

A message from GALENA HIGH SCHOOL

Mrs. Nelson: Assistant Principal -

Course registration will be taking place in February, please be on the lookout for your students to be bringing home information to discuss regarding their classes for next year.

Mrs. Curley: Assistant Principal -

- **ASSESSMENTS** - The following assessments that will take place in January and February 2025
 - ELPA Testing Window - January 21st through February 28th
 - Civics Exam Testing Window – February 3rd to March 14th
 - CTE WPR and End of Program Testing Window is February 10th through March 21st
 - ACT FEBUARY 25th
 - The State of Nevada requires all students to take the ACT Exam prior to graduation. This year's statewide test will be given to all 11th graders as well as any seniors that did not take the exam last year, during the school day on **February 25th**.
- **ACT BOOTCAMP**
 - For students wanting to prepare for this test, we will once again be partnering with Tutors Across America to provide a discounted **ACT Prep Bootcamp** on **January 24th - 26th, 2025**. Students of all ages are welcome to attend.
 - **Schedule for the 3-Day (20-hour) ACT Weekend Boot Camp**
 - Friday, January 24th 4:00 pm - 8:30 pm
 - Saturday, January 25th 9:00 am - 6:00 pm (lunch break from 1:00-2:00)
 - Sunday, January 26th 9:00 am - 6:00 pm (lunch break from 1:00-2:00)
 - The bootcamps are averaging 3 -7 point improvements on the ACT, which can help with college admissions and scholarships. Regular Cost of Camp: \$399 Discounted Cost: **\$199** for Galena students. Use coupon code **GGRIZZLIES** at checkout.
 - **How To Enroll in the ACT Camp**
 - 1. Go to: <http://TutorsAcrossAmerica.com/ACTcourse>
 - 2. Click on ACT COURSES and scroll down to find the one you want.

- 3. Enroll as directed. You are free to enroll in any camp that works for you.
- 4. Use coupon code **GGRIZZLIES** at checkout to get the 50% discount.

Mrs. Leslie: Administrative Assistant -

- Class of 2025 -
- If you have not ordered your cap and gown or other graduation items - please see ordering options below. The order deadline for graduation cap, gown & tassel and other celebration items has been extended to March 26, 2025.
- It is easy to order:
 - Option 1: Order Online -For cap and gowns, custom packages, class jewelry, personalized school items and celebration items.
 - [Galena HS – Online Ordering Link – Click Here](#)
 - Option 2: Order By Phone – call 775/626-4944
- Jostens is looking forward to helping your student celebrate their journey.
- Please call Jostens at 775/626-4944 with any questions.

Mrs. Taylor: Counselor -

- TMCC Jumpstart Courses begin Tuesday January 21st, 2025. If your student has registered for one of these courses, please remind them they need to log on the first day to avoid being dropped from the course.
- If your student received an “INC” from last semester they need to complete the coursework by January 27th. Please have them see their counselor with any questions.

Mrs. Rapisura: Athletic Secretary -

- Aktivate registration is open for Baseball, Boys Golf, Softball, Swim & Dive, and Track & Field. Please go to the Galena Athletics website <https://www.washoeschools.net/Page/19830> for Aktivate registration details.

Mr. Cook: Athletic Director -

- We would like to welcome Paul Wilkinson as our new swim coach, he is also a teacher on our campus. Anyone interested in swim this Spring can email coach at paul.wilkinson@washoeschools.net.

Mrs. Feeley: College & Career Center -

Upcoming Events:

- January 16th – UNR Scholarship Presentation by UNR representative during 7th period
- January 21st – TMCC at lunch in front of the library
- January 22nd – Paul Mitchell School at lunch in front of the library

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<https://www.instagram.com/galenacounselingcareercenter/>

5 Star PTO -

- If you would like to join us at our next 5 Star Boosters & PTO Board & Committee Meeting, it will be held in the School Library on Wednesday, February 19th at 5:30pm
- We are looking for new Committee Members for the 2024-2025 school year as well as starting to plan for the 2025-2026 School Year Board and Committee Chairs. Please join our meeting if you are interested.
- Have you joined the GHS 5 Star Boosters? If so, thank you for your support! If not, please consider becoming a member. It is not too late to join or renew your membership for the 2024-2025 school year and don't forget to add on the Extra Curricular Pass with Spring Sports just around the corner: bit.ly/GHSboosters2024-2025
- HOW TO FIND & FOLLOW THE GHS 5 STAR BOOSTERS & PTO:
 - www.ghs5starboosters.org
 - admin@ghs5starboosters.org
 - <https://www.instagram.com/galenapto/>
 - <https://www.facebook.com/groups/galenahighschoolboosters>
 - <https://www.facebook.com/GalenaClassof2025>

