

# Raider News



Edward C. Reed High School Community Newsletter ~ January / February 2015

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## Letter from the Principal

Dear Parents and Guardians:

Happy New Year! This year has gone by so quickly; it is hard to believe that it is 2015. With our new calendar schedule, we will be starting the second semester on January 12. My hope is that our students and families found the **calendar** changes with the semester ending before the holiday break beneficial.

Two of the goals of the Washoe County School District and its high schools are to increase the **graduation rate** and prepare our graduates for the challenges of life after high school. Increasing the graduation rate will take the combined efforts of administrators, counselors, teachers, students, and parents.

I am pleased to announce that Reed High School received \$94,320 in **Intervention Funds** to assist with credit recover efforts so that all seniors have the opportunity to graduate. What this will take is a concerted effort on the part of students and parents to take advantage of these programs.

1. Since we have gone to a seven period day, one of the advantages is to be able to offer credit recovery classes during the school day. What was discovered is that many students need a mentor to monitor their progress and administer their tests. Our guidance department has been talking with seniors primarily, but also underclass students who are credit deficient, to enroll in **credit recovery** classes. If you have any questions on your student's status, please call your student's counselor.
2. An **after-school tutoring** program staffed by Highly Qualified teachers is available in the library Mondays, Tuesdays, and Thursdays from 2:45-4:15 p.m. for any students who may need additional help with assignments or homework. Parents may receive a note from their student's teachers that due to his/her homework not being completed, the students may be assigned to after-school tutoring.

3. A **Graduation Attendance Monitor** has been hired to keep in contact with parents regarding their student's credit status and attendance issues.
4. With the **High School Proficiency Examinations** scheduled for the first week in March, money had been designated for HSPE Review. In February, **Boot Camps** will be conducted for HSPE review for regular education and special education students.
5. **A+ Summer School & HSPE Remediation** for the July test will be offered (AT NO CHARGE) to seniors who need to recover credits for summer graduation.

The plan is in place, the teachers are dedicated and committed, and we are ready to assist all seniors and juniors who want to take advantage of this program that will help them participate in graduation activities.

**Reed High School was informed that we will graduate on Monday, June 15, 2:00 p.m. at Lawlor Events Center. Our graduates are scheduled for practice at 12:30 p.m. that afternoon immediately before graduation.**

One major change that took place last year is that **no Certificates of Attendance may be issued at graduation**. What this means is that students who cross the stage at graduation must do so with 22 ½ credits and having passed all portions of the High School Proficiency Examinations including Math, Science, Reading and Writing. Special Education students with an IEP and receiving an Adjusted Diploma may participate in the graduation ceremony. The State Superintendent of Instruction indicated that he will grant no exceptions. In the past, students who participated in the graduation ceremony either received a standard diploma having obtained 22 ½ credits and passed all portions of the HSPE or a Certificate of Attendance which indicated that a student received 22 ½ credits but did not pass all or some parts of the HSPE. If your son or daughter is in this situation, please know there are two more

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attempts to pass the HSPE in March and April as well as classes that can be taken during the school day such as Terry DeBarger's Writing Proficiency class, Kellie Kareck's Math Proficiency class, David Hooker's Science Proficiency class, Peggy Stover's Reading Proficiency class, as well as A+ classes offered every period which offer remediation in HSPE subjects.

Please contact your student's counselor for information. **Counselors** are: K.C. Miller - A-FI (ext. 33733), Corrie Hyatt - FL-LE (ext.33734), Stephanie Reddig - LI-RA (ext. 33737), and Lynette Gardner - RE-Z (ext. 33731, Kyle Cassinelli - Enterprise Project (ext. 33735), and Melonia Torres - 9<sup>th</sup> grade (ext. 33732).

I encourage your sons and daughters to take the **ACT** and **SAT** for college. According to ACTIVITY, a publication of the College Board, "The ACT score results once again show a strong relationship between high school course taking and college and career readiness. Students who took the recommended minimum core curriculum in high school, four years of English and three years each of mathematics, science, and social studies, were much more likely than those who took less than the core requirements to meet or surpass the ACT College Readiness Benchmarks in each subject area. Students who took additional courses beyond the core curriculum were even more likely to achieve the benchmark scores." The article continues, "We can't stress enough how important high school course selection is in the college and career readiness process. It's very clear that students who take the right courses are much more likely to be ready for success after high school than those who don't." We offer through **A+** classes ACT review as well **Accuplacer** review for those students wishing to attend TMCC.

In February, current 9<sup>th</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup>, and 11<sup>th</sup> grade students will have access to the

**course offering guide** for the **2015-2016** school year. The course offering guide will be online. Please take the time to review this curriculum guide with your student to determine course selections for the next school year. Please consider both **Advancement Placement** and **Honors** classes as part of their schedule.

Reed High School's **Parent Engagement Plan** includes the following:

**Goal 1:** Reed High School will reach 80% of the ninth grade families whose children failed three or more classes. Information regarding tutoring, graduation requirements and Infinite Campus will be presented.

#### Action Plan:

Parents will be contacted by ninth grade administrator and /or ninth grade counselor to provide information about possible interventions. Teachers will be asked to contact parents if homework is missing and the students have low test/quiz scores. If family cannot be contacted by telephone, a Home Visit will be scheduled with an administrator and counselor. Academic Warnings and Progress Reports will be reviewed each quarter. Teachers will assign after school tutoring if grades do not increase. The PIF (Parent Involvement Facilitator) with support from Attendance VP and ninth grade counselor will contact targeted families regarding absences. Quarterly meetings will be held regarding tutoring opportunities, graduation requirements and Infinite Campus access.

**Goal 2:** Fifty percent of Reed High School's students with an IEP will graduate with a standard diploma.

#### Action Plan:

Student data profile sheets will be shared with parents/guardians. Reed High School will hold quarterly data

meeting for parents.

Parents/guardians will have an opportunity to discuss the intervention plan with their student's case manager to help their child successfully graduate. Winter and Spring Intersession will be designed to have at least 80% of the IEP students who did not pass the fall HSPEs and/ or remain credit deficient. Special Education staff will support Boot Camps for the HSPE tests.

I want to remind parents to access **Infinite Campus** to determine how your student is performing weekly. It is better to be proactive than be surprised at your child's grades at the semester.

#### Dates to remember:

- High School Proficiency for any juniors and seniors who have not yet passed: Math-March 2, Reading-March 3 Writing -March 4, and Science -March 5. There will be a three hour delayed start on March 2, 3, & 5.
- Spring Break-March 30-April 10.
- HSPE for seniors-April 27-29.
- Graduation-Lawlor Events Center on Monday, Monday, **June 15, at 2:00 p.m.**
- You can easily access Reed High School's Web site at [www.reedraiders.com](http://www.reedraiders.com)



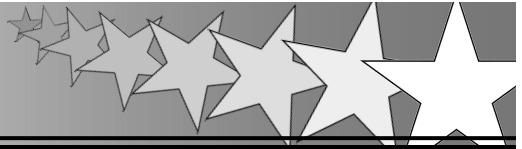
#### CONGRATULATIONS CORNER

Congratulations to Austin Lensch who was nominated for the **Herff Jones Principal Leadership Award**.

Congratulations to Austin Miller and Toni Kane who will attend the **HOBY Leadership Conference** in June 2015.

Congratulations to **The Prudential Spirit of Community Award Nominees:** Ashley Morey, Alyssa Inskip, and Nasya Mancini.

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Congratulations to the following students who attended the **Hispanic Youth Leadership Summit at UNR**: Shaye Ariaz Kevari, Jose Ayala, Karla Chavarria, Emily Ibarra, Alan Martinez, Guadalupe Martinez, Diana Mendoza, Kristi Pinto, Erik Ramirez, Tiffany Rodriguez, Kasandra Sanchez, Victor Serratos-Segura, Esmeralda Torres Horta, and Jose Vertimilla.

Congratulations to the following students who attended the **American Indian/Alaskan Native Leadership Summit at UNR**: Mitanshu Chandna, Louis Henry, Alyssa Johnson, Benjamin Luan, Brian Ly, Jon Alvin Mondragon, Niegie Oquendo, Analley Jean Purisma, Caitlin Rosal, Francis Edward Sacluti, Eddie Bhoi Saramosing, Metanoia Taufaasau, and Diandrya Taufaasau.

The following students have received recognition from **Advanced Placement**:

**AP Scholar** (granted to students who scored 3 or higher on three or more AP Exams): Annie Braun, Kendra Bujnovsky, Kevin Carlos, Cecilia Cervantes, Chelsea Chung, Ashlyn Edmondo, Jillian Engstrom, Reid Enochson, Jayme Espinosadelosmo, Madison Funk, Thomas Garate, Carlos Gomez, Austin Graham, Jacob Guariglia, Shane Henderson, Tomas Herbert, Isabella Hillerby, Zoe Houghton, Todd Kuykendall, Gavin Kygar, Jillian McMullen, Alexandria Messer, Kamryn Moloney, Collin Palian, Haley

Posukonis, Rachel Panzalan, Lawrence Quimora, Joseph Rosal, Alexander Sanchez, Jacquelyn Sertic, Thomas Sertic, Aditya Sidher, Colin Steinmetz, Veronica Valazquez, Gabrielle Williams, and Brandy Wood.

**AP Scholar with Honors** (granted to students who received an average score of at least 3.25 on all AP Exams taken, and scores of 3 or higher on four of more of these exam): Lucas Glanzmann, Stephanie Haigney, Kristen Hess, Kristin Jorgensen, Jessie Liao, Christian Monarrez, Lauren Petersen, Nikhil Sidher, and Benjamin Wagner.

**AP Scholar with Distinction** (granted to students who received an average score of at least 3.5 on all AP Exams taken, and scores of 3 or higher on five or more of these exams: Emily Barrie, Cory Berger, Hayden Casey, Alec Cornelius, Bailey Gordon, Teriin Lee, Rachel Marshall, Anna Miller, Joshua Mooney, Anna Oetting, Max Poore, Hannah Tiner, and Nicole Winckelmann.

**NATIONAL AP SCHOLAR** (granted to students in the United States who receive an average score of at least 4 on all AP exams taken, and scores of 4 or higher on eight or more of these exams): Cory Berger and Joshua Mooney, and Hannah Tiner.

Congratulations to Emily Walker who took first place and to Daniel Maldonado and

Kristian Maldonado who placed second and third in the **Sparks Veterans of Foreign War Scholarship** essay on patriotism contest. This year's topic was "Why are veterans important to our nation's history and future?" Students from Sparks, Spanish Springs, North Valleys and Reed high schools competed.

Congratulations to Reed High School's **Gamers Club** and advisor Kellie Kareck who raised \$5000 through their Extra Life game marathon for Renown Children's Hospital. Great job in supporting our local Children's Miracle Network at Renown Hospital.

Needless to say, the Reed High School community is especially proud of your accomplishments.

I hope that your new year is one of the best. As always, please call or e-mail ([mvesco@washoeschools.net](mailto:mvesco@washoeschools.net)) if you have any suggestions or recommendations.



**Mary Vesco**

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# From the Desk of Mary Coffman

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## ATTENDANCE

The Washoe County School District **attendance policy** states that all students are required to attend school for a minimum of 90% of the scheduled classes in order to receive credit. The emphasis of the attendance policy is on the importance of keeping students in school and providing access to the curriculum.

Fortunately, not all absences count against the 90%. For example, if your child misses school for a medical reason (MED), or doctor excused (EMD), school business (SCH), or a circumstance (CIR), those days are not counted against the 90%. Therefore, at Reed High School, **90% attendance translates to no more than nine (9) unverified absences per semester.**

Absence types that do count against the 90% attendance rule are absent unknown (AUK), domestic (DOM), truant (CT/CLT) parent note/call after 3 days (NCU). If your child does miss school, please make sure you send a note or make a phone call into the attendance office (321-3110) within 3 days of the absence. If you call outside of office hours, please leave a message. Voicemail messages are checked regularly.

On another note, if your student is leaving during school hours for a medical appointment, please notify the attendance office at least an hour in advance of the time your student will be leaving. This will allow time for the attendance office to write and deliver the off-campus pass to your student and you will not have to wait when you arrive to pick-up your student.

## Truancy and Driver's Permit/License—New Law

Truancy is a challenge for many of our schools, but a new **Nevada law** could affect a student's ability to get a **driver's permit** or **license**, depending on whether they are attending class. Senate Bill 269 goes into effect on

January 1, 2015, and it dictates that persons under the age of 18 who are requesting an instruction permit or driver's license from the Nevada DMV must present proof that they regularly attend classes in compliance with Nevada school attendance requirements. This will affect students who have been declared **truant three or more times** in a single school year (habitual truants). School principals or their designees must sign a DMV form stating that the student is attending class regularly before a student can receive a driver's permit or license. The DMV form has been posted on the District website.

## A FIT FOR PERFECT ATTENDANCE

At the beginning of this school year, seniors were informed of this district-wide perfect attendance contest. The grand prize is one (1) **2015 Honda Fit** from **Bill Pearce Motors** MSRP valued at \$17,115. The contest is open to all seniors enrolled in an accredited high school in Washoe County, NV, including public, private, and charter schools. Excluded are on-line schools. Seniors must have perfect attendance during the 2014-15 school year. No more than (2) "excused absences" will be allowed. Official school business will count as a day of attendance. To be eligible, the student must also receive a standard, advanced, honors, or adjusted diploma. He or she must not have had any documented disciplinary action, as defined by the school the student attends during his or her senior year. ONE (1) winner will be chosen by random drawing of all eligible students with perfect attendance. All eligible students must be present to win at the grand prize drawing Saturday, June 20<sup>th</sup>, 2015, at 1 PM at Bill Pearce Honda in Reno, NV.

## TARDIES

Punctuality makes for fewer interruptions to learning and is one of the traits employers value most. We work diligently to reward punctuality and discourage tardiness at Reed High School.

# From the Desk of Mary Coffman

Assistant Principal (Junior Class) ~ Attendance & Advanced Placement



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There are many students who are rarely or never late. These students can look forward to receiving **H.O.T. Passes** (as long as they don't have unexcused absences), which can be used to get out of a detention or turned in at the end of the year for a chance at raffle prizes. There are those few, however, who are frequently or chronically tardy to school and class, which is disruptive to the teaching and learning environment already taking place.

Please review your child's **attendance** on **Infinite Campus**. Tardies are indicated by UMI (Unexcused Missed Instruction). The vast majority of tardies occur in the morning. If a problem is apparent, please impress upon your child the importance of punctuality and help him or her make a plan for arriving to school and class on time.

## ADVANCED PLACEMENT

If your student is planning to take as **Advanced Placement** (AP) class next year, please mark your calendar for the evening of February 25<sup>th</sup>, to attend AP/College and Career Night from 6:00 to 8:00, in the Theater. Counselors and AP teachers will present important information and be available to answer your questions.

## AP EXAM FEES

If your child is enrolled in one or more AP classes, exam fees are due; \$91 per exam. Please see our bookkeeper, Mrs. Fleming, to pay for exams or set up a payment plan.

## 2015 AP EXAM SCHEDULE

Week 1	Morning 8:00 AM	Afternoon 12 Noon
Monday, May 4	Chemistry	Psychology
	Environ Sci	
Tuesday, May 5	Calculus AB	
	Calculus BC	
Wednesday, May 6	English Lit	Physics 1
Thursday, May 7	Spanish Lang	Art History
Friday, May 8	US History	
Week 2	Morning 8:00 AM	Afternoon 12 Noon
Monday, May 11	Biology	Physics C
	Music Theory	
Tuesday, May 12	US Government	French Lang
		Spanish Lit
Wednesday, May 13	English Lang	Statistics
Thursday, May 14	World History	Macro Econ
Friday, May 15	Human Geography	
	Micro Econ	

If you are taking exams that are scheduled for the same time, see Mrs. Coffman for information about taking one of the exams during the late-testing period. You may not take both Calculus AB and BC within the same year.



# Kathie Smith & RHS Counselors

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## Counseling & Curriculum Corner

### Semester Grades Are Final

Students completed their first semester finals on December 18<sup>th</sup>, which marked the end of the first semester. Grades issued at that time are final and have been posted to your student's transcript and permanent record.

	Name / Email	Extension*
9th Grade	Melonia Torres <i>mtorres@washoeschools.net</i>	33732
Enterprise Project	Kyle Cassinelli <i>kcassinelli@washoeschools.net</i>	33735
A – FI (10 <sup>th</sup> -12 <sup>th</sup> )	KC Miller <i>kcmiller@washoeschools.net</i>	33733
FL – LE (10 <sup>th</sup> -12 <sup>th</sup> )	Corrie Hyatt <i>chyatt@washoeschools.net</i>	33734
LI – RA (10 <sup>th</sup> -12 <sup>th</sup> )	Stephanie Reddig <i>sreddig@washoeschools.net</i>	33737
RE – Z (10 <sup>th</sup> -12 <sup>th</sup> )	Lynette Gardner <i>lmgardner@washoeschools.net</i>	33731

\*Call 353-5700 & dial the extension when the recording begins.

### Registering for School

Returning students must register each year. We hope to have all students complete this process by the end of February. Registration is completed by visiting the Infinite Campus Parent Portal and completing the online process. For more information and links to the appropriate registration websites, visit [www.washoeschools.net](http://www.washoeschools.net), hover over "Schools" at the top of the page, then click "Register for School." We will be opening up our computer labs a couple of times during evening hours for parents who would like assistance. More information will follow.

### 2015/2016 Registration

Registration for the 2015/2016 school year will begin in February. The course book will be available on the Reed HS website at <http://reedraiders.com/> by the end of January. Please encourage your student(s) to peruse the course book in anticipation of choosing their courses for next year. This year, students will be asked to submit their requests online through Infinite Campus. More information will follow. Please remind your student(s) that once courses are chosen, changes cannot be made.

### Infinite Campus

Monitoring your student on Infinite Campus is the best way to ensure you know how they are doing in their classes. We encourage both students and parents/guardians to use this tool regularly. Please help us by keeping your contact information up-to-date. Log in to Infinite Campus to update your phone number(s) and address(es) if they have changed. If you cannot log in to Infinite Campus, contact Stacey Hyatt at 321-3112 or [smhyatt@washoeschools.net](mailto:smhyatt@washoeschools.net).

### PSAT Results

The results for the PSAT exam, which was administered in October, have arrived. Students who took this test should expect to see their results in January.

### College Entrance Exams

We recommend that students take one or both of these exams for the first time during the spring semester of their junior year. For these students, the June tests are recommended.

ACT ~ Register online: [www.actstudent.org](http://www.actstudent.org)

Test Date	Registration Deadline	
2/7/2015	1/9/2015	Late (w/fee) - 1/16/2015
4/18/2015	3/13/2015	Late (w/fee) - 3/27/2015
6/13/2015	5/8/2015	Late (w/fee) - 5/22/2015

SAT ~ Register online: [sat.collegeboard.org](http://sat.collegeboard.org)

Test Date	Registration Deadline	
1/24/2015	12/29/2014	Late (w/fee) - 1/9/2015
3/14/2015	2/13/2015	Late (w/fee) - 2/27/2015
5/2/2015	4/6/2015	Late (w/fee) - 4/17/2015
6/6/2015	5/8/2015	Late (w/fee) - 5/22/2015

Reed High School's CEEB code is 290141.

### Parent Information Night: Financial Aid

**Wednesday, January 28<sup>th</sup> at 6pm – Location TBA**

Seniors and their parents are encouraged to attend for information about and help with the financial aid process. The Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) will be discussed and financial aid experts will be on hand to help students complete the online application.

### University of Nevada, Reno Deadline Reminder

The University of Nevada, Reno's priority deadline for admissions and scholarships is **February 1<sup>st</sup>**. Seniors should apply by this date to be considered for UNR's general scholarships. Students can apply online at [www.unr.edu/apply](http://www.unr.edu/apply).



Washoe County School District

# ADULT SCHOOL VOLUNTEER APPLICATION

(CONFIDENTIAL - Please Print Clearly)

Welcome and thank you for your interest in volunteering in Washoe County School District. In an effort to keep our schools safe, we ask that you take a few moments to complete this volunteer application form. Return the completed application to FIB at 425 E. 9<sup>th</sup> St, Reno, NV or your school contact with a copy of your photo ID. Allow 3 weeks for non-fingerprint processing and 8 weeks for fingerprinted applications.

Date \_\_\_\_\_ Photo ID Check \_\_\_\_\_ (Initial and attach a copy of photo ID) Fingerprinting-School Authorization (When required)

Location/School: \_\_\_\_\_ Program/Purpose: \_\_\_\_\_

Field trips: Date \_\_\_\_\_  Overnight Trip - Must be finger printed by FIB at School Police

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ (Last Name, First Name Middle Initial) Enter exactly as it is on your photo identification

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Physical Address: \_\_\_\_\_ (Street, City, State Zip Code)

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_ If different from above (Street, City, State Zip Code)

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ (Mandatory) Last four digits of your Social Security Number: \_\_\_\_\_ (Per NRS 603A.040) (Optional)

I am a (please check all that apply):  Parent or guardian of a student attending a WCSD school  Community Volunteer  WCSD Employee  Former WCSD employee  Practicum Student

If you are a parent, guardian or caretaker, please list student/teacher name/s: \_\_\_\_\_

If you are volunteering as part of a community organization or business member, list the name/s of the organization or business: \_\_\_\_\_

If you are NOT a parent, guardian or caretaker, please provide two (2) non-relative references:

(Name) (Relationship) (Phone) (Initial Reference Checked)
(Name) (Relationship) (Phone) (Initial Reference Checked)

In Case of Emergency contact:

(Name) (Relationship to you) (Phone)
Emergency medical information/conditions: (ie: Asthma)

Ethnic Code Identification: (Check the code that best represents your ethnic identity) - Optional

African American  Alaskan / Indian  Asian / Pacific  Caucasian  Hispanic  Other

## OFFICIAL USE ONLY

Questions? Contact Volunteer Services, 425 E. 9<sup>th</sup> St., Reno, NV 89512

Phone: 775-348-0346 ~ Fax: 775-851-5669 Email: [volserv@washoeschools.net](mailto:volserv@washoeschools.net)

School Police check: Valid DL \_\_\_\_\_ SO Check \_\_\_\_\_ Fingerprinting check \_\_\_\_\_

DISTRIBUTION: School, Volunteer Services; FIB Office

Notes: \_\_\_\_\_

You must **ALWAYS** disclose criminal information **no matter how long** it has been since the offense/arrest. **Have you EVER been arrested (even if charges were dropped), convicted, pled guilty or pled no contest to:**

- A criminal offense, other than a minor traffic violation, this includes, but is not limited to a felony, gross misdemeanor, misdemeanor, **DUI**, etc.)  **Yes**  **No**
- A drug or sexual related offense or act of violence?  **Yes**  **No**
- Been reported for child abuse/sexual activities involving a student or minor or had charges filed against you by a school district, state / county agency, police or court?  **Yes**  **No**

If **"Yes"**, please explain the type(s) of offense(s), Location(s) and date(s) in the space below. Attach a sheet if necessary.

Date	Charge/Offense	Disposition	Penalty	Explanation

**Administrator Only:** I have reviewed the disclosed information above and  **accept**  **do not accept this applicant as a volunteer on our campus. If accepted, School Police will still preform the background check required by WCSD.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Principal Signature

**Note:** Any applicant on an **active "Wants and Warrants List", Registered Sex Offender, terrorist list or on Parole or Probation WILL NOT BE ALLOWED TO VOLUNTEER** at Washoe County School District. **Background checks are completed by WCSD FIB Department.** The Washoe County School District reserves the right to disallow any individual from serving as a volunteer.

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**VOLUNTEER COMMITMENT AND PROCEDURES**  
**READ THE FOLLOWING CAREFULLY BEFORE SIGNING AND DATING THIS APPLICATION**

**Screening:** For the safety of students, all prospective volunteers will be asked to complete an Adult School Volunteer Application and provide a valid photo I.D. (international ID's are accepted). All prospective volunteers will be given a "Background Check" check pursuant to NRS 179D. Additionally, the District, in its discretion and without a statement of reason, may require a complete criminal history check on any volunteer at any time. In programs where a volunteer is an Overnight Chaperone and may work alone for extended periods of time with a student or by request from the principal, fingerprinting and a full state and federal background check are required. If fingerprinting is required, the school district will cover these costs. All fingerprinting must be authorized. The Washoe County School District reserves the right to disallow any individual from serving as a volunteer.

**Confidentiality:** What you hear and observe about students, families, and staff while volunteering in a school is **confidential**. Repeating a seemingly harmless comment can lead to misunderstandings and hurt feelings. For schools to provide the best environment for learning, everyone's privacy must be respected.

**Liability:** The Washoe County School District is proud to provide liability coverage and an accident policy for its volunteers, which will provide up to \$1,500 after any other valid and collectable insurance. In order to have this protection, **all volunteers must sign in on the school's volunteer / visitor sign in sheet** (in every school office) every time they volunteer. Volunteers are not covered by Workers' Compensation.

**Child neglect and abuse reporting:** School volunteers are obligated under mandatory child reporting laws to report any suspected child neglect or abuse. Please refer to Washoe County School District mandatory reporting guidelines.

**Supervision:** Volunteers perform under the direction and supervision of school personnel. Volunteers should know and follow school policies and rules. The District, in its discretion and without a statement of reasons, may suspend any volunteer from further volunteer activities pending any background check. No statement by the District establishes a property right to perform volunteer work.

**Communication:** If you are unable to make it to school when you are expected, please call the school and leave a message. Similarly, school staff will contact you if your time is cancelled or changed for any unforeseen reason. You may contact the WCSD Volunteer Services Office at 775-348-0346, or email llightfoot@washoe.k12.nv.us with questions or for assistance.

**Student / Volunteer relationships:** Volunteers function in a position of trust and Washoe County School District does not extend that volunteer / student trust relationship outside of the supervised school environment. It is the responsibility of the volunteer to notify the site administrator immediately if he/she becomes involved with a student / family outside the WCSD environment.

**I affirm that I have read and understand all the information on this Adult School Volunteer Application and that all the information I have provided in this application is true and complete to the best of my knowledge. I understand that WCSD reserves the right to verify all information on this application form and that any false statements or failures to disclose information may be sufficient to disqualify me as a volunteer. I hereby authorize Washoe County School District to obtain information relating to my current and / or previous employment, education, and personal history records.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Print Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date





The Raider Battalion is still working feverishly toward raising the required funds to attend the Dec, 2015 **Pearl Harbor Day Parade**, in **Hawaii!** Thanks to all for your support we have had four extremely successful fundraising events, to include our Wine Tasting event at the Nevada Museum of Art. This one event raised over \$5000 for the cadets of the Raider Battalion. We are fortunate to be part of such a wonderful community. If you would like to help or know someone who would, on line donation can be made at: <http://www.gofundme.com/EdwardCReed-NJROTC>

Congratulation to our JROTC Academic team who competed in the national JROTC Leadership **Academic Bowl** in November and will be advancing to the next round in February. We were the only Navy/Marine Corps unit to advance from the state of NV! If our team wins again they will travel to Washington DC for the finals!

Our drill teams have done extremely well in drill competitions. Bringing home five trophies, to include two 1<sup>st</sup> place awards at the 18<sup>th</sup> annual **Reed Invitational Drill Meet** in November. They continued their strong showing at the District drill meet bringing home four trophies to include one 2<sup>nd</sup> and two 3<sup>rd</sup> place awards. Congratulations to all of our drill team members.

The JROTC Booster club is sponsoring the "**Edward. C. Reed Memorial Walkway**" for the entire Reed High School family. Students, teachers or anyone affiliated with Reed HS can purchase a paver stone, place a personal message on it and have it placed at the entrance to the theater and main gym. Proceeds from this project can be donated to any Reed organization that the purchaser wishes to support. Please see the flyer located towards the end of this newsletter or contact the JROTC department with any questions.

The JROTC cadets just completed their platoon competition where they were scored on marching as a unit, basic ROTC knowledge and overall GPA. Our top Platoon will be announced at our Winter Awards and Change of Command ceremony on January 29<sup>th</sup> 2015.

The Reed ROTC cadets are proud to be Raiders and are looking forward to another busy fun filled year!

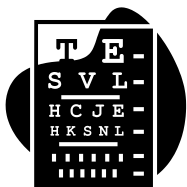
C/PO1 JoJo Heidenreich





## 10<sup>th</sup> Grade Vision & Hearing Screening

This annual screening is scheduled for Thursday, January 29 in the Faculty Dining Room.



Students are reminded to bring their glasses and/or wear their contacts.

Referrals will be sent out to the parents if necessary.



### Highlights from the **Ceramics & Art Club**

Two of our pieces were chosen by **Nevada Recycles** to be exhibited and awarded with cash prizes. Nevada Recycles is a statewide contest which showcases student work and promotes the importance of recycling. These works are displayed until December 10th in the lobby of the Bryan Building located in Carson City.

“Untitled Skull” - 2nd place Group Category.

“Untitled Cans”, by Michael Conners - 3rd place High School Category.

Additionally, art club has recently painted a holiday themed window mural across the street from Reed at **Farmers Insurance Group**. Farmers Insurance donated to our art club and will be exhibiting student artwork to show their appreciation.

Happy Holidays,  
Apollonia Donaghy

# Reed College and Career Center News

<http://reedraiders.com/>

<https://sites.google.com/site/reedhighscholarshipinfo/>

## How to fill out the FAFSA – Seniors Only

### There are three ways to complete the FAFSA:

1. Online at [www.fafsa.gov](http://www.fafsa.gov) (recommended)
2. [www.fafsa.gov](http://www.fafsa.gov) and go to FAFSA Options
3. Paper FAFSA (request by calling 1-800-4-FED-AID)

### Using a Federal Student Aid PIN to sign your application

You and your parents are encouraged to apply for a Federal Student Aid PIN to sign your online application. Your PIN will serve as an identifier and as your electronic signature. It works much like the personal identification number you get from your bank. You can apply for a PIN at the Federal Student Aid PIN website at [www.pin.ed.gov](http://www.pin.ed.gov). After completing the PIN application, you must choose how you want your PIN delivered to you. The choices are to

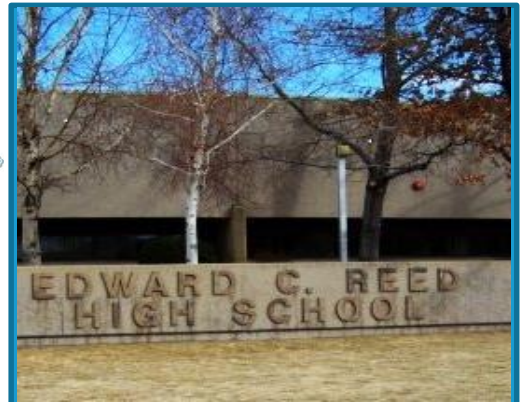
- Create your own PIN
- Have a system-generated PIN instantly displayed online
- Have a system-generated PIN instantly sent in a secure link to your e-mail address

You or your parent may use the new PIN immediately to sign an original FAFSA. Then within one to three days of the PIN being issued, your name, date of birth, and Social Security Number (SSN) are verified. Once your information is confirmed, your PIN is then valid for all its uses, which include:

- Access to your Student Aid Report online
- Access to your data to make corrections
- The option to complete a FAFSA Renewal
- Access to your information on other Federal Student Aid websites

Check out how *Federal Student Aid* can put you on a path to success. View Videos on YouTube at:

<http://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PL23B9A23CD8DD82DD&feature=plcp>



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## Upcoming Events

### January 1

#### FAFSA

Begin filling out your FAFSA if you plan to attend college in the 2015 school year. Remember to complete your FAFSA every January.

<http://www.fafsa.ed.gov/>

### January 28

#### Reed High School Counseling

#### Department Information Night

#### Financial Aid Night - 6pm at Reed

High School. Seniors and their parents are encouraged to attend for information about and help with financial aid.





## **Featured Fact: Essay Writing Checklist**

(Edited Information – provided by “Get in 2 College”)

### **General Advice**

- Research application deadlines and essay questions.
- Give yourself plenty of time to develop your essay.
- Read examples of successful college essays found in books or on the internet.
- Do the work yourself. Others can help by proofing and critiquing.
- Be mindful of essay length requirements and other specific instructions.

### **Brainstorming for a Generic Personal Statement or Essay**

- Make a list of your strengths and positive personality or character traits.
- Get input on your list from others who know you well.
- Next to each trait, list several things that you’ve done that illustrate that trait.
- Organize, sort and group your list(s). Look for threads or stories that tie your list together.
- Develop a theme if it hasn’t already emerged.
- Still not satisfied? Try a different approach – ask yourself these questions and jot down whatever comes to mind:
  - What am I passionate about?
  - What sets me apart from others?
  - What major life lesson(s) have I learned and how? From whom?
  - How have I grown and from what experience(s)?
  - Where or when have I made a difference? What were the circumstances?
  - Did I overcome a hardship?
- Generally avoid controversial topics or the trite “eliminate world hunger” or “world peace” type of categories. Also avoid talking about your girlfriend/boyfriend or problems you’ve had with substance abuse or the law unless you can really pull a compelling life story out of it. If in doubt, avoid those risky areas.
- Be careful with humor unless you are VERY good at it. It often fails to have the intended result.

### **For a Specific Quote Analysis or Essay**

- Read the quote or question MANY times!
- Jot down whatever comes to mind as you read it – let your mind flow freely.
- Review your general brainstorming from above. Are there any ties to this specific quote or question?
- Can you tell a story or show the reader something about yourself while answering the question?



### **Upcoming Events**

#### **January 24**

##### **SAT Testing Day**

Good luck to all the students that are taking the SAT on January 24<sup>th</sup>! Remember to bring your printed admission ticket, your photo ID, several sharpened #2 pencils and an approved calculator. Go to the SAT website to find out more information about taking the SAT test.

<http://sat.collegeboard.org/home>

#### **January 21**

##### **TMCC Enrollment Workshop**

TMCC Is Bringing The Enrollment Process To Reed High School! January 21<sup>st</sup>, seniors can come learn about TMCC and receive assistance with their college application! See Mrs. Smith in the Career Center to sign up for the January 21<sup>st</sup> workshop.

#### **February 1**

##### **ACCUPLACER Testing**

If you have been accepted to TMCC **and** you have passed your proficiency exams, then you are invited to take the ACCUPLACER at Reed. See Mrs. Smith in the Career Center to sign up for the February 1<sup>st</sup> test date. There is limited space, so sign up soon!

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## The Rough Draft

- Look at your theme and use a couple of sentences as an introduction that grabs the reader – make them want to read on. Try to state or allude to your theme. Capture their interest.
- Develop supporting paragraphs that are well organized and develop your theme or support your points. Generally there might be 3-5 paragraphs depending on the essay length.
- Develop a concluding paragraph that circles back to your theme and provides a strong wrap-up. Demonstrate that you learned, you changed, you grew – whatever your theme implies. Tie everything up nicely.

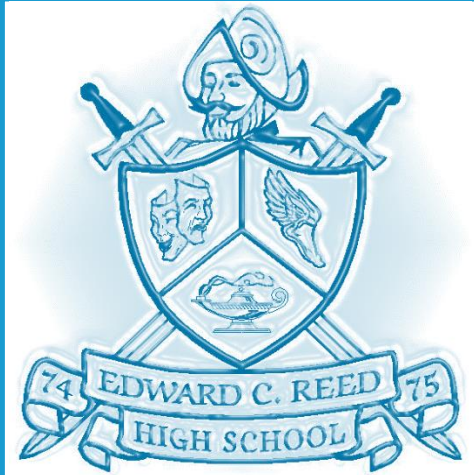
## Critique and Edit Your Draft - Avoid These Pitfalls

- Don't use slang or "I" too much.
- Don't repeat yourself and don't include extraneous (non-useful) words. Be clear and concise.
- Be sure the essay flows logically and with proper grammar.
- Does it sound contrived or superficial? Boring? Try to demonstrate depth and intellectual curiosity.
- Be sure it SHOWS the reader something about you rather than just stating it. Demonstrate with vivid and specific examples, quotes, facts, events etc. SHOW don't TELL!
- Be mindful if there is a strict word count – have you checked? Make adjustments as needed.

## The Polishing

- Give it a break. Put the essay away for a few days and come back to it.
- Look it over again and make adjustments. Review the pitfalls above and double check.
- Ask someone you trust to read your essay and determine if your intended message/theme comes across. Consider a parent, teacher, counselor or adult friend. Discuss improvements with them.
- Proof it again and again looking for spelling and grammar errors. Don't rely only on spell-checkers.
- Follow the specific instructions for getting your essay to the correct location, as it won't always be the same. If it is uploaded or sent via some other electronic method, try to check to be sure it was successfully transmitted.

**Good luck and don't worry – you CAN do it!**



## Test Dates

Don't delay!  
Get registered today!  
Go to ACT and SAT websites  
to register and pay required  
test fees.

## ACT Test Dates

**February 7, 2015**  
**April 18, 2015**  
**June 13, 2015**

<http://www.actstudent.org/>

## SAT Test Dates

**January 24, 2015**  
**March 14, 2015**  
**May 2, 2015**  
**June 6, 2015**

<http://sat.collegeboard.org/home>





## **Featured Fact: Scholarships**

Scholarships are available all year long but it is up to students to know the application deadlines and keep track of them. Here are some tips for finding scholarship applications and information:

- **Visit the Reed High School Scholarship Website.** Reed's scholarship committee has made it easy for you to find and access scholarships online. Visit: <https://sites.google.com/site/reedhighscholarshipinfo/> regularly to see what is available.
- **Use an Online Scholarship Database/Search Tool:**  
<http://www.fastweb.com/>  
<https://bigfuture.collegeboard.org/scholarship-search>  
<http://www.scholarships.com/>

### **Beware of Scholarship Scams!**

There are many people out there trying to take advantage of students and parents looking for scholarships. Beware of the following:

- Scholarship search sites/organization guarantees—only the organization/person awarding the money can make guarantees.
- Required payments—scholarship organizations are in the business of giving money away; they shouldn't be asking you for it.
- Required bank/credit card information—there is no reason a legitimate organization would need this information.
- Vague instructions/responses from organization—a legitimate organization should be upfront about whatever you want to know.

## **Featured Fact: College Affordability Information**

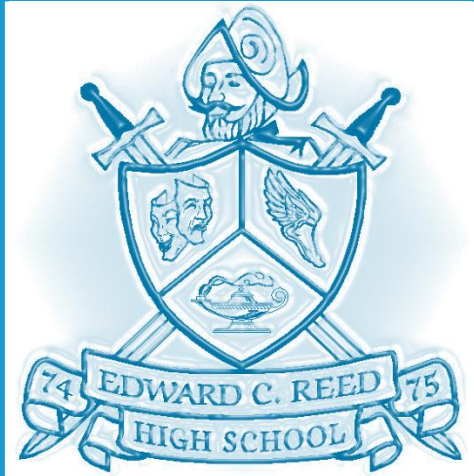
Students and their families who are concerned about the affordability of college and highly-skilled career pathways can find information and assistance at locations such as:

[www.unr.edu/financial-aid/](http://www.unr.edu/financial-aid/)

[www.tmcc.edu/financialaid/](http://www.tmcc.edu/financialaid/)

[www.fafsa.ed.gov/](http://www.fafsa.ed.gov/)

[www.studentaid.ed.gov/students/publications/student\\_guide/index.html](http://www.studentaid.ed.gov/students/publications/student_guide/index.html)



### **Armed Forces**

Days That Are Reserved For The Armed Forces Weekly Visits. Visits Occur In Front Of The Library During Lunch.

#### **Monday**

United States Marine Corps  
T.A. Shields  
750-5242

#### **Tuesday**

United States Navy  
Matthew Dean  
331-1126

#### **Wednesday**

United States Air National  
Guard  
Alexander Muniz  
788-4544

#### **Thursday**

United States Army  
Jeffrey Durance  
829-2769

#### **Friday**

Army National Guard  
Ronald Gogan  
297-5617



**Apply to UNR! Start your journey by going to:**

<http://www.unr.edu/>

**For TMCC Steps To Enroll, go to:** [www.tmcc.edu/admissions/stepstoenroll/](http://www.tmcc.edu/admissions/stepstoenroll/)

### **Featured Fact: TMCC Workshops and Accuplacer Testing**

Truckee Meadows Community College will be bringing the enrollment process to Reed High School. Over the next few months, students are invited to participate! You will get a chance to:

- **Learn what is required to become a TMCC student**
- **Attend an application workshop for assistance with the admissions application**
- **Take the Accuplacer**

Watch the "Upcoming Events" sections of each Newsletter for TMCC Workshops and Accuplacer test dates. The workshops will run October-February. The testing will run February-April. Sign up in the Career Center to reserve your spot!

### **Featured Fact: Official Transcripts**

Throughout the college and scholarship application process you will be asked to submit official transcripts. Transcripts can now be sent electronically through a program called Parchment through <http://exchange.parchment.com/>. Visit the website then click on "Students" near the upper right-hand corner. Complete the required registration steps listed. Be sure to select the options that apply to you.

For more information or help, review the Frequently Asked Questions at

<http://www.parchment.com/help-faq#/help-faq/general-questions-students>

### **Featured Fact: Exploring Program**

Students can learn what it takes to make it in the challenging field of Law Enforcement. Law Enforcement Exploring offers young men and young women ages 15-21 the chance to experience law enforcement career opportunities.

**Meetings for the Law Enforcement Exploring program are held at the Sparks Police Department every 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the month from 6-8pm. If you have questions regarding this program you can call Mary C. at (775) 353-2231.**

### **Helpful Websites**

#### **ACT Test**

<http://www.actstudent.org/>

#### **ACT Test Preparation**

The ACT test website offers free practice test questions

<http://www.actstudent.org/>



Number2.com's online test preparation courses are free  
<https://www.number2.com/>

Zaps Learning Company offers ACT seminars for a fee \$  
<http://www.zaps.com/>

### **SAT Test**

<http://sat.collegeboard.org/home>

### **SAT Test Preparation**

The College Board offers a free practice test  
<http://sat.collegeboard.org/practice/sat-practice-test>

Number2.com's online SAT test preparation courses are free  
<https://www.number2.com/>

Zaps Learning Company offers SAT seminars for a fee \$  
<http://www.zaps.com/>

### **College Planning**

<https://bigfuture.collegeboard.org/>

<http://www.actstudent.org/college/checklist/senior.html>

### **Scholarship Links**

<https://sites.google.com/site/reedhighscholarshipinfo/>

<https://nevadatreasurer.gov/MillenniumScholarship.htm>

<https://bigfuture.collegeboard.org/pay-for-college/grants-scholarships>

<http://www.fastweb.com/>

<http://wiche.edu/wue>

### **Career Links**

<http://nvcis.intocareers.org/>

<http://www.buildingtradejobs.org/>

### **Volunteer Opportunities**

<http://www.redcross.org/nv/reno>

<http://spcanevada.org/volunteer/opportunities/index.html>

<http://fbnn.org/GetInvolved/Volunteer.aspx>

<http://www.evelynmount.org/>



## Washoe County School District Parent Links

<http://www.washoe.k12.nv.us/parents/parent-resources>

## Additional College and Career Center Links

<http://www.washoe.k12.nv.us/reed/content/kcasinelli/collegewebsites.html>

## Highlighted Scholarships

### Scholarship Name: Nevada State Elks Association Nursing Scholarship

Number of Scholarships: Unknown

Amount Of Each Scholarship: \$1000

Description: One time award of \$1,000 to be used toward tuition in a nursing field of study at a Nevada Institution on Higher Education.

Application Due Date: February 10, 2015 (Postmarked)

#### Student Eligibility/Criteria:

1. Graduate from a Nevada high school
2. Attend an institution of higher learning in the State of Nevada
3. 2.5 GPA or better
4. Financial Need
5. Be accepted to a Nevada institution in a nursing program

Visit: <https://drive.google.com/file/d/0B0p-f22wrjmyX0FISzdfQlFaRXM/view?usp=sharing>

For more information on topics please contact the College and Career Center at 353-5700 ext. 33725.

### Scholarship Name: Sons Of Italy Western Foundation Scholarship

Number of Scholarships: varies

Amount of Each Scholarship: varies

Description: Academic awards and Italian Language Study grants are available.

Application Due Date: March 1, 2015 (Postmark)

#### Student Eligibility/Criteria:

1. Applicant **MUST BE** wholly or partially of Italian descent
2. Applicant **MUST BE** enrolled in an accredited Trade School, College, University, or Community College Fall of 2015
3. Official transcript and letters of recommendation

Visit: [www.sonsofitalyca.org](http://www.sonsofitalyca.org); Sons of Italy Western Foundation, Linda De Palma, Scholarship Committee Chairperson, 5051 Mission Street, San Francisco, CA 94112



## Scholarship Name: Sons of Italy Italian Language Grant

Number of Scholarships: varies

Amount of Each Scholarship: varies

Description: Study under the direction of educators in Italy

Application Due Date: March 1, 2015 (Postmark)

### Student Eligibility/Criteria:

1. High School transcript with proof of study of the Italian language or another foreign language
2. Ability to study in Italy for 30 days during the month of July
3. Two letters of recommendation
4. Complete and submit application

Apply: Sons of Italy Western Foundation, Linda De Palma, Scholarship Committee Chairperson  
5051 Mission Street, San Francisco, CA 94112

Visit the Reed High Website for application: <https://drive.google.com/file/d/0B0p-f22wrjmyN3BjNHdPdVIDNEk/view?usp=sharing>

## Scholarship Name: Italian Catholic Federation Scholarship

Number of Scholarships: varies

Amount of Each Scholarship: \$400

Description: Scholarship offered to graduating seniors of Italian descent.

Application Due Date: March 15, 2015

### Student Eligibility/Criteria:

1. Italian descent
2. Cumulative GPA of at least 3.2
3. Parent or grandparent a member of the "Italian Catholic Federation"
4. Must be Roman Catholic

Visit: [www.icf.org](http://www.icf.org)

## Scholarship Name: American Legion Oratorical Scholarship Contest

Number of Scholarships: varies

Amount of Each Scholarship: up to \$18,000

Description: Present a memorized eight to ten minute speech on the Constitution and how it affects you; then extemporaneous speech on Amendments 1, 4, 13, or 21 (Be prepared to speak extemporaneously on any of these four amendments.)

Application Due Date: March 23, 2015

### Student Eligibility/Criteria:

1. Citizen or lawful, permanent resident of the United States
2. Under the age of 20
3. Must currently be enrolled in ninth to twelfth grade (public, private, military, parochial, or home school)

Visit or Call: Jim Stewart (775) 848-6072; Jerry Finley Department Oratorical Chairperson, email: [jfin556@att.net](mailto:jfin556@att.net)





## **SPRING SPORTS CLEARANCE INFORMATION**

**CLEARANCE FOR SPRING SPORTS (2015 SEASON) WILL BE  
AT REED HS IN YELLOW HALL  
ON 2/4/15 AND 2/5/15 FROM 2:30 PM TO 5:30 PM.  
CLEARANCE PACKETS ARE AT THE MAIN OFFICE AND ON  
THE REED WEBSITE. THIS PACKET IS NECESSARY IF YOU  
DID NOT CLEAR FOR A FALL OR WINTER 2014/2015  
SPORT.**

**PHYSICALS ARE ONLY GOOD FOR 2 YEARS.  
CHECK WITH MRS. McDANIELS IF YOU NEED TO KNOW  
WHEN YOU HAD YOUR LAST PHYSICAL .**

**A GRADE CHECK USING THE JANUARY 2015 SEMESTER  
GRADES WILL BE USED TO CLEAR FOR SPRING SPORTS:  
(*Baseball, Boys Golf, Softball, Swim Team, Track & Field*)**

**Fees: \$25.00 Activity Fee (if you have not already paid it)  
\$25.00 Transportation Fee  
\$5.00 Impact Fee  
\$5.00 Trainer Fee**

**IF YOU ALREADY CLEARED FOR A FALL AND/OR WINTER  
SPORT THIS YEAR, YOU DO NOT NEED TO PAY ANY FEES  
OR COMPLETE ANOTHER CLEARANCE PACKET.**

**YOU DO, HOWEVER, NEED TO COME  
TO SPRING CLEARANCE TO GET  
CLEARED FOR A SPRING SPORT.**

**January, 2015**

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15	16					
22	23					

# JANUARY 2015

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 <b>WINTER BREAK</b> New Year's Day	2 <b>WINTER BREAK</b> Intercession	3	
4	5 <b>WINTER BREAK</b> Winter Intercession	6 <b>WINTER BREAK</b> Winter Intercession	7 <b>WINTER BREAK</b> Winter Intercession	8 <b>WINTER BREAK</b> Winter Intercession	9 <b>WINTER BREAK</b> Winter Intercession	10
11	12	13	14 <b>MAP Testing: 9<sup>th</sup></b> Grade Begins (1-14 to 2-6)	15	16	17
18	19 <b>Martin Luther King, Jr. Day</b> <b>NO SCHOOL</b>	20 ELPA Testing (1-20 to 2-27)	21 Choir All State Auditions	22 ASVAB Results (7:45am -9:30am)	23 ROTC Awards Ceremony 7:00 GYM	24 SAT Test 8:00 a.m. High Sierra Rifle Tournament
25	26	27 Alt HSPE Science/Writing (1-27 to 3-16)	28 Parent Night: Financial Aid (6-8pm)	29 Mobile Blood Drive (8:00am-2:30pm)	30 Mobile Blood Drive (8:00am-2:30pm)	31 ROTC Olympics (Rifle)

# FEBRUARY 2015

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2 NAA Test Begins (2-2 to 5-1) Winter Homecoming Assembly	3 Winter Homecoming Halftime Show	4 Mr. Raider Dress Rehearsal (4:30, Theater)	5 Mr. Raider Pageant (7pm, Gym)	6 MAP Testing: 9 <sup>th</sup> Grade Ends	7 ACT Testing 8:00 a.m.
8	9 Last Day of Enrollment for 2 <sup>nd</sup> Semester	10	11	12	13	14 Sadie Hawkins Valentine's Dance (8-11 pm)
15	16 <b>President's Day No School</b>	17 Class Officer Elections Begin	18	19	20	21 Solo Ensemble & Visions & Vocal Ensemble
22	23	24	25 Parent Night: Advanced Placement (6-8pm)	26	27 Class Officer Elections End ELPA Testing Ends	28



# MARCH 2015

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2 <b>HSPE: Math</b> (7:45-10:45am) 3-Hr Delay <b>CTE Test:</b> Workplace Readiness (3-2 to 4-17) Begins	3 <b>HSPE: Reading</b> (7:45-10:45am) 3-Hr Delay	4 <b>HSPE-Writing</b> (7:45-10:45am) No 3-Hr Delay Orchestra Zone Concert-Gym 7:00 p.m.	5 <b>HSPE: Science</b> (7:45-10:45am) 3-Hr Delay Spring Musical 7:00 p.m.	6 <b>HSPE: Make-Up</b> (All Day) No Delay Spring Musical 7:00 p.m.	7 Spring Musical 7:00 p.m.
8 Daylight Savings	9	10	11 Spring Musical 7:00 p.m.	12 Spring Musical 7:00 p.m.	13 Spring Musical 7:00 p.m.	14 SAT Test 8:00 p.m. Spring Musical 7:00 p.m.
	16 World Water Day/Week (3/16-3/20)	17	18 Band Zone Concert Gym 7:00 p.m.	19 Washoe County Choral Festival	20 Washoe County Choral Festival End of 3 <sup>rd</sup> Quarter NASC Western Region Dance @ Reed	21
22	23	24	25 Earth Hour (3/25-3/27) Begins Zone Concert for all Choirs	26 Spring Blood Drive ROTC AMI – all day w/Parade	27 Spring Blood Drive Last Day to Withdraw for No Credit Earth Hour Ends	28
29	30 <b>SPRING BREAK</b>	31 <b>SPRING BREAK</b>				

# APRIL 2015

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 SPRING BREAK	2 SPRING BREAK	3 SPRING BREAK	4
5	6 SPRING BREAK Spring Intersession	7 SPRING BREAK Spring Intersession	8 SPRING BREAK Spring Intersession	9 SPRING BREAK Spring Intersession	10 SPRING BREAK Spring Intersession	11
12	13	14	15 All State Choir	16 All State Choir	17 CTE Test: Workplace Readiness Ends All State Choir	18 ACT Test 8:00 a.m. All State Choir
19	20 Earth Week (4/20-4/24) Begins CTE Test: End of Program Begins (4/20 to 5/14)	21	22	23 NASC State Conference @ Canyon Springs HS	24 Reno Jazz Festival NASC State Conference @ Canyon Springs HS	25 Reno Jazz Festival NASC State Conference @ Canyon Springs HS
26	27 HSPE: Math 12 <sup>th</sup> Grade (7:45-10:45am) No Delay Spring Week	28 HSPE: Reading 12 <sup>th</sup> Grade (7:45-10:45am) No Delay Spring Week Reedstock Dress Rehearsal (5:30-8:30pm)	29 HSPE: Writing & Science 12 <sup>th</sup> Grade (7:45-2:35pm) Spring Week Reedstock (5:00-8:00pm)	30		

# MAY 2015

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1	2 SAT Test 8:00 a.m.
3	4 AP Testing	5 AP Testing	6 AP Testing	7 AP Testing	8 AP Testing	9
10	11 AP Testing	12 AP Testing	13 AP Testing	14 AP Testing CTE Test: End	15 AP Testing Reed Fine Arts Night-Intermezzo	16
17	18	19	20 Spring Concert: Concert Choir 7:00 p.m. Student Gov. Awards Night (6:30-9:00pm)	21 Prima Voce and Visions Ensemble Spring Concert 7:00 p.m.	22	23
24	25 Memorial Day No School	26	27 NHS Induction Ceremony 6:30 pm	28 Spring Concert: Intermezzo & Vocal Ensemble 7:00 p.m.	29 Intermezzo & Vocal Ensemble Spring Concert 7:00 p.m.	30
31						

# JUNE 2015

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 CTE Test: Retakes for Readiness & End of Program (6-1 to 6-12)	2 Orchestra Spring Concert 7:00 p.m. Theater	3 All School Awards Ceremony 6:30 p.m.	4 Band Spring Concert 7:00 p.m. Theater	5 Staff Appreciation Luncheon (12:00-1:30pm)	6 SAT Test 8:00 a.m.
7	8	9 Final (1 <sup>st</sup> period)	10 Finals (2 <sup>nd</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> ) Ends at 11:25	11 Finals (4 <sup>th</sup> & 5 <sup>th</sup> ) Ends at 11:25 Senior Book Deposit Returned @ Lunch	12 Finals (6 <sup>th</sup> & 7 <sup>th</sup> ) Ends at 11:25 End of Grading Period CTE Test: End of Retakes Last Day of School	13 ACT Testing 8:00 a.m.
14	15 Graduation Rehearsal 12:00 noon Graduation 2:00 p.m.	16 Contingency Days	17 Contingency Days	18	19	20
21		23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30				

**HAVE A WONDERFUL SUMMER BREAK!!**



# WCSD BALANCED CALENDAR 2014-2015

July 2014							No School on Shaded Days
S	M	T	W	TH	F	S	# of School Days = 0
		1	2	3	4	5	
6	7	8	9	10	11	12	
13	14	15	16	17	18	19	
20	21	22	23	24	25	26	
27	28	29	30	31			

January 2015							No School on Shaded Days
J	M	T	W	TH	F	S	# of School Days = 14
				1	2	3	
4	5	6	7	8	9	10	January 1-9 - Winter Break
11	12	13	14	15	16	17	January 19 - Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
18	19	20	21	22	23	24	
25	26	27	28	29	30	31	

August 2014							No School on Shaded Days
S	M	T	W	TH	F	S	# of School Days = 15
					1	2	August 5-6 District Professional Development Days
							August 7 - Site Based Professional Day (Principal's Discretion)
3	4	5	6	7	8	9	August 8 - Teacher Work Day
10	11	12	13	14	15	16	August 11 - First Day of School for Students
17	18	19	20	21	22	23	August 11-15 - Kindergarten Testing Week
24	25	26	27	28	29	30	August 18- First Day for Kindergarten Students

February 2015							No School on Shaded Days
S	M	T	W	TH	F	S	# of School Days = 19
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
8	9	10	11	12	13	14	
15	16	17	18	19	20	21	February 16 - President's Day
22	23	24	25	26	27	28	

September 2014							No School on Shaded Days
S	M	T	W	TH	F	S	# of School Days = 21
	1	2	3	4	5	6	
7	8	9	10	11	12	13	September 1-Labor Day
14	15	16	17	18	19	20	September 5-Count Day
21	22	23	24	25	26	27	
28	29	30					

March 2015							No School on Shaded Days
S	M	T	W	TH	F	S	# of School Days = 20
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
8	9	10	11	12	13	14	March 20 - End of Grading Period
15	16	17	18	19	20	21	
22	23	24	25	26	27	28	
29	30	31					

October 2014							No School on Shaded Days
S	M	T	W	TH	F	S	# of School Days = 17
			1	2	3	4	
5	6	7	8	9	10	11	October 6-10 - Fall Break
12	13	14	15	16	17	18	October 15 PSAT, End of Grading Period
19	20	21	22	23	24	25	October 24, 27-30 - Conference Week
26	27	28	29	30	31		October 31 - Nevada Day

April 2015							No School on Shaded Days
S	M	T	W	TH	F	S	# of School Days = 14
			1	2	3	4	
5	6	7	8	9	10	11	March 30 - April 10 - Spring Break
12	13	14	15	16	17	18	
19	20	21	22	23	24	25	
26	27	28	29	30			

November 2014							No School on Shaded Days
S	M	T	W	TH	F	S	# of School Days = 16
						1	
2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Nov. 4-District Professional Development Day
9	10	11	12	13	14	15	November 11-Veterans Day
16	17	18	19	20	21	22	November 26-28- Thanksgiving Break
23	24	25	26	27	28	29	

May 2015							No School on Shaded Days
S	M	T	W	TH	F	S	# of School Days = 20
					1	2	
3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
10	11	12	13	14	15	16	
17	18	19	20	21	22	23	
24	25	26	27	28	29	30	May 25 - Memorial Day

December 2014							No School on Shaded Days
S	M	T	W	TH	F	S	# of School Days = 14
30	1	2	3	4	5	6	
7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
14	15	16	17	18	19	20	December 18 - End of Grading Period
21	22	23	24	25	26	27	December 19 - Teacher Work Day
28	29	30	31				December 22-January 9 - Winter Break

June 2015							No School on Shaded Days
S	M	T	W	TH	F	S	# of School Days = 10
	1	2	3	4	5	6	
7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
14	15	16	17	18	19	20	June 12 - Last Day of School/End of Grading Period
21	22	23	24	25	26	27	
28	29	30					June 15, 16, 17 - Contingency Days

Number of Days per Quarter	42	41	48	49	180
Number of Days per Semester	83	97	180		



# Welcome

United Federal Credit Union Student Tellers 2014-15.



**Stop by the  
student branch  
and open your  
account today!**

Back Row: Cecelia Gandarilla, Jessie Liao, Victor Serratos, Cesar Aguilera and Nathan Daylo. Front Row: Molly Loranger and Alexis Reel.

## ***A little about each of our student tellers –***

### **Pictured -**

Cecelia Gandarilla: Excited for college and living large.

Jessie Liao: Looking forward to college and becoming a computer engineer.

Victor Serratos: Once you meet me you will never forget.

Cesar Aguilera: Excited to pursue my goals and run across the country.

Nathan Daylo: Looking forward to pursuing a golf career and loves being a student teller.

Molly Loranger: I love working as a student teller and the great opportunity it will give me.

Alexis Reel: Junior Class President involved in Leadership and church. Love working at the CU.

### **Not Pictured -**

Keana Aragon: Love my friends and family at Reed.

Ethan Boston: I am a hilarious person and love to joke around.

Geulian Ferrer: Looking forward to being a future pharmacist.

Alondra Gurrola: Senior—Not looking back.

Molly Loranger: I love working as a student teller and the great opportunity it will give me.

Caitlin Rosal: Likes working in the CU and being a student teller.

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NEW HOURS

Kate's Logos  
Uniforms & More  
www.kateslogos.com



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New store opens April 6th

Monday-Thursday 10am-5pm

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Dilworth Stem Academy  
Sparks Middle School  
Archie Clayton Stem  
Swope Middle School  
Vaughn IB Academy  
O'Brien Stem Academy  
Cold Springs Middle School  
Mount Rose Junior High

Rita Cannan ES  
Robert Mitchell ES  
Sun Valley ES  
Nancy Gomes ES  
Desert Heights ES  
Roy Gomm ES  
Mount Rose ES  
Katherine Dunn ES  
Lemelson Stem  
Glen Duncan Stem

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We take cash or credit, however we do not accept checks



# ***E.C. Reed Memorial Walkway***

***Pavers placed at the entrance to the main gym & theater.***



***Leave a legacy of your student while supporting your Team, Organization or ROTC!***

- Make checks out to Reed Naval JROTC Booster Club

Purchasers Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Seller: \_\_\_\_\_


- One character per space, please write clearly, bricks are engraved exactly as written
- Bricks are \$50 and your team or organization of choice will receive \$20
  - Organization to receive donation: \_\_\_\_\_

# REED PAVER FUNDRAISER



Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**COST: \$50** \_\_\_\_\_

Purchaser Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Seller Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Purchaser Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Seller Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Purchaser email: \_\_\_\_\_

Fundraiser Recipient: (Example ROTC, Theater, Chess Club, etc.) \_\_\_\_\_

**MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: REED NJROTC BOOSTER CLUB**

Cash Received \_\_\_\_\_

Check # \_\_\_\_\_

**NOTE: ALL PAVERS WILL BE ENGRAVED AS WRITTEN**

**PLEASE WRITE LEGIBLY!!!!**


Please keep this is your receipt!

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Cash received: \_\_\_\_\_

Check # \_\_\_\_\_

Received by: \_\_\_\_\_

If you have questions, please contact Christine Lund, Booster Club President at 775-750-1631