

Parent Update 5/5/21

HIGHLIGHTS

We are SO close to the end of the year!

- With summer right around the corner, and the weather warming up, we are starting to have a lot more issues on campus with COVID cases on the rise, students not wearing their masks properly, and dress-code Violations. Please make sure your student is coming to school each day with a clean mask, they are continuing to socially distance and that they are dressed appropriately (More on Dress Code Below).

May CLASS SCHEDULE:

- Click Here to view the May Class Schedule:
- <https://www.washoeschools.net/cms/lib/NV01912265/Centricity/Domain/367/Hybrid%20Block%20May%20June%202021.pdf>

TEACHER APPRECIATION WEEK

Teacher Appreciation Week is happening NOW and Boosters still **NEED YOUR HELP!** They need Drinks (bubbly water, bottled Starbucks and Tea, etc) and Breakfast Help TOMORROW (yogurt and fruit trays). <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0e4ca9ae0ff2-teacher>

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WHAT'S COMING UP THIS WEEK?

SPRING SPORTS

- NIAA is requiring spectators to wear facemasks during ALL High School Sporting Events. We are asking that you adhere to all local mandates/requests. Thank you!

AP EXAMINATIONS

- AP Testing started TODAY and will continue through May 28th. Please help your student prepare by getting a good night's rest and having a good breakfast and being to school on time!
- This week's tests are:

Wednesday-5/5	English Literature and Composition
Friday- 5/7	Chemistry
Monday-5/10	French Language and Culture
Tuesday- 5/11	Spanish Language and Culture
Wednesday-5/12	English Language and Composition

TEACHER APPRECIATION WEEK

- Boosters have been organizing Teacher Appreciation Week and they still need YOUR help! Please check the sign-up genius below and see if you can help this Thursday or Friday
<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0e4ca9ae0ff2-teacher>

DRESS CODE:

We need your help with dress code!

The district dress code policy is to create a safe and professional educational environment. We understand that returning to school after being at home in a casual environment has created some habits that will need to be corrected by August. Included below is a the portion of the district dress code policy that is being addressed here. You can see the full policy

here. https://www.wcsdpolicy.net/pdf_files/administrative_regulations/5102_Reg-Dress_Code-v1.pdf.pdf

Though we have ongoing issues with certain dress code violations, with Spring in the air, we expect this will become more prominent. Please work with your student about what is appropriate to wear to school.

Showing midriffs:

We know that current fashion trends include short tops but as you can see from the policy below, showing the midriff is not allowed. Students will try and pull the shirt lower or pull the pants up higher, but it doesn't work. Some say they will wear a sweater or sweatshirt over their short shirt but they fail to keep it zipped or buttoned and as the weather gets warmer they will want to remove it.

Undergarments should not be showing:

Bra straps should not be exposed.

Length of shorts/skirts/rips in the jeans:

The appropriate length is mid-thigh for shorts, skirts and dresses. Large rips should not show skin that is above mid-thigh.

Hats/beanies/hoods:

These are not allowed at school.

Pajamas:

Since being at home distance learning or even during our hybrid model, students have become much more lax about the way they dress. We have seen more and more pajama bottoms, which, unless it is a dress-up spirit day, are not allowed. We have been allowing them during this time of transition, but we need to try and get students ready for school in the Fall.

5c: Clothing must cover the body from the chest/breasts to below the buttocks. This includes all private/intimate parts of the body, to include the midriff.

- i. Undergarments shall not be intentionally exposed, includes bra straps and boxer shorts.*
- ii. Shorts, skirts, skorts, and dresses must be an appropriate length, extending to the student's mid-thigh.*
- iii. Pants/bottoms with rips, tears, or mesh are acceptable but shall not reveal or expose a private/intimate part of the body (large rips in pants should not be higher than mid-thigh).*

5d: Head coverings which are neither religious nor medical in nature are not permitted to be worn inside a school building during school hours (e.g., sweatshirt hoods, ball caps, cowboy hats).

5g: Unless an exception has been provided by the school administrator (i.e. for spirit days, etc.), wearing pajamas, lounge wear, bath robes, or blankets is prohibited.

ATHLETICS



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Tuesday 5/4	Boys Golf @ Carson Valley	1130AM
	Baseball @ North Tahoe	400PM
	Softball @ North Tahoe	400pm
Thursday 5/6	Track @ South Tahoe	200pm
Friday 5/7	Swimming vs Fallon	400pm
Saturday 5/8	Track @ Damonte Ranch	0800am
	Baseball @ Pershing (Double Header)	1000am
	Softball @ Pershing (Double Header)	1000am

COUNSELOR'S CORNER

1. Our Counselors are here to help support your students in their Academic and personal High School Journeys. If you need to reach them, please contact them at:
<https://www.washoeschools.net/site/Default.aspx?PageID=12468>
2. **Group Counseling and 1:1 Available Soon:** A big "Thank you" to Incline Education Foundation for partnering with us to help bring Group and 1:1 counseling service to our campus. For more information, reach out to your child's counselor.

Summer Session- Incline High will be offering Summer Session. Please watch for an Email from WCSD with the link to sign up- coming soon!

3. **Virtual College Fairs:** <https://virtualcollegefairs.org/events>

SENIORS-CLASS OF 2021

DID SOMEONE SAY PROM?

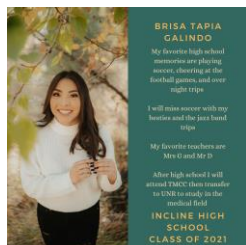
This is **NOT** a WCSD sponsored event; however, a group of senior parents are busy planning a junior/senior prom. If you are interested in being a part of this group, please reach out to Kirstin Corman for more information.

BACCALAUREATE

Again, this is **NOT** a WCSD sponsored event; however, a group of senior parents are in planning mode. Baccalaureate will take place at St. Francis of Assisi, in Incline Village, on Saturday, June 19th from 11-1pm. For more information, please contact Gail Krolick.

SENIOR SPOTLIGHT

Our Senior Spotlight campaign has also started. We are in need of your senior's info! Please fill out the Google Doc linked below and send Zoe Rancort a picture they would like featured in the Spotlight. Please get these items in ASAP to jdevine@washoeschools.net or Zoe Rancort at zoerancort8@gmail.com <https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSe8vK5usaTJeqg22j9wjGm5pmrsRiQFzCw5OKmsow1itumMUA/viewform> Here is an example of the Spotlight:



GRADUATION CEREMONY

- The date for the ceremony is Wednesday, June 23 at 2:00 p.m. Location and number of guests TBD
- If you would like to be on the Ceremony Planning Committee, please reach out to Dr. Yoxsimer at AYoxsimer@washoeschools.net
- Place your orders or plan for a cap and gown for the graduation ceremony.
 - Orders can be placed online at www.Jostens.com.
 - The school has a limited number of gowns for loan. Contact Barb Loeschner at bloeschner@washoeschools.net for more info.

UPCOMING VIRTUAL COLLEGE VISITS

- Seniors check the upcoming virtual college visits on the Counseling page, <https://www.washoeschools.net/Page/13681>

UPCOMING IMPORTANT DATES

- 5/3-5/7- Teacher Appreciation Week
- 5/5- AP Testing Window is Open

- 5/25- Fall Sports Awards
- 5/26- NHS Induction
- 5/27- Winter/Spring Sports Awards
- 5/31- NO SCHOOL (Memorial Day)
- 6/2- Spring Concert
- 6/11- Senior Car Parade
- 6/14-6/16-Finals
- 6/16-Scholarship Night
- 6/17- Last Day of School
- 6/23- Graduation

Thank you!

Dr. Andrew Yoxsimer

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