

Cascade Bruin News

CASCADE HIGH SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



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From the Principal

Dear Cascade Families,

We are thrilled to be close to starting our hybrid in-person option, which will start on Monday, April 19th. Unfortunately, at the time of this writing, many of the details of this return are being worked out at the school and district levels, so please be on the lookout for more information as things get solidified. Here are a few key items that are important for any students returning to our campus to prepare for, as we are asking for your help in keeping everyone safe:

- Please be sure that you have at least two face masks that comfortably fit your face (fully covering nose and mouth/chin) for the school day
- Please be sure to fill out our quarterly attestation form prior to return as well as any other key information
- We will be putting out an informational webinar for the evening of April 12th for all returning students to review safety expectations. More information will be coming.

Right now, due to spring break and our team working to get ready for returning students, our news this month is relatively brief, but as always, the spring tends to be full of events, so be on the lookout more information as this month continues!

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Michael Takayoshi".

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Principal

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April 5-6
Spring Break

April 14
Learning Improvement
Wednesday

April 21
Learning Improvement
Wednesday

April 28
Learning Improvement
Wednesday



Class of 2021

**IT'S TIME TO
PICK-UP
GRAD GEAR**

Wednesday, April 21

3:00 + 5:00 PM

CHS Drive Thru



PIZZA
PARTY

CASCADE HIGH SCHOOL
PRESENTS

PIZZA
PARTY

THE MOD PIZZA FUNDRAISER



**Sunday, April 11th, 2021
10:30 AM-10:00 PM**

7909 Evergreen Way, Everett Washington

**Mod Pizza is Donating 20% of Proceeds made on
April 11th from people coming in from the
Cascade Community to Cascade High School**

**Organizer: Rebecca Richardson
rrichardson@everettsd.org
High School Teacher and Freshman Advisor**

**NOTE! You have to tell when ordering at Mod
Pizza that you are from Cascade, either by
showing a flyer or ASB Card.**



Free Internet Access for Students

Reliable connectivity in remote learning is key and in partnership with the state, Everett Public Schools can connect qualifying families to local internet providers including Comcast/Xfinity, Presidio and Ziplly. [Washington's K-12 Internet Access Program](#) will give to eligible families free internet access to enable student learning during remote learning.

This internet access opportunity will provide you with faster, stronger and more reliable connectivity than hotspots or tethering to mobile devices, which will better support your student. If eligible, your free internet access is available through June 30, 2021. Please send your student to this web address: <https://www.everettsd.org/freeinternet> to check for eligibility!



AVID Classroom Visits

Thursday, March 25th three former Cascade students Makia Manselle, Jaxon Roberts, and Ainsley Jordan participated in a college panel with ALL of AVID 9,10,11, and 12! They answered student questions ranging from what it is like attending college in a pandemic, what the living situations are like, how to manage time...all and all it was a successful conversation! Love when alumni pay it forward! A thank you also goes out to Trish Roberts for helping to set this opportunity up!



SENIORS!!!

[Class of 2021 Senior Timeline](#)

Seniors! Need help with your award?



Need help understanding your financial aid award?



Check your email to see if there is an email from the college letting you know that your award is ready to view.



Check the postal mail at your home to see if you were sent any information about financial aid.



Check the information from the college and read instructions carefully. They may have specific timelines or need additional forms turned in.



If you need help understanding your financial aid award offer, contact Trish Roberts (troberts@everettsd.org) or Mrs. Pewitt (naviance@everettsd.org) to set up an appointment.



Don't delay! Check it today!



Cascade Athletics

Bruins!

We cannot believe fall sports are ending. It has been fun and exciting to see the success and energy from all programs!

But more good news is that spring sports will start on March 30th. Those sports are baseball, softball, boys' soccer, girls' tennis, boys' and girls' track and boys' and girls' golf.

Please complete your eligibility forms now by logging into Rank One sport. Click [here](#) to complete. Also, ensure you have updated physicals. All requirements are due March 24th. Email Ms. Rhonda Covert at rcovert@everettsd.org for questions.

To see our team schedules please click [here](#). This year, students are not required to purchase ASB cards or pay for athletic fees.

COACHES' WEBSITES

Coaches website can be viewed by clicking [here](#).

Thank you,
 Michael Washington – Athletics' Director, mwashington@everettsd.org
 Rhonda Covert- Athletics' Secretary, rcovert@everettsd.org

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HIGH SCHOOL


Class of 2021

Cap & Gown/Announcement Orders

Herff Jones Links

Contact Card: <https://hj-contact-card.herokuapp.com/>
 Senior Meeting Video: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=e9Tz66sw6IE>
 Ordering Links: www.highschool.herffjones.com or
www.nationalachiever.com/classmeeting2021/

Herff Jones Contact: 425-357-1338





JOIN BCP

Are you a parent of a student at Cascade High School?

What does my \$20-\$25 annual membership do?

BCP is a PTO (Parent/Teacher Organization) and all membership dues stay within the organization.

BCP uses dues, donations and fundraising for:

Invest ED, staff/student grant requests,
staff appreciation and most importantly,

The Bruin Community Parents Opportunity Scholarship Award.

Despite distance learning, the needs are still there and the only way BCP can continue to offer our support is through YOUR membership fees and donations.

For more information about BCP,
how to become a member or donate please go to the website or email:
<https://chsbcp1.wixsite.com/website> **OR** chs.bcp@gmail.com



Cascade High Academic Tutorials

C.H.A.T. Room

Get help from students on a variety of subjects including AP and non-AP classes

What is C.H.A.T. room?

C.H.A.T. room is a study group or peer tutoring place that can help you study or get support for subjects that are difficult for you.

Here's how you can join:

Link in Canvas from the Cascade Student Body

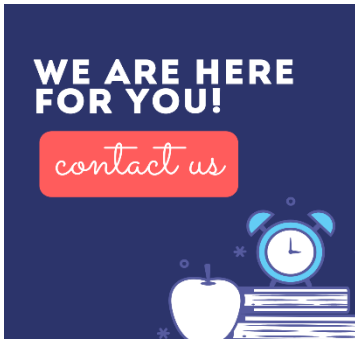
1 The Cascade Student Body has provided a link and password to the join the Zoom call.

2 Click the link, and when you join the Zoom, please introduce yourself, and the subject you plan to work on.

The Three Options:

<p>1</p> <p>Peer Tutoring</p> <p>Work with students that have passed the subject with a B or above, and get help with all aspects of the class.</p>	<p>2</p> <p>Study Group</p> <p>Study with other students who are taking same subject as you, and collaborate on the work.</p>	<p>3</p> <p>Study Time</p> <p>Time for you to study, get organized, work on assignments, and get immediate support if you have any questions.</p>
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Any questions, please contact: Advisor Vasquez - kvasquez@everettsd.org



The Cascade Counseling Office is available to support you during school hours 7 am–2:30 pm. If you would like to speak to your counselor or a counseling support staff member, please let us know. You may email your counselor or counseling support staff directly or you may call the counseling office at 425-385-6010. Please note that Counselors are working remotely. Counselors are available by email.

If your need is urgent, please call Mrs. Mehaffey at 425-385-6010 or email Mrs. Mehaffey at dmehaffey@everettsd.org Mrs Mehaffey will ensure that you receive an immediate response from your counselor or a counseling support staff. If your

urgent need is outside of school hours, please contact the 24 Hour Care Crisis Line (VOA) 425-258-4357 or 911.

Counselors:

Jason Himstedt	A-Co	jhimstedt@everettsd.org	385-6024
Debbie Wade	Cr-Hur	dwade@everettsd.org	385-6021
Raj Kleckley	Hus-Mor	rkleckley@everettsd.org	385-6023
San Le	Mos-San	sle@everettsd.org	385-6022
Kim Taylor	Sao-Z	ktaylor@everettsd.org	385-6025

Support Staff:

Leslie Brent	Student Support Advocate	lbrent2@everettsd.org	385-6017
Stacey Cole	Success Coordinator – OTG	scole@everettsd.org	385-6027
Debbie Mehaffey	Counseling & Discipline Secretary	dmehaffey@everettsd.org	385-6010
Sandra Olson	Intervention Specialist	solson2@everettsd.org	385-6013
Trish Roberts	College & Career Specialist Para	troberts@everettsd.org	385-6030
Kris Vasquez	Academic Support Para	kvasquez@everettsd.org	385-6049

Be safe and stay healthy! We miss you!





[COVID-19 is harming teens' mental health. Parents can help. | Start Talking Now](#)

Lea esta página en Español. The COVID-19 pandemic is having a big impact on our mental health and teens are especially vulnerable. Because their brains are still developing, and they haven't had many life experiences yet, all the emotions they are feeling—sadness, anger, stress, and isolation—are more intense. And research shows that during the COVID-19 pandemic, teens are the

starttalkingnow.org

DECA Competition

In January six CHS DECA students completed in the first ever Area 2 DECA Virtual Competition. Here are the winners from that competition.

- Genya Kolisnyk - 6th Place - Start-up Business Plan (wrote a 10-page business plan and presented the plan to a judge)
- Jonas Leibold - 7th Place - Innovation Plan (wrote a 10-page business plan and presented the plan to a judge)
- Alina Ngo - 4th Place - Professional Selling (took a 100-questions marketing test and presented a sales pitch to a judge)
- Aditya Anand- 6th Place - Business Services (took a 100-questions marketing test and presented a role play business scenario to a judge)
- Brianna Serna - 7th Place - Quick Serve (took a 100-questions marketing test and presented a role play business scenario to a judge)

Placing at the AREA Conference qualified these students for the 2021 STATE CAREER DEVELOPMENT CONFERENCE





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online!**



**TINYURL.COM/
BRUINGEAR**





Everett Public Schools is hiring paraeducators

We are hiring Paraeducators! Great benefits, competitive wages, professional development with summers and school breaks off! Interested?

Please apply online at: <https://www.applitrack.com/everettsd/onlineapp/>

Schools are located in Everett, Mill Creek and Bothell, Washington.



Kindergarten registration happening now

During school building closure, you can complete enrollment forms for kindergarten [online](#)! A [step-by-step parent walkthrough video](#) is also available as a resource.



New for fall, 2021 is the dual-language Spanish immersion program at Emerson Elementary School. Families with children entering kindergarten will have the option to choose the dual language strand. This program gives elementary students an opportunity to complete the Everett Public Schools curriculum in a nontraditional and exciting way by immersing them in Spanish language and culture from kindergarten through twelfth grade. Students in the program will become proficient in both Spanish and English while learning the same

curriculum content as their peers outside the program.

Priority will be given to students within the Emerson Elementary School attendance area. If a high number of students apply, a lottery will be conducted to select students. If the class is not filled from those in the Emerson attendance area, an additional lottery from beyond the school attendance area will be conducted.

If you have questions, please email the Early Learning Department at EarlyLearning@everettsd.org. Thank you!

Easy access with district app

Download and log into the district app to access your student's info quickly and easily. See top stories, Parent University, Canvas, books checked out from the library, and find the staff directory, school websites, calendars and more.

The free mobile app is available in the iTunes® and Google Play® app stores. Search for "Everett Public Schools."

Once you've downloaded the app, log in to "student info" with your LMS password to see student-specific information for each of your children. Read content in one of many languages available in the settings.



School Quality Survey update

Last month, we sent information about our School Quality Survey. The timeline for the survey was postponed and we apologize for any confusion. We will be conducting our annual survey later this spring. Please stay tuned and we will send updated timeline information as soon as possible.



Let's Connect - May

You are invited to connect with district leaders and engage in conversation on Monday, May 3 from 5 – 6 p.m. about how remote learning is going and to get feedback on how we can do better. We want to hear from you and hope you can attend a Zoom meeting to share your thoughts. Please check your email for an invitation to connect with your school's regional superintendent and other district leaders. Be sure to check your email, RSVP required to receive the link for the meeting. Let's Connect!



Thank you, volunteers!

April 19-23 is Public Schools Volunteer Appreciation Week, which provides a yearly opportunity for schools and families to honor and highlight the powerful contributions parents and caregivers provide at school and home to support student success. Although this school year has not allowed for in-person volunteering, we are grateful for the support our school community volunteers have given in other ways to support student success. We look forward to the days we can welcome volunteers back in our schools to read with students, support playground supervision, chaperone field trips and provide support to teachers in the classroom and more! Your help matters. Thank you so much.



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• **Everett Public Schools does not discriminate in any programs or activities on the basis of sex, race, creed, religion, color, national origin, age, veteran or military status, sexual orientation, gender expression or identity, disability, or the use of a trained dog guide or service animal and provides equal access to the Boy Scouts and other designated youth groups. The following employees have been designated to handle questions and complaints of alleged discrimination:**

• **Title IX/Civil Rights**

• **Compliance Officer:**

• Mary O'Brien
• 425-385-4106
• MO'brien@everettsd.org
• PO Box 2098
• Everett, WA 98213

• **Section 504 Coordinator:**

• Dave Peters
• 425-385-4063
• DPeters@everettsd.org
• PO Box 2098
• Everett, WA 98213

• **ADA Coordinator:**

• Randi Seaberg
• 425-385-4104
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Escuelas Públicas de Everett contrata Paraeducadores

¡Estamos contratando Paraeducadores! ¡Grandes prestaciones, salarios competitivos, desarrollo profesional con descansos el verano y días asuetos escolares! ¿Está interesado o interesada?

Por favor aplique en línea en: <https://www.applitrack.com/everetsd/onlineapp/>

Las escuelas están localizadas en Everett, Mill Creek y Bothell, Washington.



Inscripciones ya abiertas para el Kínder

Durante el cierre de los planteles escolares, usted puede llenar sus formularios de inscripción [en línea!](#) Contamos con [un video paso a paso para los padres](#) como un recurso de ayuda.



Nuevo para el otoño del 2021 tenemos en programa de inmersión dual en Español en la Escuela Primaria Emerson. Las familias con niños ingresando al Kínder tendrán la opción de escoger la ruta educativa con lenguaje dual. Este programa le da a los alumnos de primaria la oportunidad de completar el plan de estudios de las escuelas públicas de Everett de una manera no tradicional, emocionante en inmersiva al idioma español y a su cultura desde el Kínder hasta el 12^{vo} grado. Los alumnos en este programa aprenden a dominar el español y el

inglés al mismo tiempo que aprenden el mismo contenido del plan de estudios que sus compañeros que cursan afuera de este programa.

Se le está dando prioridad a los alumnos que viven en la zona escolar de asistencia de la Escuela Primaria Emerson. Si llegamos a tener un gran número de alumnos aplicando, se realizará una lotería para seleccionar a los alumnos. Si la clase no se llena con alumnos de la zona escolar de Emerson, se hará una lotería adicional más allá de esta zona.

Si tiene preguntas, por favor envíe un email al departamento de Desarrollo Temprano del Aprendizaje a EarlyLearning@everetsd.org. ¡Gracias!

Fácil acceso usando la aplicación del Distrito

Descargue e ingrese usando la aplicación del distrito para acceder a la información de su estudiante rápida y fácilmente. Vea las historias más destacadas, la Universidad para Padres, Canvas, libros que han sacado de la biblioteca, y consulte directorios del personal escolar, sitios web escolares, calendarios y más.

La app móvil es gratis y está disponible en iTunes® and Google Play® app stores. Busque “Everett Public Schools.”

Una vez que la descargue, ingrese a “student info” usando su contraseña de LMS para ver la información estudiantil de cada uno de sus hijos. El contenido está disponible en varios idiomas a través de los ajustes (settings).

Actualización de la encuesta escolar

El mes pasado, le enviamos información sobre la Encuesta de Calidad Escolar. El tiempo para hacer la encuesta se ha pospuesto, por lo que le pedimos una disculpa por la confusión.

Realizaremos nuestra encuesta anual a finales de esta primavera. Manténgase al pendiente de recibir la información actualizada de las fechas que mandaremos lo más pronto posible.





Conectémonos - Mayo

Está invitado a conectarse con los líderes del distrito y participar en una conversación el lunes 3 de mayo de 5-6pm acerca del progreso en el aprendizaje remoto y para recibir sus comentarios y opiniones de cómo hacer las cosas mejor. Queremos oír de ustedes y esperamos que pueda asistir a esta junta por Zoom para que comparta sus opiniones. Por favor esté pendiente en su email de recibir la invitación para conectarse con su superintendente escolar regional y otros líderes del distrito. Revise su email y confirme su asistencia (RSVP) para poder recibir la liga a esta junta. ¡Conectémonos!



¡Gracias voluntarios!

La semana del 19-23 de abril es la semana de apreciación a los voluntarios de las escuelas públicas que ofrece una oportunidad anual para que las escuelas y las familias honren y destaquen las poderosas contribuciones que los padres y encargados del cuidado proveen a las escuelas y a sus hogares para brindar apoyo al éxito de los estudiantes. Aunque en este año escolar no se tiene permitido el voluntariado en persona, estamos muy agradecidos por el apoyo que nuestros voluntarios de la comunidad escolar han dado en distintas maneras para apoyar el éxito de los estudiantes. Esperamos con emoción llegar a los días en que podamos recibir de vuelta a los voluntarios en las escuelas para que lean con los estudiantes, soporten la supervisión en las áreas de juegos, sirvan de chaperones en las excursiones y den apoyo a los maestros en los salones de clases, ¡y mucho más! Su ayuda vale. Muchas gracias.



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Las escuelas públicas de Everett no discriminan en ninguno de sus programas o actividades por sexo, raza, credo, religión, color, país de origen, edad, estado veterano o militar, orientación sexual, expresión de género o identidad, discapacidad, o el uso de perros guía entrenados o animales de servicio, y provee con acceso equitativo a los Boy Scouts y a otros grupos juveniles designados. Los siguientes empleados han sido designados para gestionar las preguntas y quejas de presuntos actos de discriminación.

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