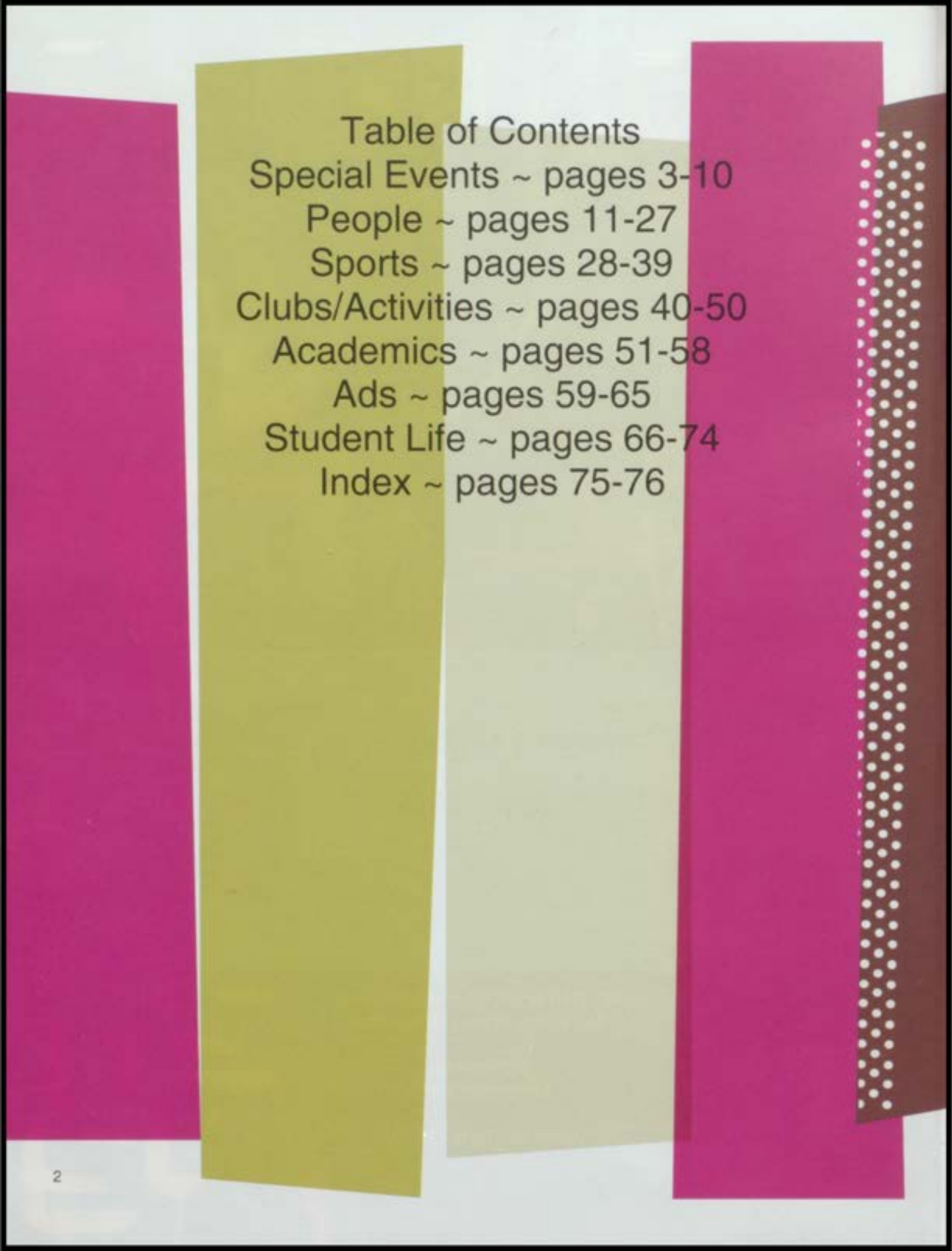


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Jacob & Caleb Green



Brittany and Megan
Tieman



Alexis & Allyssa Gustafson



Jessica & Chris Kocher



Vincent and Vance Zettler



CJ & Jordan Somers



KayLynne and Kandice
Mueller



Anna and Alyssa Hendrix



Brandon and Shaylynn
Hayersperger
Not pictured: Tyrus, Caitlin
and Javan Cobb



Cassie and Shelby
Bettinger



Left: Haley Hicks, Adam Brue, and Elana Wittmer. Right: Zeb Turner, Breanna VanMatre, and Aleon Vaughn
Below: Elise Schreibly showing paw pride.

Spirit Week



Hippers with a twist.



HUGE FACE!



Tyrel Voyles and Kyle Vuk



Karina Linn and Kandice Mueller



Spirit Day



Camo Day

Spirit Week



1. Allyssa Gustafson helps Allison Vaughn put war stripes on
2. Sophomores & Seniors The 2011 Powderpuff Champions
3. Superhero Thursday
Top row: Hannah Warren as Batwoman, Steven Isbell, Tristan Brennan as Batman, Ethan Morton as Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtle. Front Row: Ivy Taylor as Batwoman, Olivia Brady as Hit Girl, Jorydn Miller as Superwoman, Senora Key as Lois Lane, Kari Ard as Superwoman, Marie Lincicum, Allyssa Gustafson as She Hulk
4. Freshmen and Junior Powderpuff team
5. Childhood Legends Day Tuesday
Front row: Lesley Harper as the Easter Bunny, Emily Staerger as Pikachu, Allyssa Gustafson as Mother Nature, Kendra Guffey. Back Row: Felicia Danielson as a fairy, Kari Ard as a Sprite, Elise Schnebly as the Toothfairy, Haley Hicks as the Easter Bunny, Allison Vaughn as the Toothfairy, Jaci Brock as the Toothfairy, Alexis Gustafson as Patrick
6. Team work
Allyssa Gustafson and Kyra Voyles ready to take on the black team at the powderpuff game.
7. College Day Monday
Taleb Trusner and Colin Wikoff- Big Blue fans.
8. Camo Day
Dress up in your camo and hide in plain sight: Shayna Chesnut, Hilary Chapman, Lizzie Brown, Connor Gross, Brittany Schoon, Olivia Brady, Kari Ard and Kyra Voyles



Vince Zettler marching in the parade



Wiley the Wildcat!



Homecoming Parade



Top left: The second place sophomore TOP

Middle left: The fourth place senior TOP. Some of the seniors show their spirit while working.



Above : Josh Watzlawick posing in front of the Freshmen TOP.



Homecoming TOP results
 1st place: Freshmen
 2nd place: Sophomores
 3rd place: Juniors
 4th place: Seniors

To the left is the freshman class. Their TOP is pictured above.



Above: The junior TOP.





Top left to right: Ivy Taylor and Garrett Lowenstein, Taylor Allen and Javan Cobb, Megan Tieman and Dane Price
 Middle left to right: Hannah Warren and Jeremy Sapp, Ashley Wise and Kyle Woll, Hannah Warren and Kyle Woll after being crowned Homecoming Queen and King.
 Bottom: 2011 Homecoming court. Front: Triston Marshall, Ivy Taylor, Megan Tieman, Homecoming Queen Hannah Warren, Ashley Wise, Taylor Allen, Caroline Hill. Back: Garrett Lowenstein, Dane Price, 2010 Homecoming King Jared Jean, Homecoming King Kyle Woll, 2010 Homecoming Queen Sarah O'Brien, Jeremy Sapp, Javan Cobb

prom

Saturday, April 28, 2012
Parisian Masquerade



Mr. Elder and his 6th hour
Government Class.



Lesley Harper, Ashley Wise, Felicia Danielson, and Emily
Stoerger enjoying Prom.



Mr. Rogers and Kyle Woll
dancing to the Macarena.



Vincent Zettler and Colin Wikoff taking a
break from dancing.



Jordyn Miller dancing to the Macarena.





Graduation 2012

May 25th

Front row: Jeremy Sapp, Cody Taylor, Ivy Taylor, Megan Tieman, Andrea Veteto, Hannah Warren, Ashley Wise, Ivy Taylor

Middle row: Katrina Lane, Shaylynn Hauersperger, Kandice Mueller, Kyle Moore, Ariel Fogerson, Lesley Harper, Jenna Salefski

Back row: Dane Price, Alexis Gustafson, Michael Glaze, Garrett Lowenstein, Felicia Danielson, Javan Cobb, Caitlin Cobb, Kyle Woll



Left: Lesley, Harper,
Valedictorian
Right: Hannah Warren,
Salutatorian



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Top: Katrina Lane and Jenna Salefski work at the concession stand
Bottom: Calin Shonkwiler at the Blood Drive

Top: Joshua Watzlawick waiting on his turn to give his speech in English I
Bottom: Emily Stoerger assembles her kite at a Math Club activity night

Top: Breanna Vanmatre during Spirit Week
Bottom: Samantha O'Brien celebrates Day of the Dead



Taylor Allen



Jesse Best



Caitlin Cobb



Javan Cobb



Felicia Danielson



Ariel Fogerson



Michael Glaze



Alexis Gustafson



Lesley Harper



Shaylynn Hauersperger



Teryl Hetherington



Katrina Lane



Garrett Lowenstein



Kyle Moore



Kandice Mueller



Dane Price



Jenna Salefski



Jeremy Sapp



Cody Taylor



Ivy Taylor



Megan Tleman



Andrea Veteto



Tyrel Voyles



Hannah Warren



Colin Wikoff



Kayja Wilmas



Ashley Wise



Kyle Woll

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Top row: Kyle Woll and Jenna Salefski-Most Likely to become a superhero. Kyle Woll and Ariel Fogerson-Most Likely to stick up for you. Garrett Lowenstein and Jenna Salefski-Most Likely to move out of state. Michael Glaze and Caitlin Cobb-Most Likely to throw a chair on Jerry Springer. Jeremy Sapp and Shaylynn Hauersperger-Most Likely to fall asleep in class.

Second row: Dane Price and Hannah Warren-Most Likely to host a talk show. Ashley Wise and Jeremy Sapp-Most Likely to argue. Javan Cobb and Jenna Salefski-Most Likely to make you laugh. Taylor Allen, Cody Taylor, Ivy Taylor and Felicia Danielson-Most Likely to marry first. Katrina Lane and Kyle Woll-Most Likely to save the world. Right: Ashley Wise and Jeremy Sapp-Most Likely to get a minus mark.

Third row: Shaylynn Hauersperger and Colin Wikoff-Most Likely to travel to Hogwarts. Felicia Danielson, Ivy Taylor, Kyle Moore and Dane Price-Most Likely to compliment you. Kyle Woll and Andrea Veteto-Most Likely to open a bakery. Megan Tieman and Garrett Lowenstein-Most Likely to live on a plane. Michael Glaze and Ivy Taylor-Most Likely to laugh at anything.

Fourth row: Javan Cobb and Ivy Taylor-Most Likely to own a business. Javan Cobb and Ariel Fogerson-Most Likely to get the most tattoos. Dane Price-Most Likely to grown a chin strap beard. Lesley Harper and Kyle Moore-Most Likely to write a novel. Taylor Allen and Kyle Woll-Most Likely to be a heartbreaker.

Fifth row: Ashley Wise and Kyle Woll-Most Likely to be sarcastic. Garrett Lowenstein, Kandice Mueller and Caitlin Cobb-Most Likely to skip school. Dane Price-Most Likely to go bald. Megan Tieman, Jenna Salefski, Ashley Wise and Caitlin Cobb-Worst case of Senioritis. Garrett Lowenstein and Jenna Salefski-Most Likely to be the next Bear Grylls.



Taylor,
Young woman, my daughter, my joy and my heart,
you've reached the end only to find a new start. The
world sees the young woman with her charm and
smile. Behind the woman, I will always see the
child. I love you with all my heart.

Love always,
Mom and Chris

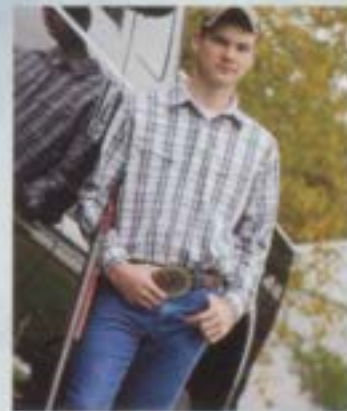


May all your dreams come true. Congratulations
Shaylynn! We love you!
Dad, Mom, Brandon, Zachary, Rachel, Rebecca and
Kya



Kandice,
From Snickers bars
and tabletops to a
young lady with
caring thoughts. We
are proud of you.
Love, Mom, Dad,
Kyle and KayLynne

Garrett,
I pray that
you live the life that you've
always imagined! I'm incredibly
PROUD of who
you are! Love, Mom



Shelby Bettinger
 Jaci Brock
 Chris Carver
 Hannah Chapman
 Dustin DeGroff
 Lindsie Gifford



Tyler Gudenrath
 Kendra Goffey
 Alyssa Hendrix
 Anna Hendrix
 Caseten Henry
 Christopher Kocher



Andrew Maltby
 Scotty Miller
 Tandi Nichols
 Tyce Rittenhouse
 Katelyn Rogers
 Lauren Rumble



C.J. Somers
 Emily Stoerger
 Garrett Swinger
 Taleb Trusner
 Sabrina Tucker-Hinton
 Vincent Zettler



Class
 2013





Left top to bottom:
 Shelby Bettinger listens to
 the activity description
 during FCCLA week.
 Alyssa Hendrix, Anna
 Hendrix and Vincent
 Zettler perform with the
 marching band
 Vincent Zettler at a math
 club activity
 Dustin DeGrofft and
 Shelby Bettinger in p.e.
 Right top to bottom:
 Taleb Trusner working
 outside
 Lauren Rumples is
 introduced before a
 volleyball game
 Tyce Rittenhouse
 prepares for a pass
 Andrew Maltby donates
 blood



Kari Ard
Kym Bentley
Olivia Brady
Tristan Brennan
Tyrus Cobb
Samantha Drobeno



Caleb Green
Jacob Green
Connor Gross
Alyssa Gustafson
Shane Hall
Brandon Hauersperger



Steven Isbell
Brennan Kelm
Marie Lincicum
Jordyn Miller
Ethan Morton
Samantha O'Brien



John Riddle
Sam Riggs
Gage Ross
Brittany Schoon
Zeb Turner
Breanna Vanmatre



Alison Vaughn
Kyra Voyles
Taylor Wegrich



*Class
2014*



Left: Olivia Brady decked out for St. Patrick's Day

Middle left: Sam Riggs, Caleb Green, Ms. Benzek and John Riddle

Middle: Marie Lincicum

Middle right: Connor Gross on Day of the Dead

Below: Taylor Wegrich and Allison Vaughn during an outdoor Spanish class





Above: Kailan Morris learns the routine during Band Camp

Left: Taylor Edwards prepares to serve
Below: Zach Thompson and Vance Zettler show off Ms. Benzek's Pi poster



Above: Each year the freshmen learn budgeting and money management during Junior Achievement. Caressa Dillow and Lizzie Brown wait their turn to pay bills.

Right: Hilary Chapman and Cassie Bettinger show their Wildcat pride before the first football game



Left: Trevor Norris demonstrates some golf basics during his English speech



Angel Bennett
Wyatt Benson
Cassie Bettinger
Lizzie Brown
Adam Brue
Hilary Chapman



Shayna Chesnut
Jonah Cooper
Sydney Danenhower
Alex Davidson
Caressa Dillow
Taylor Edwards



Christian Fagin
Conrad Gillespie
Lindsey Herthel
Haley Hicks
Jessica Kocher
Samantha Landers



Katrina Melton
Thays Menezes
Kailan Morris
KayLynne Mueller
Trevor Norris
Elise Schnebly



Makayla Schoon
Tyler Shewmaker
Calin Shonkwiler
Alexandra Smith
Andrea Smith-Golladay
Brittany Tieman



Joshua Watzlawick
Elaina Wittmer
Vance Zettler

Class of 2015

Faculty



Ms. Diane Benek-Math



Mr. Ryan Bitterham - P.E.



Mr. Andrew Brown-Business/Computers



Ms. Penny Brown-Ressource



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Mrs. Sue Clark- Health



Mrs. Jill Cluffner- Social Work



Mrs. Angela Connor- Vocal Music



Mrs. Debbie Eschelberger- Art



Mr. David Elden- Social Studies



Mrs. Anne Gibson- English



Mrs. Dawnaya Key- Spanish

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Ms. Sheryl McKibben - Librarian



Mrs. Melissa Miles - Science



Mr. Kang Rogers - P.E./Driver Education



Mr. David Salefki - Industrial Technology



Ms. Andrea Schackmann - Science



Ms. Donna Sharp - Guidance



Mrs. Stephanie Witts - English



Mr. Jared Wolf - Math



Mrs. Becky Zucos - Family and Consumer Sciences

Administration



Mr. Dan Brue, Superintendent



Mr. Doug Kopley, Principal



Mrs. Linda Taylor, Dean of
Students and Athletic Director



Mrs. Jani Hamilton, Unit
Secretary and Bookkeeper



Mrs. Linda Craney, High
School Secretary

Board of Education



Front row: Jeanne Strack, Jodi Wright, Valerie Stoerger
Back row: Kyle Rogers, Jeff Funk, Todd Scott, Joe Wittmer

Support Staff



Left to right: Vicki Hayes,
Evelyn Dick,
Cindy Ashbrook, Dennis
Fuqua



Debbie Shonkwiler and
Rich Taylor



David Guffey



Gene Slagle





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SPW

South Piatt Wildcats

Right: Ethan Morton rushes for the ball



Right: Coach Elder gives instructions to Shane Hall



Left: The team takes a quick timeout
Right: #21 C.J. Somers and #26 Austin Dean



Seniors
Front row: Kyle Moore, Corey Garrett, Phil Irace, Teryl Hetherington, Alexis Gustafson
Back row: Kyle Woll, Dane Price, Jeremy Sapp, Marcus Kleiss, Dylan Helfrich





The 2011 South Piatt Wildcats

Wildcat roster

Seniors: **Corey Garrett, Alexis Gustafson, Dylan Heltrich, Teryl Hetherington, Phil Irace, Marcus Kleiss, Kyle Moore, Dane Price, Jeremy Sapp, Cody Shoulders, Kyle Woll**
 Juniors: **Austin Dean, Logan Dukeman, Nathan Johnson, Chris Kocher, Andrew Maltby, Tyce Rittenhouse, Chris Schwaan, C.J. Somers, Andy Webb, Vince Zettler**
 Sophomores: **Jordan Feagin, Kyler Gray, Shane Hall, Steven Isbell, Ethan Morton, Jesse Ruff, Cody Sebens, Zeb Turner, Austin Webb**
 Freshmen: **Toby Ball, Jonathan Bialeschki, Dylan Black, Chris Crabtree, Caressa Dillow, Hunter Dyer, Kyle Feagin, Ross Ryan, Calin Sbonkwiler, Jordan Somers, Zach Thompson**

Bement players listed in bold print



2011 Scores

Aug. 26th Hoopeston 9 South Piatt 6
 Sept. 2nd Fithian 33 South Piatt 14
 Sept. 9th Tri-County 19 South Piatt 6
 Sept. 16th Villa Grove 35 South Piatt 2
 Sept. 23rd South Piatt 40 Arthur-Lovington 12
 Sept. 30th Martinsville 27 South Piatt 22
 Oct. 7th Arcola 50 South Piatt 20
 Oct. 14th Cerro Gordo 26 South Piatt 12
 Oct. 21st South Piatt 44 Broadlands 6

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SPW Cheerleading

Clockwise from top: Wiley the Wildcat, Taylor Allen, Alyssa Hendrix, and Reilly Ferrel, watching the action. All of the cheerleaders doing their halftime dance. Best Friends Lindsey and Elise posing on the sidelines. Lindsey and Katelyn getting their cheer on during the cheer dance. Next is all the cheerleaders finishing up the halftime dance with a stunt. Next is all the cheerleaders finishing up the halftime dance with a stunt.

Front: Hunter Hale
Second row: Wiley the Wildcat, Reilly Ferrel, Anna Hendrix
Third row: Alyssa Hendrix, Katelyn Rogers, Abby Bialeschki, Taylor Allen
Back row: Chelsea Waller, Shalynn Conner, Lindsey Herthel, Elise Schnebly, Jordan Yeakley



This page done by Katelyn Rogers and Elise Schnebly

Junior Varsity Team
 Front row: Kari Artl, Taylor Edwards, Alyssa Gustafson, Haley Hicks, Alexaaha Smith, Kira Vovles
 Back row: Shayna Chestnut, Jordyn Miller, Lauren Rumpie, Elaina Wittmer, Allison Vaughn, Marie Lincicum



VARSITY



Varsity team
 Front row: Anna Hendrix, Hannah Warren, Ivy Taylor, Samantha O'Brien, Alyssa Hendrix
 Back row: Taylor Edwards, Lauren Rumpie, Elaina Wittmer, Sabrina Tucker-Hinton, Taylor Wegrich, Kendra Guffey



Varsity is getting pumped & ready to go!



JV team gets an ace!

*Top: Shayna Chestnut prepares to serve
 Middle: Taylor Wegrich
 Bottom: Seniors Hannah Warren and Ivy Taylor*



Lauren Rumpie is passing the ball and Anna Hendrix waits to spike



Haley Hicks sets and Marie Lincicum prepares to spike the ball for a point

Golf



Front row: Trevor Norris, Conrad Gillespie, Jonah Cooper
Back row: Adam Brue, Brennan Kelm, Connor Gross, Tyrel Voyles

What was the best thing about being on the golf team this year?

Trevor: going to McDonalds!!!/Jonah singing

Conrad: eating after practice

Jonah: playing the game

Adam: eating out after meals

Brennan: getting to play against Rog and losing everytime

Connor: hearing Jonah sing My Girl

Tyrel: the bus rides



Front row: Jordan Somers, Conrad Gillespie, Jonah Cooper, Calin Shonkwiler, Zach Thompson

Back row: Coach Andrew Brown, Coach Kraig Rogers, C.J. Somers, Trevor Norris, Connor Gross, Dane Price, Tyce Rittenhouse, Ethan Morton, Andrew Maltby, Steven Isbell, Shane Hall, Coach Aaron Hinds



Special awards-boys basketball
 MVP: Connor Gross
 Most Improved: Andrew Maltby
 Highest FT %: Connor Gross 82.3%
 Highest FG %: Ethan Morton 42.4 %
 Most rebounds: Tyce Rittenhouse 218
 Most assists: Shane Hall 127
 Leading scorer: Connor Gross 600 pts.
 Most steals: Steven Isbell 56
 Connor Gross-1st team all conference
 Team record set: Connor Gross 94 3-point field goals in a season
 Consolation champions-LOVC Conference Tournament



Pictured above:
 Left: Tyce Rittenhouse passes the ball
 Center: Ethan Morton and Shane Hall on defense
 Right: Connor Gross waits to start the play

Front row: Ashley Wise, Alyssa Hendrix, Elise Harris, Haley Hicks, Anna Kilber, Kaylee Stanley, Anna Hendrix
 Back row: Coach Diaz, Breanna Vanmatre, Marie Lincicum, Paige Delong, Kelsey Jay, Alex Miller, Kailan Morris, Sabrina Tucker-Hinton, Coach Moffett



Bement Girls Basketball



Bulldog Cheerleaders



Left to right: Taylor Wegrich, Taylor Allen, Lindsey Herthel, Anna Hendrix, Alyssa Hendrix, Kailan Morris, Elise Schnebly, Katelyn Rogers, Allison Vaughn





First row: Hunter Hale, Anna Hendrix, Reilly Ferrell, Caressa Dillow, Alyssa Hendrix, Alyssa McArthur, Kendra Guffey
 Second row: Coach Diaz, Kari Ard, Jordan Yeakley, Kaley Stanley, Ivy Taylor, Breanna Vanmatre, Elaine Davis, Brittany Tieman



Above left: Caressa Dillow. Above right: Kailan Morris
 Below left: C.J. Somers and Jordan Feagin. Middle: Kyle Moore. Right: Steven Isbell



Front row: Chris Kocher, Austin Dean, Andrew Maltby, Kyle Moore, Jonah Cooper, Vance Zettler
 Second row: Kaleb Keller, Vince Zettler, Caseten Henry, Jordan Feagin, Stephen Gibson, Kyler Gray, Klayton Fonner



BASEBALL



Front row: Shane Hall, Steven Isbell, Christopher Davis, Ross Ryan, Christopher Crabtree, Tyler Benedict, Jon Bialeshcki, Chris Kleiss, Alex McArthur
Back row: Mr. Salefski, Coach ?, Andrew Jamison, Ethan Morton, Kyle Woll, Harlen Utterback, Connor Gross, Andy Webb, Brandon Crose, Zeb Turner, Harlen Utterback, Coach Mike Hall

Overall record 15-9
Conference record 12-3



From top to bottom:
Steven Isbell approaches the base
Ethan Morton prepares to bat
Zeb is all grins
Zeb Turner waits for the hit



First row: Alex Miller, Sabrina Tucker-Hinton, Alexis Gustafson, Kaci Spry, Katie Wildman
 Second row: Elaina Wittmer, Tori Heinzelmann, Victoria Ahrendt, Katie Kilber, Kyra Voyles, Elyse Harris
 Third row: Coach Campbell, Haley Hicks, Allyssa Gustafson, Linsey Williams, Annalisa Kilber, Kailan Morris, Coach Miller

Wildcat Softball



Football awards
Phil Irace- LOVC 1st team
offense
Ethan Morton- LOVC 1st
team punter
Ethan Morton- Longest
punt record set-57 yards
Corey Garrett- Record
set-3 2-point conversions

Volleyball awards:

Most blocks: Sabrina Tucker-Hinton
Most kills: Sabrina Tucker-Hinton
Most digs: Sabrina Tucker-Hinton
MVP: Sabrina Tucker-Hinton
Most set assists: Samantha O'Brien
Most Aces: Alyssa Hendrix
Best serving %: Alyssa Hendrix
Best serve receive %: Taylor Wegrich
Bulldog Pride Award: Sabrina Tucker-Hinton
Sabrina Tucker-Hinton: 2nd team All-conference
Records set: Sabrina Tucker-Hinton 134 blocks

Boys Basketball Awards

MVP: Connor Gross
Most Improved: Andrew Maltby
Highest Free throw %: Connor Gross 82.3
Highest Field Goal %: Ethan Morton 42.4
Most Rebounds: Tyce Rittenhouse 218
Most Assists: Shane Hall 127
Leading Scorer: Connor Gross 600 points
Most Steals: Steven Isbell 56
Connor Gross: 1st team All-Conference
Team accomplishments:
2nd place-Thanksgiving Tournament
LOVC Consolation Champions
Records: Connor Gross: 94 3-point field goals
for season

Baseball- 3rd place in
LOVC

Girls track

Anna Hendrix- 1st place
in LOVC-High Jump
Team-2nd overall in
conference



Boys Track

Team-4th overall in
conference
Steven Isbell- qualified for
Area Best meet
set new record for 300
meter hurdles

Clubs and Activities:

Student Council

FCCLA

Math Club

Spanish Club

IT Club

Art Club

Lifesavers

Marching Band

Scholastic Bowl

Jazz Band

Pep Band

Spring Play

Student Council

Front row: Steven Isbell

Second row: Brittany Tieman, Kym Bentley, Taylor Wegrich, Elise Schnebly, Lindsey Herthel, Allyssa Gustafson, Ivy Taylor

Back row: Anna Hendrix, Kailan Morris, Alyssa Hendrix, Katelyn Rogers, Sabrina Tucker-Hinton, Elaina Wittmer, Calin Shonkwiler, Shane Hall

Left: Elaina Wittmer during the Student Council blood drive.



Caseten Henry gives blood at the annual blood drive

FCCLA



Officers
V.P. of Membership-Emily Stoerger
Secretary- Kyra Voyles
Vice-President-Tandi Nichols
President- Taylor Allen
Treasurer- Sabrina Tucker-Hinton
V.P. of Publicity- Alison Vaughn
Club Sponsor: Mrs. Zucco



First row: Taylor Allen, Tandi Nichols,
Allison Vaughn, Sabrina Tucker-Hinton,
Emily Stoerger

Second row: Alex Smith, Brittany
Tieman, Samantha O'Brien, Taylor
Wegrich, Ivy Taylor, Alyssa Hendrix,
Hannah Warren

Third row: Mrs. Zucco, Caressa Dillow,
Elaina Wittmer, Lindsey Herthel, Allyssa
Gustafson, Josh Watzlawick, Vance
Zettler

Fourth row: Lesley Harper, Felicia
Danielson, Kym Bentley, Marie
Lincicum, Ariel Fogerson, Kailan
Morris, Anna Hendrix, Kyle Woll



Math Club

Right: Olivia Brady and Sabrina Tucker-Hinton rock out with their kites.



At the first Math Club meeting we ran around the hallways to defy gravity and wind.



Front row: Vincent Zettler, Kyra Voyles, Megan Tieman, Hannah Warren, Samantha O'Brien, Allyssa Gustafson, Anna Hendrix, Katelyn Rogers
Second row: Colin Wikoff, Steven Isbell, Ms. Benzek, Breanna Vanmatre, Alyssa Hendrix, Lesley Harper, Emily Stoerger
Back row: Taleb Trusner, Connor Gross, Jeremy Sapp, Olivia Brady, Sabrina Tucker-Hinton, Allison Vaughn, Taylor Wegrich, Kym Bentley



Ms. Benzek teaches the math club about gravity by bringing out the BIG guns



Spanish Club

Front row: Cassie Bettinger, Josh Watzlawick, Vincent Zettler, Alyssa Hendrix, Sabrina Tucker-Hinton, Katelyn Rogers, Breanna Vanmatre

Middle: Lindsey Herthel, Kailan Morris, Megan Tieman, Hannah Warren, Samantha O'Brien, Tandi Nichols, Kym Bentley

Back: Senora Key, Vance Zettler, Elaina Wittmer, Allison Vaughn, Connor Gross, Ethan Morton, Anna Hendrix, Olivia Brady, Taylor Wegrich





Left to right: Mr. Salefski, Garrett Lowenstein, Jenna Salefski, Dustin DeGrofft, Cody Taylor, Kyle Moore, Jordyn Miller, Shelby Bettinger, Ethan Morton, Steven Isbell, Brennan Kelm, Tyler Goldenrath, Javan Cobb, Zeb Turner, Dane Price, Shane Hall, Kyle Woll, Tyce Rittenhouse, Michael Glaze, John Riddle



I.T.(Industrial Technology Club)

Art Club

President-
Emily Stoerger
Vice-President-
Anna Hendrix
Sec./Treas.-
Allyssa Gustafson



Front row: Vincent Zettler, Emily Stoerger, Katelyn Rogers, Anna Hendrix, Caitlin Cobb, Sydney Danenhower, Allyssa Gustafson, Lizzie Brown
Second row: Michael Glaze, Ms. Eichelberger, Caressa Dillow, Lindsie Gifford, Gage Ross, Colin Wikoff, Karl Ard

Lifesavers

Left to right: Dana Price, Connor Grocc, Ethan Morton, Ms. Sharp, Tristan Brennan, Hannah Warren, Dustin DeGroff, Olivia Brady, Allison Vaughn, Tandi Nichols, Ashley Wise, Jenna Salefski, Kym Bentley, Mr. Elder, Vincent Zettler





Jazz Band above: Front row-Adam Brue, Lindsey Herthel, Jessica Kocher, Elaina Wittmer

Back row-Alyssa Hendrix, Anna Hendrix, Vincent Zettler, Haley Hicks

Pep Band below:

Front row- Lindsey Herthel, Kendra Guffey, Alyssa Hendrix, Elise Schnebly

Middle-Zac Wright, Adam Brue, Jessica Kocher, Hannah Warren, Elaina Smith, Celeste Walsh, Vance Zettler

Back-Tyler Gudenrath, Emily Stoerger, Tristan Brennan, Kari Ard, Lesley Harper, Olivia Brady, Haley Hicks, Vincent Zettler, Megan Tieman, Elaina Wittmer, Ms. Carls, Wes Palmer



Jazz Band/Pep Band

Marching Band



Above: Lauren Rumple waves her flag at band practice. Far left: Emily Stoerger beats on her quads. Middle: Kendra Guffey standing with her flag. Left: Allison Vaughn laughing during practice. Bottom left corner: Flags during pep rally. Below: The whole band practices at band camp.



Band Awards
 Mt. Zion Marching Music Games-6th place in division
 Sage City Invitational: 4th place
 Newton Marching Band Classic: 2nd place
 Color Guard-1st place



The Trial of the Big Bad Wolf Spring Play 2012





Scholastic Bowl

Top left

First row: Joshua Watzlawick and Vance Zettler

Second row: Kari Ard, Breanna Vanmatre and Allyssa Gustafson

Top row: Allison Vaughn and Elaina Wittmer

Top right

Front row: Emily Stoerger and Lesley Harper

Back row: Kyle Woll, Sabrina Tucker-Hinton, Shaylynn Hauersperger,
Michael Glaze, Felicia Danielson, Colin Wikoff, Vincent Zettler



National Honor Society



Front row: Felicia Danielson, Shaylynn Hauersperger, Allyssa Gustafson, Connor Gross, Taylor Wegrich, Kym Bentley
Back row: Hannah Warren, Lesley Harper, Emily Stoerger, Sabrina Tucker-Hinton, Anna Hendrix, Alyssa Hendrix, Dane Price



Emily
Stoerger



Calin
Shonkwiler



Autographs



English Classes



Clockwise from above: Caleb Green job shadows at Dobsons
Josh Watzlawick giving a sporty speech
Alex Smith cooks while Kailan Morris and Shayna Chesnut watch
Colin Wikoff, Andrea Veteto, Felicia Danielson and Ariel Fogerson
Dane Price
Kym Bentley job shadowing in a kindergarten class.



Left: Tyler Shewmaker
Right: Sami Drobena,
Tyler Guttenrath, Kendra
Guffey, Jaci Brock and
Mrs. Miles watch one of
their science experiments



Right: Senora Key sends
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Above: Allyssa Gustafson and Sami Drobeno try on the empathy belly in Mrs. Zucco's Parenting class.



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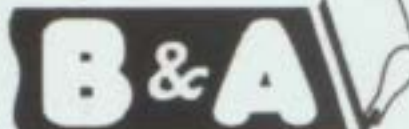


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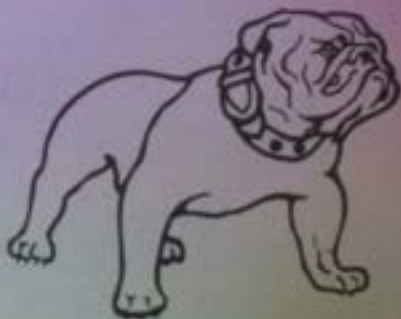
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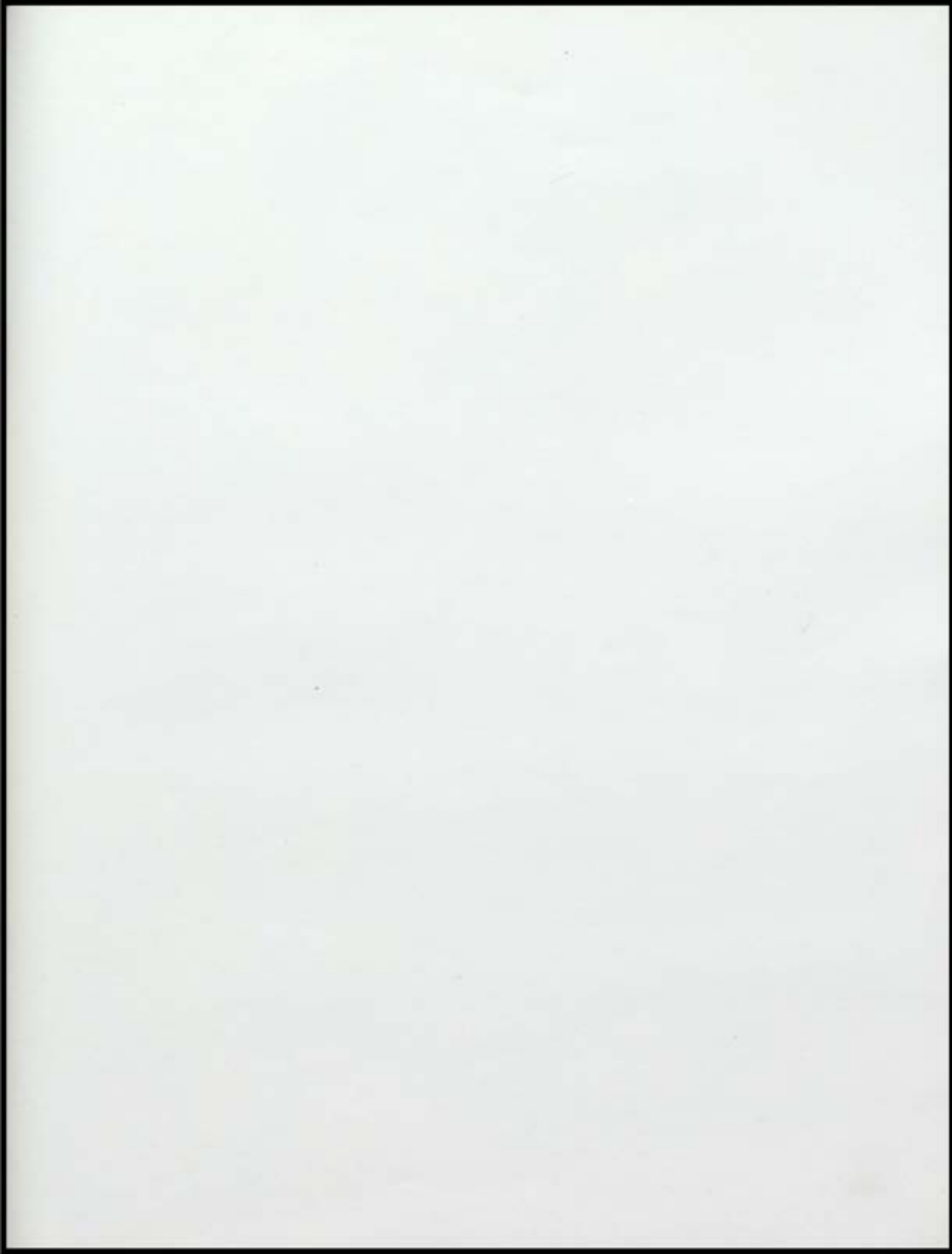
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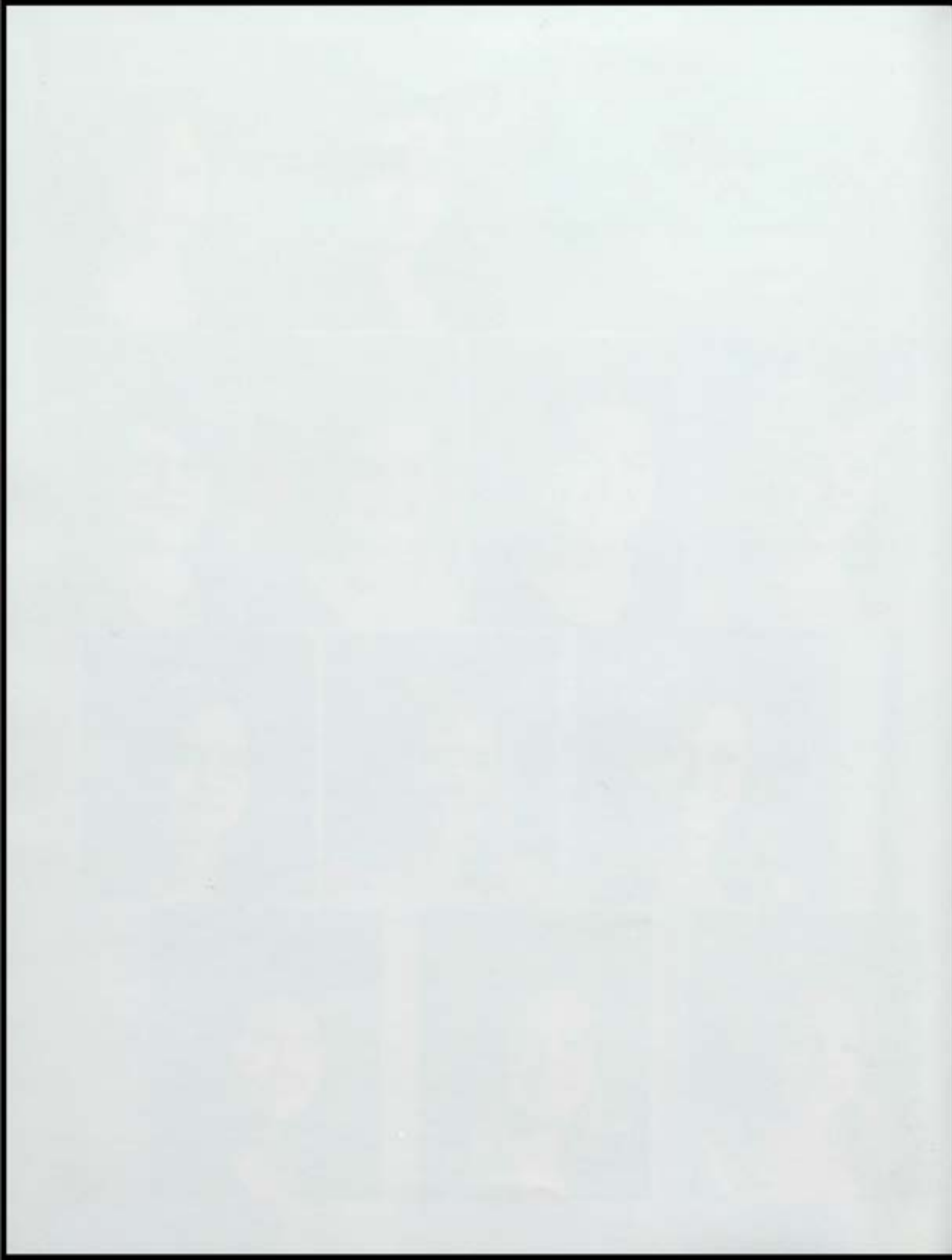


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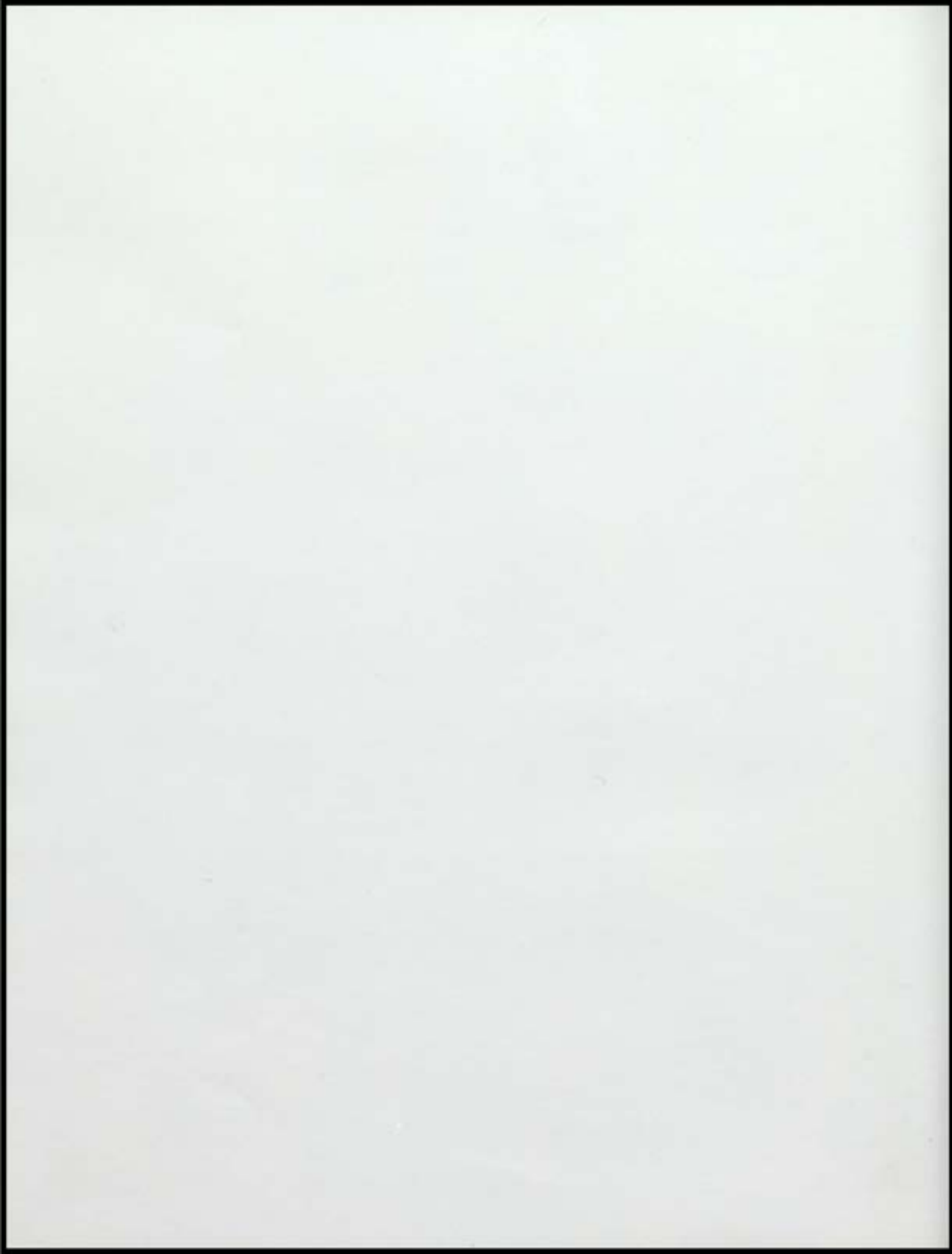
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Occupy Wall Street Occupies Headlines

Outrage over bank bailouts and foreclosures sparks a protest movement that spreads from New York's Zuccotti Park to cities across the nation.



Space Shuttle Program Ends

The nation's budget woes force NASA to cancel a 30-year program that shuttles U.S. astronauts to and from the International Space Station.



You Are One in 7 Billion

In October, the United Nations expresses concern over the planet's food supply now that the world population has reached an all-time high of 7 billion.

News



Statue of Liberty Turns 125

Lady Liberty celebrates her 125th anniversary. To mark the occasion, 125 immigrants from 46 countries are sworn in as U.S. citizens.

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Halloween Blizzard Brings Tricky Snowfall

A surprise Nor'easter dumps record snowfalls of more than two feet in the Northeast, leaving millions stranded without power on Halloween.

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Doctor Convicted in Michael Jackson's Death

Conrad Murray, Michael Jackson's personal physician, is convicted of involuntary manslaughter for his role in the pop star's anesthetic overdose.

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New Foreclosure Relief Is Coming

The government passed a near unanimous 26 billion dollar mortgage settlement, supported by 49 of the 50 states. The settlement is geared towards those affected by the housing crash that now owe more on their houses than they're actually worth.



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Arab Spring Extends Through Fall

Middle East regimes topple with the death of Libya's Muammar Gaddafi and the ouster of Egypt's Hosni Mubarak and Tunisian dictator Zine El Abidine Ben Ali.



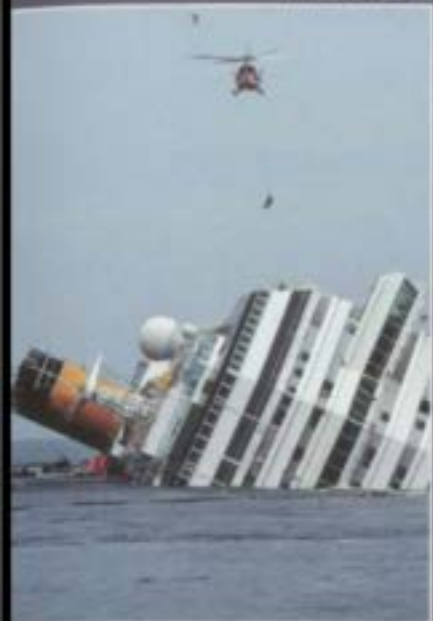
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Hurricane Irene Engulfs New England

Hurricane Irene unleashes torrential rains on New England, resulting in washed-out roads and swollen rivers. One woman is swept away and drowned.



Cruise Ship Capsizes

The *Costa Concordia* runs aground off the Italian coast near the Isola del Giglio, resulting in numerous casualties.



Death of Bin Laden Catches Nation's Attention

The United States watched as news came in about the death of Osama Bin Laden, following the Seal Team 6 raid on the terrorist leader's Pakistan compound.



U.S. Troops Leave Iraq

The withdrawal of U.S. troops from Iraq ends in December, concluding eight years of war and occupation.



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Greek Economy Endangers European Stability

European nations offer bailout loans and urge austerity measures to keep the Greek debt crisis from damaging the Euro-Zone economy.



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Amanda Knox Acquitted

Italian courts overturn the murder conviction of American college student Amanda Knox. She returns home to Seattle after serving four years in prison.



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Legislators Take Bullying Seriously

To address increasing concern over harassment in schools, Michigan becomes the 47th U.S. state to pass laws that are written to combat bullying.



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Obama Introduces Jobs Act

To boost the sluggish economy, President Obama presents Congress with the American Jobs Act, a bill designed to put citizens back to work.



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Navy Rescues Iranian Crew from Pirates

In the North Arabian Sea, the USS *Kidd*, a U.S. Navy warship, rescues the crew of an Iranian fishing boat from Somali pirates.



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Republican Hopefuls Debate

A series of nationally televised debates narrows the field as candidates vie for the 2012 Republican presidential nomination.

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Watson Gets a Government Job

After trouncing human Jeopardy! champions, Watson, the IBM supercomputer, analyzes pharmaceutical patent data for the National Institutes of Health.

Post Office Posts Losses

After sustaining a record \$14.4 billion loss for its 2012 fiscal year, the U.S. Post Office asks consultants to advise them about restructuring.

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Consumers Trash Junk Mail

Households across the nation are taking steps to reduce the paper waste of unwanted junk mail from catalog companies and advertisers.



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Coupon Clipping Continues

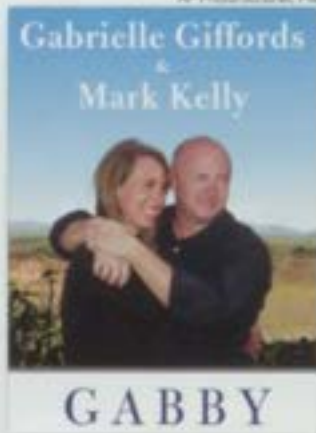
Coupons are a lifestyle trend as consumers emulate super-thrifty shoppers featured on TV shows like *Extreme Couponing* on TLC.



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School Buildings Go Green

States are adopting green building practices so that school buildings can save energy and use fewer resources.



Gabby Giffords Pens Memoir

One year after she was shot by a would-be assassin, Representative Gabrielle Giffords and her husband publish a memoir.

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Tuscaloosa Survives Tornado

When a tornado hits the town of Tuscaloosa, these University of Alabama students seek shelter in a bathtub under a mattress.

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"The Protester" Is Person of the Year

As demonstrations in Tunisia, Egypt, Libya, Syria, and New York make headlines, Time magazine names "The Protester" as 2011's Person of the Year.



Steve Jobs Dies

Apple co-founder Steve Jobs, a pioneer in the personal computing and consumer electronics fields, dies at age 56 of pancreatic cancer.

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Women Leaders Share Nobel Peace Prize

Liberian peace activist Leymah Gbowee, Liberian President Ellen Johnson-Sirleaf, and Tawakkol Karman of Yemen all receive the Nobel Peace Prize.

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New LED Lightbulbs Shine for Decades

Pricy, Energy Star-rated LED bulbs debut in stores and outshine compact fluorescent bulbs, lasting five times longer.

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New Standards Regulate Fracking Practices

Regulators announce national anti-pollution standards to oversee the natural gas industry's practice of hydraulic fracturing, or fracking.

YouTube Request Snags Timberlake

Corporal Kelsey de Santis successfully asks Justin Timberlake to be her date for the Marine Corps Ball by posting a video on YouTube.



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Joplin Mall Is Makeshift School

After Missouri's Joplin High School is destroyed by a tornado, students attend class at nearby Northpark Mall.



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London Builds an Eco-savvy Olympic Park

Green building practices transform former industrial land into London's Olympic Park for the 2012 Summer Games.



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Airlines Fly Toward Greener Fuels

Seeking to decrease greenhouse gas emissions and shrink their carbon footprint, passenger jets are starting to switch to new bio-fuels.

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Boston Bruins Bear Down

Following their first Stanley Cup win in 39 years, the Boston Bruins keep the momentum going strong with a solid 2011-2012 season.



Skaters Gather in Brazil

Lincoln Ueda, Tony Hawk and other world-class skateboarders headline a "Jump" festival at Ibirapuera gym in Sao Paulo, Brazil.



Manny Pacquiao Holds His Title

In Las Vegas, WBO Welterweight champ Manny Pacquiao successfully defends his title against Juan Manuel Marquez.

Sports



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Teen Is Youngest LPGA Tour Winner

Lexi Thompson, age 16, wins her first LPGA tournament, the Navistar LPGA Classic, making her the youngest winner in the history of the LPGA Tour.



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St. Louis Cardinals Win World Series

With a win over the Texas Rangers in seven games, the St. Louis Cardinals take home their 11th World Series victory.



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Basketball Players End Strike

The 2011 NBA lockout ends as basketball team owners and players strike a deal. The start of the season is delayed until Christmas.



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Verlander Receives Cy Young Award

Justin Verlander of the Detroit Tigers is American League MVP and winner of the 2011 Cy Young Award.



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Talking Tebow

Sports announcers and fans debate over Denver Broncos quarterback Tim Tebow, an athlete who wears his faith on the sleeve of his football jersey.



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Minnesota Lynx Net WNBA Championship

The Minnesota Lynx defeat the Atlanta Dream in three games to claim their first-ever WNBA championship.

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First Lady Gets a Kick Out of Fitness

Members of the U.S. Women's National Soccer Team join Michelle Obama for a Let's Move soccer clinic on the south lawn of the White House.

Tony Stewart Races to NASCAR Victory

In the season's final race of the NASCAR Sprint Cup Series at Homestead-Miami Speedway, Stewart edges out Carl Edwards in a tiebreaker.

Stosur Wins U.S. Open

Australian tennis player Samantha Stosur defeats Serena Williams to win the women's singles championship at the U.S. Open.

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Baylor Gets Its First Heisman Winner

Robert Griffin III, starting quarterback for the Baylor University Bears, is named the winner of the Heisman Trophy award.



JoePa Loses His Battle with Lung Cancer

Joe Paterno, the beloved college football coach who led the Penn State Nittany Lions to a record-breaking 409 victories, dies at age 85.

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Sports Illustrated Honors Coaches

The Sports Illustrated Sportsman and Sportswoman of the Year awards go to college basketball coaches Pat Summitt and Mike Krzyzewski.



New York Wins Super Bowl Trophy

Eli Manning leads the New York Giants to their fourth Super Bowl triumph, narrowly defeating the New England Patriots 21 to 17.



Dallas Mavericks Beat the Heat

The Dallas Mavericks ice the Miami Heat dream team and LeBron James by winning the 2011 NBA World Championship in Game 6.



Women Gymnasts Garner Gold

The U.S. women's team brings home gold medals from the Artistic Gymnastics World Championships in Tokyo.



Kelly Slater Rules the Waves

By winning top honors at the Billabong Pro Tahiti competition, surfer Kelly Slater captures his 47th elite World Tour victory.

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Usher on the Upswing

Usher wins the AMA Favorite Male Artist award, performs with Justin Bieber for NBC's *Christmas in Rockefeller Center* and reunites with Ludacris.



Katy Perry Stays on Top

Katy Perry is the year's most-played artist on the radio, with five Number One singles. She sells two million albums and 24 million digital downloads.



The Rising Star, Bruno Mars

Singer-songwriter Bruno Mars receives six Grammy nominations, an AMA Award for best Pop/Rock Male Artist, and sings with the Muppets on *Sesame Street*.

Music



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Kanye's Lucky Seven

Hip-hop superstar and producer Kanye West receives a total of seven 2012 Grammy nominations, more than any other artist for the season.



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Lady A. Owns the Night

Nashville's Lady Antebellum hits the country charts with "Just a Kiss," from their third studio album, *Own the Night*.



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Adele Turns 21

Despite vocal cord trouble that forces her to suspend touring, Adele is Billboard's Number One artist of 2011 and her album, *21*, is the year's top seller.



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Hot Chelle Rae Is Getting Hotter

Hot Chelle Rae signs with RCA, wins a Best New Artist award from the American Music Association and releases the band's second album, *Whatever*.



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Whitney Houston Dies at Age 48

The music industry and fans alike were stunned about the death of music icon, Whitney Houston. Her body was found unresponsive on Saturday, February 11th in her Los Angeles hotel room.

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Jennifer Lopez Goes Solo

After the tabloids cover her split from husband Marc Anthony, Jennifer Lopez wins a Favorite Latin Artist Award from the American Music Awards.



Coldplay Plays It Cool

Coldplay releases its fifth album, *Mylo Xyloto*, and streams a concert in Spain as a live webcast on YouTube.



Gaga Visits Obama

Lady Gaga drops in on President Obama to lend her support to his anti-bullying campaign, according to a White House senior advisor's blog.

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Maroon 5 Moves Like Winners

Maroon 5 wins an AMA Pop/Rock Favorite Band award. The cast of *Glee* covers the band's hit single, "Moves Like Jagger."



Taylor Made Good

Singer-songwriter Taylor Swift releases her *Speak Now World Tour: Live* album and is named CMA Entertainer of the Year.



Jason Derulo Recovers from Fracture

Singer-songwriter Jason Derulo lands in the hospital and cancels a planned UK tour after fracturing his neck while rehearsing acrobatic stage moves.

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The Merry Band Perry

Siblings Kimberly, Neil, and Reid Perry of The Band Perry celebrate a Platinum album, three CMA Awards and a Grammy nomination.

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Casting Crowns Hit the Town

The acclaimed contemporary Christian rock group, Casting Crowns, launches a tour to promote its latest album, *Come to the Well*.



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Natalie Grant Gets Grammy Nod

Singer Natalie Grant receives a Grammy nomination for Best Gospel/Contemporary Christian Music Performance, for "Alive (Mary Magdalene)."



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Foster the People Pumps Up

More than a year after the catchy single's release, "Pumped Up Kicks," by Foster the People, finally reaches the top of the singles chart.



Polaroid Pictures to Go

The Pogo instant digital camera from Polaroid prints its own snapshots to share in less than a minute.



Call of Duty Earns \$400 Million

The debut of *Call of Duty: Modern Warfare 3* is the most successful game launch in history, according to Activision Blizzard, Inc.



No Glasses Required for Nintendo "3DS"

The newest Nintendo 3DS device features a no-glasses 3D screen and allows players to record 3D video footage.

Entertainment



Super Mario 3D Land Conquers a New Dimension

Developed for the Nintendo 3DS, *Super Mario 3D Land* receives rave reviews for its additive 3D experience.



Angry Birds Goes Mobile

The humorous and addictive computer game, *Angry Birds*, is one of the most successful mobile apps in the world.



Readers Welcome The Son of Neptune

Troubled teenage demigod Percy Jackson returns for more adventure in the second book of the *Heroes of Olympus* series.



Madden NFL 12 Scores Big

EA Sports adds non-NFL players like female quarterback Hope Bromley to the free agents in *Madden NFL 12*, the newest edition of the popular video game.



Mindflex Duel Is a Brainy Game

Mindflex Duel players wear special, brain wave-sensing headsets to steer foam balls through the air and around obstacles.



Just Dance 3 Steps Out

Ubisoft releases *Just Dance 3*, featuring singles by Katy Perry, Cee Lo Green, Britney Spears, Scissor Sisters, and The Black Eyed Peas.



More Bang for the Buck

The *Big Bang Theory*, a popular sitcom about geeky research scientists and the women in their lives, is in its fifth season.



Missing Michael at the Office

Critics and fans tune into the eighth season of *The Office* to see how the ensemble cast fares after the departure of star Steve Carell.



Bewitching Teens Cast a Spell

When Cassie Blake moves to a small town in Washington State, the teen is invited to join a coven of witches in *The Secret Circle*.

Victors in Storage Wars

In southern California, abandoned storage lockers are sold at auction to competing buyers who hope to find hidden treasure in *Storage Wars* on A&E.



X Marks The Spot

Simon Cowell is set to kick off season two of the U.S. version of the *X-Factor*. This year's competition will feature new judges to replace Paula Abdul and Nicole Sherzinger, as well as a new host.



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Television

NBC Finds Its Voice

Christina Aguilera, Cee Lo Green, Adam Levine and Blake Shelton compete to coach unknown singers to victory in the reality talent show, *The Voice*.



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Big Stars on Small Screen

Mike & Molly, a sitcom about an obese couple who start dating after they meet at an Overeaters Anonymous meeting, is in its second season.



Bobby Bark/WireImage

CBS Captures Viewers Interest

A mysterious billionaire scientist hires a former CIA officer to help him prevent crimes before they occur. The crime drama, *Person of Interest*, is a hit for CBS.

Vermin, Beware

An eccentric Louisiana exterminator works the front lines of his family business in the reality show *Billy the Exterminator*.



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Playing the Pawn

The History Channel has a hit with *Pawn Stars*, featuring the Harrison family and selected treasures from their Las Vegas pawn shop.

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Lionsgate Releases *The Hunger Games*

Jennifer Lawrence and Woody Harrisson star in *The Hunger Games*, a film adaptation of the popular science fiction novel.

A Winning Season

Brad Pitt and Jonah Hill star in *Moneyball*, based on the true story of the Oakland Athletics' record-breaking 2002 season.

A Dark and Stormy Knight

Batman (Christian Bale) returns to Gotham to uncover the truth about Selina Kyle (Anne Hathaway) in *The Dark Knight Rises*.

Movies



The Boys Are Back

Robert Downey, Jr. and Jude Law return as Sherlock Holmes and Dr. Watson in Guy Ritchie's *Sherlock Holmes: A Game of Shadows*.

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Harry Potter Series Finale on Home Video

After inspiring moviegoers to camp out for the first midnight showings, *Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows: Part 2* comes to home video.

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Agent J Returns

Josh Brodin joins Will Smith, Tommy Lee Jones and some seriously sinister aliens in the long-awaited science fiction comedy sequel, *Men in Black 3*.

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War Horse Sells Tickets and Tissues

When a boy's beloved thoroughbred is sold to an Army captain on the eve of World War I, a deeply moving drama is set in motion in *War Horse*.



The Revenge of the 99 Percent

When the boss squanders their retirement savings, the little people get even. Ben Stiller and Eddie Murphy star in the crime comedy, *Tower Heist*.



Chronicle Flies into Theaters

Three students discover they have superpowers far beyond their understanding. As their powers grow, so does their dark side to use them to their advantage. Their lives take unexpected turns as they try to deal with the unexplainable changes.

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Animal House

Matt Damon stars as a well-meaning widower who brings his young children to live in a rundown zoo in *We Bought a Zoo*.



Make Some Noise

Queen Latifah and Dolly Parton star in *Joyful Noise*, about conflicts within a Georgia church choir as the group prepares for a national competition.



Breaking Dawn Breaks Records

The Twilight Saga: Breaking Dawn - Part 1, the fourth installment in the series, earns \$500 million in its first 12 days in theaters.

A Boy and His Dog

Steven Spielberg and Peter Jackson collaborate on the dazzling 3-D, performance-capture film, *The Adventures of Tintin: The Secret of the Unicorn*.



Live Action Adventure Is Out of This World

Disney delights sci-fi fans with *John Carter*, which chronicles the adventures of a Confederate captain who is drawn into conflict on another planet.



Superheroes Save the World

A cast of superstars portray Marvel Comics superheroes recruited to battle an evil villain and his army in the theatrical release, *The Avengers*.



Heartstrings in Hawaii

George Clooney plays Matt King, who loses his wife but keeps his land and draws closer to his two young daughters in *The Descendants*.

Super 8 Is Super Spooky

After teens witness a train accident in a small Ohio town, strange occurrences lead to extraterrestrial suspense in *Super 8*.



The Help Is a Hit

In the early 1960s, an idealistic, Caucasian writer wants to write about the struggles of the African-American maids who serve her peers in *The Help*.





Hoodies Are Classic Casuals

Comfortable, cozy and laid-back hoodie sweatshirts convey an easy going attitude toward style.



Equestrian Style Steps Out

The classic, English-style riding boot, worn with skirts or tucked-in skinny jeans, is one of the strongest footwear trends for fall and winter.

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Pandora Opens Beaded Bracelet Craze

Pandora charm bracelets from Denmark bring design-your-own style and sparking self-expression to the jewelry store.

Trends



From Locker Room to Classroom

As temperatures drop, comfortable, cozy, high-performance sweat pants make the leap from gym class to everywhere-wear.



Energy Drinks as Teen Fuel Both Popular and Controversial

The caffeine and sugar in popular but controversial energy drinks fuel teens to help stay awake for late-night study sessions and socializing.



Cardigans Go Retro

A modern adaptation of the mid-century classic cardigan adds an extra layer of color, warmth, and style.



Aviator Shades Are Retro Chic

A new generation embraces the iconic shades of the 1970s. Metal-rimmed, aviator-style sunglasses make a stylish comeback.



Shaggy Chic

Tall, fringed suede boots add a touch of irreverent, hippie chic to short skirts, leggings, or tucked-in jeans.

Layers Make the Look

Layering is one of the strongest trends for fall and winter. Mixing textures and lengths, like a cropped jacket over a long top, creates looks that are both cozy and cool.



Mismatched Socks Are No Accident

Bending the rules is always in style. Students express their creativity by mixing brightly colored, patterned, mismatched socks.



The Time Is Right for the Neon Watch

One of the must-have accessories for both guys and girls is a big, chunky watch in bright, neon hues.



Stepping Out in Ballet Flats

Cute, comfortable, versatile ballet flats go with just about everything from school outfits to party attire.



Yogurt Goes Greek

Greek-style yogurt, which is creamier and less sour than ordinary yogurt, adds more delicious options to the dairy case.

Nail Polish Crackles

Ordinary manicures get contrast, color and texture with special, crackle-effect topcoat formulas.

Boy Style

Whether they're boot cut, skinny or loose fit, jeans are still the focus of today's style. Just throw on your favorite tee or hoodie and you're good to go!



Music Goes to Your Head

Dr. Dre introduces high-performance, over-ear headphones that cancel outside noise and enhance the listening experience.



Faux Is a Go

The posh look and plush feel of faux fur inspires designers to go wild. Fabulous faux jackets, vests, collars and accessories are hot — and warm.

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Smartphone Users Love Wordplay

The number-one mobile word game is Zynga's addictive "Words with Friends," a cross-platform challenge for friends and strangers.

Moviegoers Stay Home With Netflix

Netflix, a popular online movie rental service, delivers new flicks to home screens via instant streaming and discs in the mail.

Oprah Moves On

Oprah Winfrey airs the final episode of her daytime television talk show after 25 seasons. The hour attracts 16.4 million viewers.

Lifestyle



Nike Makes It Personal

Online custom build-it functionality allows consumers to design their own Nike ID footwear, by specifying colors and performance features.

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Photo: Disney

Walt Disney World Celebrates 40th Anniversary

The Walt Disney World Resort turns 40. The celebration at Magic Kingdom Park includes fireworks and a mass sing-along of "When You Wish Upon a Star."



Facebook Makes It Easier to Go Back in Time.

Facebook introduced its newest development, the Timeline this year. The recent change allows users to easily view everything from past photos, wall posts and status updates from any year they were subscribed to Facebook.

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Apple iPhone 4S Launches

Apple unveils the iPhone 4S, which features an 8-megapixel camera and the same dual-core chip as the iPad.

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Kardashian Sisters Build Reality Show Empire

Between Kim's 72-day marriage, Kourtney's second pregnancy, and various scandals, the media can't resist covering the Kardashians' every move.



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Tablet Computing Trends Upward

The tablet computing craze is going strong. Consumers can't resist the Apple iPad 2, as well as competitors like the Kindle Fire and the Transformer Prime.



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