

January 2019 Newsletter

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RHS Counseling News

Happy New Year Roughrider Families!

We are all looking forward to a wonderful last semester of the 2018-2019 school year.

9th & 10th Grade Career Interest Inventory

On Thursday, January 10th and Friday, January 11th all Freshmen & Sophomores will be completing a career interest survey. We want to remind these students to bring their iPads charged and ready for this assignment.

Mark Your Calendar

2019 Future Teacher Conference

If you think you might be interested in teaching, the 2019 Future Teacher Conference is designed just for you! This **free conference** offers a variety of presentations and workshops for high school and community college students. Including information and perspectives from current pre-service teachers (UNC students), early career teacher, veteran educators and UNC faculty/administration.

Event Details:

- Friday, February 22, 2019 8:30am-2:00pm
- *Check-in begins at 7:30am*

You can sign up in the RHS Counseling Office.

Scholarships! Scholarships! Scholarships!

Seniors, if you haven't already started applying for scholarships, **now is the time!** We have added numerous scholarship opportunities to the website for you to explore and apply as you see fit. Click [HERE](#) to access the current scholarship list.

Tips to Prepare for the SAT & ACT (Sophomores)

- Take the Practice SAT and/or the Practice ACT and see which one you score better on. Use those scores to guide you in preparing for one or both of the actual SAT and/or ACT.
- If you take your practice tests the summer before your junior year, you will discover what sections you need to work on before you take the actual test.
- The Princeton Review (www.princetonreview.com) offers free SAT and ACT practice tests. Khan Academy is also an EXCELLENT free resource – www.khanacademy.com.

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Summer College Enrichment Programs

CU Boulder Summer Session for High School Students

<https://www.colorado.edu/summer/apply-enroll/high-school-students>

- [High School Concurrent](#) offers area students the opportunity to enroll in a wide variety of class subjects, formats, and session schedules.
- [Other Opportunities](#) include non-credit academic enrichment and experiential courses, and non-credit STEM programs.

Please see the specific application and enrollment instructions for each program. If you have any questions, please contact SummerInfo@colorado.edu.

University of Northern Colorado Summer Enrichment Programs

The [Center for Education and Study for the Gifted, talented, Creative Learners](#) at the University of Northern Colorado offers three summer programs for children and youth <https://www.unco.edu/summer-enrichment-program/>

- **Summer Enrichment Program**

2018 marks the 41st year of the [Summer Enrichment Program \(SEP\)](#) serving children and youth who are gifted, talented, and/or creative in a supportive academic and social setting. Designed for students entering 5th grade through 10th grade, this residential program offers high interest, hands-on, brains-on courses developed by specialists in gifted education and/or in specialized content areas. On the day they arrive, students select courses for their two week session. Courses meet daily during four 75 minute periods. After classes are done for the day participants choose a variety of "options" varying from active sports and recreation, craft activities and time to visit with new and old friends.

- **Young Child Program**

The [Young Child Program](#) serves children ages 4 and 5 and those entering grades 1-4. The program addresses the early educational and social needs of children who are gifted, talented and/or creative children. Parents select high interest courses that meet during four 40 minute periods each day. The specialists in gifted and talented education who teach the courses plan them to help develop and focus the natural curiosity and creativity of these students.

- **Leadership Enrichment Program**

The [Leadership Enrichment Program \(LEP\)](#) accepts 24 high school students who are entering their junior and senior years. The focus is on understanding one's personal, unique gifts and talents, learning about leadership styles and developing traits and characteristics of leadership. They spend three periods a day on leadership topics and one period assisting an SEP teacher for a class of their choice. They assist SEP counselors with afternoon and evening options and teach mini-courses on the Saturday between the weeks of their session. Special activities, meals and creative options make LEP unique and memorable.

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Upcoming College Visits

University of Tennessee Knoxville – January 24th @ 12:50pm

Western Colorado University – February 14th @ 12:50pm

If you would like to meet with a college admissions representative from any of the schools listed above, please click [HERE](#) to sign up.

A-Team Saturday School Opportunities

The Roosevelt High School A-TEAM members are available to assist students with homework, projects, study skills, time management skills, and organizational skills. The A-TEAM is available to all grade level students at RHS. **They meet on Saturdays from 9:00am – 12:00pm.**

Saturday Opportunities:

- February 9th
- March 2nd
- April 27th
- May 18th

The A-TEAM tutors are also available three days a week (Tuesdays, Wednesdays & Thursdays) in the RHS library from 2:45pm – 3:45pm.

If you have any questions about A-TEAM, please contact Mrs. Valencia at tvalencia@weldre5j.org or Ms. Nava at lnava@weldre5j.org.

Students – Check Your Email

As we learn about new scholarship opportunities and other pertinent events and information that would be beneficial to our students, we will be emailing you as well as using Remind. ***Please make an effort to check your email on a regular basis.*** We will also be adding scholarships to Naviance for you to access.