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Contact Information



Class of 2025

SENIOR PRESENTATION

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- ▶ Important!!! Graduating from high school is YOUR responsibility. Counselors are here to help, but ultimately it is YOUR diploma. Please check all paperwork for inaccuracies.
- ▶ Your counselor will mail home a graduation application, a transcript, a parent letter, and a Seniors: Important Information sheet.
 - ▶ Graduation application
 - ▶ Look over the transcript and/or graduation plan and make note of any errors or omissions
 - ▶ Verify diploma option
 - ▶ Must take ACT with Writing Exam and Civics Exam

WCSD Graduation Guide

The credit requirements for each diploma type are listed below:

⊕ *Note: Standard Diploma requirements subject to change pending State Board of Education approval.*

Course Title	WCSD Standard	State Advanced	College and Career Ready with Endorsement	WCSD Honors	WCSD Honors/ College & Career Ready
English	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
Math (Must include Algebra 1, Geometry & Algebra 2 or equivalent)	3.0	4.0	4.0	4.0 ^Δ	4.0 ^Δ
Science	2.0	3.0	3.0	3.0 [†]	3.0 [†]
American Government	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
Economics and Personal Finance	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
U.S. History	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0
World History/World Geography	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0
PE	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0
Arts/Humanities/CTE	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0
Computer Literacy	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
Health	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
World Language	-0-	-0-	-0-	2.0*	2.0*
Electives	6.0	6.0	6.0	4.0	4.0
Flex Credit	1.0**	0	0	0	0
TOTALS	23.0	24.0	24.0	24.0	24.0
# of Honors Credits				8	8
Required Cumulative GPA		3.25 on a 4.0 scale (no rounding)	3.25 on a 4.0 scale (no rounding)	3.40 on a 4.0 scale (no rounding)	3.40 on a 4.0 scale (no rounding)

Δ Algebra 1; Geometry; Algebra 2 (or their equivalents); plus 1 or more math classes beyond Algebra 2

† Two credits must be in Biology, Chemistry, or Physics

* Two credits in the same world language

** Flex credit must be one full credit of the same course of any one of the following: Level II or above CTE course in one program of study provided the prerequisite course was passed, a 4th year of mathematics Algebra 2 or higher, a 3rd year of science or a 4th year of social studies

⊕ This diploma also requires additional coursework and either a college or career endorsement to earn the diploma (see page 2).

^ Student must have taken the NAA assessment to be eligible for the alternative diploma.

Diploma Options

Additional Requirements

- ▶ The class of 2025 must earn credit in the following courses:
 - *English 3-4
 - *Algebra 1 S1 & S2
 - *Geometry 1-2
- ▶ Students must take the ACT test with writing. They do not need to achieve a minimum score.
- ▶ Must take Civics Exam in Government

College and Career Ready Diploma

College and Career Ready Diploma (CCR)

Students must complete the 24 credit requirements for an Advanced Diploma and demonstrate the following:

Proficiency in speaking not less than 2 languages (Seal of Biliteracy) or having earned not less than 2.0 credits in:

- * Advanced Placement courses; or
- * International Baccalaureate courses; or
- * Dual credit courses or courses completed through dual enrollment; or
- * Career and technical education courses; or
- * Work-based learning; or
- * A world language course

ANY combination of the above areas can be applied

Earn one or both endorsements:

College Ready Endorsement

ACT: 18 ACT English **and** 22 ACT Math; or

SAT: SAT Reading 480 **and** SAT Math 530

Career Ready Endorsement

Score of 50+ or higher on the ASVAB

Score of **Silver** or higher on the **NCRC**

Be a completer of a **CTE** program of study **and** earn the Nevada Skills Certificate

Obtain an industry recognized credential on the **OWINN** list (Nevada Industry-Recognized Credential)



Class of 2025

TIME TO BREAK INTO GROUPS!

Senior Year: Important Information

▶ College Admissions

- ▶ Now is the time to be looking at the colleges you are interested in applying to for admission next fall.
- ▶ www.collegeboard.org is a great resource for exploring colleges throughout the country.
- ▶ Every college has a webpage! Start the search now!

▶ Scholarships

- ▶ Now is the time to begin researching scholarships. The schools you are interested in attending all have financial aid and scholarship webpages.
- ▶ Two resources: www.fastweb.com and www.scholarships.com are great scholarship search engines.
- ▶ Mrs. McRae in the college and career center is a great resource for scholarships – students can stop by and set up an appointment to meet with her. She posts scholarships on the following website <https://www.washoeschools.net/sshscareers>
- ▶ Students should listen to school announcements – many scholarships are publicized this way.

2024 College Fair

The Washoe County School District and Western Association
for College Admissions Counseling present the

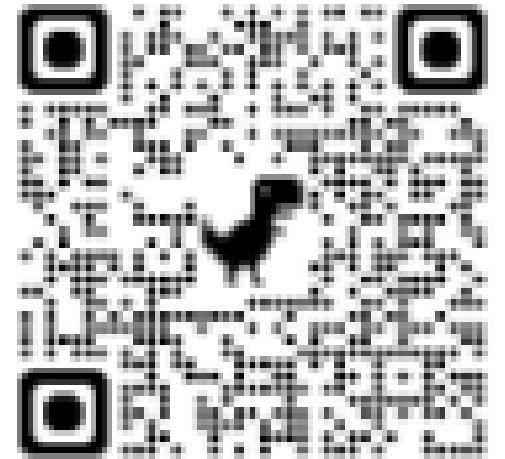
2024 College Fair

Date: 10/20/2024

Time: 11:00am – 2:00pm

Location: Reno Sparks Convention Center

For more information: <https://www.washoeschools.net/collegefair>
If you are planning to attend, you must register for the event
via the QR code or link on the website



Millennium Scholarship

► Eligibility

- You must graduate with a diploma from a Nevada public or private high school in the graduating class of the year 2000 or later;
- You must complete high school with at least a **3.25** grade point average calculated using all high school credit granting courses.
 - The grade point average may be weighted or unweighted;
- You must have been a resident of Nevada, as defined by the Board of Regents' policy (Title 4, Chapter 18, Section 19), for at least two of your high school years.

► High School Courses Units

English 4

Math (including Algebra II) 4

Natural Science 3

Social Science and History 3

TOTAL 14

► HOW IS INITIAL ELIGIBILITY DETERMINED?

- Your school district will submit your name to the State Treasurer's office if you are an eligible Millennium Scholar.
- There is no application form for you to complete.
- You must maintain eligibility!

Visit:

[Guinn Millennium Scholarship Sell Sheet REV Oct.14 \(nvigate.gov\)](#)

Millennium Scholarship

- ▶ Eligibility requirements for students who do not satisfy the minimum grade point average requirements:
 - ▶ **A student who does not satisfy the minimum grade point average requirements is eligible for the Millennium Scholarship if the student:**
 - * Was a member of the graduating class of 2017 or a later graduating class; and,
 - *Receives an enhanced **ACT composite score of 21 or higher** or a combined (reading and math) **SAT score of 1070** and the examination was administered while the student:
 - *Was enrolled in a public or private high school if the student is applying for the Millennium Scholarship
 - *Meets all other eligibility requirements applicable to the student.

Federal Student Aid – FAFSA

<https://studentaid.gov/h/apply-for-aid/fafsa>

- ▶ • **You'll be able to submit the 2025-2026 FAFSA around December 1, 2024.**
- ▶ The 2025-2026 FAFSA will ask for your 2023 tax information.
- ▶ For more information on How to Fill Out the FAFSA and to create the FSA ID visit:
 - ▶ <https://studentaid.gov/apply-for-aid/fafsa/filling-out>
 - ▶ Mrs. McRae has a step-by-step handout in the Career Center
- ▶ FAFSA Nights at SSHS
 - ▶ January 9, 2025, 6:00 – 8:00pm
 - ▶ February 6, 2025, 6:00 – 8:00pm
 - ▶ In College and Career Center
 - ▶ For more information see Mrs. McRae

ACT Test dates 2024 – 2025

<http://www.act.org>

2024-2025 National Test Dates Schedule

Test Date	Regular Registration Deadline Late Fee Applies After This Date	Late Registration Deadline	Photo Upload and Standby Deadline
September 14, 2024	August 9	August 25	September 6
October 26, 2024	September 20	October 7	October 18
December 14, 2024	November 8	November 22	December 6
February 8, 2025	January 3	January 20	January 31
April 5, 2025	February 28	March 16	March 28
June 14, 2025	May 9	May 26	June 6
July 12, 2025*	June 6	June 20	July 4

SAT Test dates 2024 – 2025

www.collegeboard.org



Test Date	Est. Registration Deadline
June 1, 2024	May 16, 2024
August 24, 2024	August 9, 2024
October 5, 2024	September 20, 2024
November 2, 2024	October 18, 2024
December 7, 2024	November 22, 2024
March 8, 2025	February 21, 2025
May 3, 2025	April 18, 2025
June 7, 2025	May 22, 2025



ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

4 years of English

3 years of Math (Algebra 1+)

3 years of Natural Sciences

3 years of Social Sciences

AND

3.0 weighted academic grade point average
in approved course work above

Alternate Admission

22 ACT or 1120 SAT

Advanced Diploma

ADMISSION PROCESS

www.unr.edu/apply
CommonApp



- NO Application Fee
- Official Transcripts
- Immunization Records
- Test Scores (optional)

EARLY ACTION DEADLINE

November 15th





UNWEIGHTED HIGH SCHOOL GPA¹ | ACT COMPOSITE OR SAT

UNWEIGHTED CUMULATIVE GPA	ACT SAT	36 1570	35 1530	34 1490	33 1450	32 1420	31 1390	30 1360	29 1330	28 1300	27 1260	26 1230	25 1200	24 1160	23 1130	22 1100	21 1060	20 1030	19 990	18 960
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¹An unweighted GPA is calculated on a scale ranging from 0 to 4.0 and does not assign additional weight for courses like Honors and Advanced Placement.

PRESIDENTIAL LEVEL
\$8,000
per year for 4 years of undergraduate study.

NEVADA SCHOLARS LEVEL
\$3,000
1 year award.

PACK PRIDE LEVEL
\$2,000
1 year award.

ALPHIE LEVEL
\$1,500
1 year award.

LUNA LEVEL
\$1,000
1 year award.

— OR —
**RECEIVE A
SCHOLARSHIP BASED ON
ONLY YOUR
UNWEIGHTED
HIGH SCHOOL GPA**

GPA	Scholarship	Award
4.0	Nevada Scholars Level	\$3,000
3.8 - 3.99	Pack Pride Level	\$2,000
3.4 - 3.79	Alphie Level	\$1,500
3.2 - 3.39	Luna Level	\$1,000
3.0 - 3.19	Wolfie Level	\$500



Financial Aid

FRESHMEN SCHOLARSHIP

Priority Deadline November 15

Final Deadline February 1

APPLY - TRANSCRIPTS - TEST SCORES

National Merit Scholarship

This prestigious scholarship awards qualifying National Merit Finalists up to

\$16,000

per year for four years of undergraduate study.

NOTIFICATIONS BEGIN IN
DECEMBER

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PACK PROMISE+SM

RECEIVE \$11,000

If you qualify, you'll get at least \$11,000 in gift aid
(grants and scholarships) to help pay for your tuition, fees and books.

Gift aid is financial aid that does not require repayment.

- Nevada resident 
- Pursuing first bachelor's degree at the University of Nevada, Reno
- Full-time student (30 credits per year)
- Submit the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) or Institutional Methodology by April 1.
- Meet eligibility criteria for the Federal Pell Grant program and have an SAI (Student Aid Index) of \$7,000 or less.

Undocumented Nevada residents can be eligible for Pack Promise+ even if not receiving a Federal Pell Grant.



ENGLISH PLACEMENT

Course	ACT English	SAT ERW	AP English and Composition
ENG 100I	Less than 18	Less than 480	N/A
ENG 101/113	18-29	480-659	Less than 3
ENG 102/114	30 or higher	660 or higher	3 or higher

MATH PLACEMENT

Courses	Units	ACT Math	SAT Math	Accuplacer Placement		ALEKS PPL
				QAS*	AAF**	
MATH 120	3	at least 22	at least 530	at least 276	at least 263	at least 46
MATH 120E + MATH 20 ***	3 + 1 = 4	less than 22	less than 530	less than 276	not required	less than 46
MATH 126	3	at least 22	at least 530	at least 276	at least 263	at least 46
MATH 126E + MATH 26B ***	3 + 2 = 5	19-21	510-529	263-275	not required	30-45
MATH 126EE + MATH 26C ***	3 + 3 = 6	less than 19	less than 510	less than 263	not required	less than 30
MATH 127	3	at least 27	at least 630	at least 276	at least 276	at least 61
MATH 128	5	at least 27	at least 630	at least 276	at least 270	50-60
MATH 176	3	at least 27	at least 630	at least 276	at least 276	at least 61
MATH 181	4	at least 28	at least 650	at least 276	at least 285	at least 76
STAT 152	3	at least 22	at least 530	at least 276	at least 263	at least 46

ALTERNATE PLACEMENT

MATH

- Online, adaptive placement assessment
- Comprehensive picture of your strengths and weaknesses across many areas of mathematics
- Consists of 3 parts
 - Initial Placement Assessment
 - Customized Prep and Learning Module
 - 2 Additional Placement Assessments

ALEKS EXAM

ENGLISH

Directed Self-Placement

- Short survey to help decide what writing class is best: ENG 100I, 101, or 113
- No additional fees
- Link available on website

Portfolio Placement for 102

- Submit a collection of writing samples and a cover letter
- \$40 fee
- Link on website

Credit-by-Exam for 102

- To place out of required core writing courses
- \$25 fee; needs approval from admissions and records
- Submit writing samples and a cover letter
- Link on website

Other Options

- Dual Enrollment Courses
- AP Exams

IMPORTANT DATES

AUG 1 Fall Admission Applications available
(unr.edu/apply)

NOV 15 Early Action Admission

NOV 15 Housing Application Opens

DEC 1 FAFSA opens (fafsa.gov)

FEB 1 Application Deadline for scholarships

FEB 1 Priority deadline for on-campus housing

APR 1 FAFSA priority submit date

APR 7 Freshman Admissions Application Deadline

JUNE 1 Last day to participate in Advanced
Registration

DIGITAL WOLF PACK INITIATIVE

*All New Students
Receive an iPad,
Keyboard & Stylus!*



DWPI

Digital Wolf Pack Initiative





The background of the image features three University of Nevada, Reno mascot dogs, which are grey-furred with blue eyes and blue jerseys. They are positioned on a green grass field. A large, semi-transparent blue circle is centered over the image, containing white text. The mascot on the left is looking towards the camera, the one in the center is looking upwards, and the one on the right is looking towards the camera.

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Four Easy Steps to Enroll at TMCC

- Submit an online Application for Admission: apply.tmcc.edu
- Apply for financial aid: studentaid.gov
- Complete New Student Orientation: tmcc.instructure.com
- Enroll in classes and pay tuition: my.tmcc.edu

Nevada Promise Scholarship Application

- Students graduating in the Class of 2025 are eligible to apply
- Application must be submitted by October 31, 2024
 - Attending a Nevada Promise training workshop
 - Submitting the 2025-2026 FAFSA
 - Completing 8 hours of community service
 - Meeting with a Nevada Promise mentor
 - Enrolling in at least 12 credits

Success First Summer Bridge Program

- Students graduating in the Class of 2025 are eligible to apply
- Application opens November 1, 2024: successfirst.tmcc.edu
 - Six-week summer session offering two college classes
 - Free tuition, books, tutoring, mentoring, and lunch
 - Two \$400 scholarships for Fall 2025 and Spring 2026
 - Priority registration during first year of enrollment
 - Success First mentoring program

Test Scores for Math and English Placement

	MATH 120	MATH 124	MATH 126	ENG 101
SAT	500+	19+	530+	480+
ACT	500+	19+	22+	18+
AP	3+	3+	3+	3+
ACCUPLACER	263+	263+	276+ 250+	262+

Alternative Pathways for Placement

MATH 120/MATH 124/MATH 126

3.0+ cumulative, unweighted GPA

and

3.0+ second semester of Algebra II

ENG 101

3.0+ cumulative, unweighted GPA

or

3.0+ average in 12th grade English

or

3.0+ in an AP English class

Support Classes Without Placement

MATH 120 + MATH 20 (5 credits)

MATH 124 + MATH 24 (5 credits)

MATH 126 + MATH 26 (6 credits)

ENG 100 (5 credits)

Meets same requirements as regular classes without support.

Enrollment

Nevada Promise

Summer Bridge

Placement

Contact

Who to Contact for Assistance

FAFSA/Financial Aid	(775) 673-7072	financialaid@tmcc.edu
Nevada Promise Scholarship	(775) 673-8236	nvpromise@tmcc.edu
Transcripts/Transfer Credits	(775) 673-7042	admissions@tmcc.edu
Dual Enrollment	(775) 674-7683	dualcredit@tmcc.edu
New Student Orientation	(775) 673-8236	recruitment@tmcc.edu
Course Recommendations	(775) 674-7901	sjohnson@tmcc.edu

Western Undergraduate Exchange - WUE

<http://www.wiche.edu/wue>

ATTEND COLLEGE IN THE WEST FOR LESS

What is WUE?

The Western Undergraduate Exchange (WUE) is a tuition-savings program that makes attending out-of-state colleges and universities more affordable for students. Through WUE, you receive a reduced tuition rate, giving you more education options for your money. **Virtually all undergraduate degrees are available.**

How does WUE work?

Participating two- and four-year public colleges and universities across the Western U.S. agree to charge out-of-state students no more than 150 percent of the institution's in-state tuition. Tuition savings may vary depending on the college or major.

The bottom line: You save big with WUE and almost always pay less than out-of-state tuition.

How do I get started?

Check your eligibility by home state/territory, college and major through our online **WUE Savings Finder**. Visit wuesavingsfinder.wiche.edu or use the QR code.



Meet the college's WUE admissions requirements and deadlines.

Apply directly to the college(s) of your choice.

Contact the college - it's the best source of information about how you can save money through WUE.



160+
INSTITUTIONS



\$9,700
AVERAGE SAVINGS
PER STUDENT

Questions? Visit wue.wiche.edu.
Or contact us at info-sap@wich.edu
or 303.541.0270.



The “Brag Sheet”

- ▶ The “Brag Sheet” is a form that you’ll fill out in order to help people who are writing letters of recommendation get a better idea of who you are and what you have accomplished as a student.
- ▶ The brag sheet includes your grade point average, honors and AP classes, test scores, academic honors and awards.
- ▶ You may also list volunteer and community service hours, extracurricular activities, work experience, interests, hobbies and talents.
- ▶ Include also obstacles or challenges you have overcome, or personal or academic accomplishments you have achieved.
- ▶ Be honest – don’t overvalue or undervalue your experiences. Your best is good enough!
- ▶ The counseling office has forms for you to use. If you are interested, please stop by. The pdf is also on the counseling website in the Senior Information section.

Resume

Most of you have created a resume in the past. You'll need one for your job searches in the future. It is good to keep one electronically and add to it as your experiences change. This example highlights education, limited work experience, achievements and volunteer experience.

Bethany Butler
321 Hawk Road
Dallas, TX 75235
home: 214.555.2345
cell: 214.486.4567

Education

Hillcrest High School, Dallas, Texas
September 2002 – May 2006

Experience

Buy Stuff Here, Northpark Mall, Dallas, TX
Sales Associate

- Maintain and restock inventory
- Provide customer service
- Operate computerized cash register system
June 2005 – Present

Child Care

- Provide child care for several families after school and on weekends
2002 - Present

Achievements

- National Honor Society - 2004, 2005, 2006
- Tennis Regional Championship team captain - 2006

Volunteer Experience

- Goodwill Thrift Store volunteer
- MS 150 Bike Tour - 2005
- District Essay Contest Finalist - 2006

Interests / Activities

- Member of Hillcrest High School Tennis Team
- Girl Scout
- Yearbook Photographer

Computer Skills

- Proficient with Microsoft Word, Excel, and PowerPoint, and Internet

NCAA Eligibility

- ▶ **ELIGIBILITYCENTER.ORG**

- ▶ If you want to play NCAA sports at an NCAA Division I or II school, you need to register with the NCAA Eligibility Center at <https://web3.ncaa.org/ecwr3/>. The Eligibility Center works with you and your high school to certify your initial eligibility.

- ▶ **CORE COURSES**

- ▶ Not all high school classes are NCAA core courses. Core courses prepare you for a four-year college and are taught at or above your high school's regular academic level. Visit the website listed above, click on "student-athletes" then click on "guide for the college-bound student-athlete" for more information.

Career Exploration

- ▶ Career Inventories are tools designed to help individuals understand their interests, skills, and values in relation to potential career paths.
- ▶ Inventories guide people in making informed decisions about their career path choices and planning.
- ▶ Here are two free career inventory resources -
<https://nv.headed2.com/> and <https://www.mynextmove.org/>

Important Dates to Remember

TMCC Application Workshops @ SSHS

Dates: 9/26/24; 9/27/24; 10/1/24; 10/17/24; 10/18/24; 10/24/24

Time: 9:00am

Location: College & Career Center

UNR Application Workshops @ SSHS

Dates: 9/26/24; 10/15/24; 10/31/24; 11/13/24

Time: 9:00am

Location: College & Career Center

SSHS FAFSA Nights

Thursday, 1/9/25

Thursday, 2/6/25

6:00pm – 8:00 pm

College and Career Center

UNR Nevada Bound Fieldtrip

Friday, November 15, 2024

Spanish Springs at Nevada Bound (unr.edu)

Other Dates

ASVAB Test

November 1, 2024 8am

SSHS Career Fair

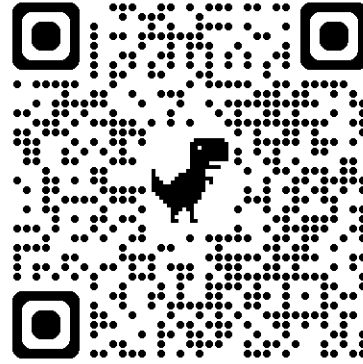
April 8 or 9, 2025

Scholarship and Senior Awards Night

5/21/24 at 6:00pm
SSHS Theater

Graduation – June ?, 2025

Questions???



► See your counselor:

► Mrs. Anderson	A-CHH	Jill.Anderson@washoeschools.net
► Mrs. Goss	CHI-GIN	agoss@washoeschools.net
► Mrs. Cuellar	GHI-KNO	Jewelienne.Cuellar@washoeschools.net
► Mrs. Harris	KNI-NIJ	Niki.Harris@washoeschools.net
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