

Richland Junior High

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September 16-20

Mrs. Garcia Interim Principal

In life, NO ONE and NOTHING will help you until you start helping YOURSELF

Good Morning everyone! Lots of learning occurring on campus. Please make sure to continue to do your best.

To succeed in junior high you need to do four things; Get organized, manage your time, study properly, and develop good character. These skills will serve you well throughout life and are important to learn. The only difference between who you are and what you want to be in the future is what you actually do today. Keep up your spirits and study with great determination. Have a wonderful week.

Remember to demonstrate your Trojan Pride:

Trojan PRIDE Expectations							
Richland Junior High School is committed to empowering the academic and social emotional growth of all students.							
	Classrooms Activity Center	Hallways, Sidewalks	Cafeteria	Bus	Yard	Bathrooms	Offices Library
Productivity <i>Be accountable</i>	- Complete all classwork and homework - Follow directions the first time - Stay focused and on task	- Line up in a straight, quiet line outside of classrooms	- Have I.D. cards ready to be scanned - Have food choices already made	- Stay seated - Keep seat belts buckled - Use quiet voices	- Keep hands and feet to self - Throw your own trash away	-Wait patiently -Go, flush, wash	- Come with work to work on - Sit quietly
Respect <i>Treat yourself and others with kindness and empathy</i>	- Treat others the way you want to be treated - Follow directions of staff members - Encourage and support one another	- Walk on sidewalks and in hallways	- Use polite language to cafeteria staff - Keep voices quiet	- Keep hands, feet, objects to yourself - Use appropriate language	- Use appropriate, respectful language - Address yard staff by appropriate name	-Respect people's privacy -Use good hygiene	- Wait until you are addressed to speak - Use polite language - Address staff by appropriate title
Integrity <i>Be responsible, honest, and loyal</i>	- Be honest and trustworthy - Take responsibility for your own actions - Do your own work	- If you see trash, pick it up	- Throw away all of your trash - Keep food on your tray	- Be polite and courteous - Keep bus clean of litter - Leave food and drinks in backpack	- Report anyone that is not playing safely - If you see trash, pick it up	-Report suspicious behavior - Use supplies appropriately	- Sit up straight - Remove hoods
Dedication <i>Work hard and persevere</i>	- Work hard every day - Persevere	- Go to destination quickly and quietly - Have a pass	- Keep hands and feet to yourself	- Report problems to bus driver - Keep aisles clear	- Run in designated areas ONLY	-Preserve clean environment -Respect school property	- Stay in designated student area
Excellence <i>Deliver personal best</i>	- Do your best work - Ask questions if you need help - Have a positive attitude	- Be courteous to classes that are in session	- Line up outside of cafeteria in a straight and quiet line	- Respect bus driver's directions	- Walk in a straight line from the yard to the cafeteria - Be responsible for your own actions	-Take two minutes max -Return to class as soon as possible	- Do what you are told the first time it is asked - Take responsibility for your own actions

The volleyball season is starting soon. Please make sure to support your Volleyball team and come out to the games.

Congratulations to our RJH Students. Kiwanis honors students that were thoughtful. Jenna Garcia 7th grade student and Ariana Sandoval 7th grade. Pictured with Jenna is her mother Erika Lopez and Principal Frances Garcia.



College Readiness:



As you get ready to transition over to high school, I want to introduce you to some colleges. California State College Bakersfield is located here in Bakersfield. If you don't want to go away for college, this is a great University to consider.

Former names

California State College, Bakersfield (1965–82)

Motto: Inspiring Excellence, Transforming Lives

Type: Public state university

Website: www.csub.edu

Academic staff: 662 (including Lecturers)

Students: 10,493 (between both Bakersfield and CSUB,

AV campus

Undergraduates: 9,196

Postgraduates: 1,297

Location: Bakersfield, California, United States

Colors: Blue and Gold

Athletics: NCAA Division I – WAC

Nickname: Roadrunners



Reminders to Students:

Please continue to be safe as your walking through the parking lot. You are to use all crosswalks and approved pathways. Do not walk through cars. Cars traveling through the parking lot will not see you.

The average weight of a car is 4,079 lbs. The average weight of an RJH student is 90-105 lbs. Do the math!. Who is at a disadvantage and who will be hurt?

Organizing School Work and Assignments

- **DO know your deadlines.**
- **DO make a calendar of stages and final due dates.**
- **DO include social events on this calendar for time management.**
- **DO understand the assignment and expectations.**
- **DO give yourself a quiet place to study with all the materials you need.**
- **DO give yourself brief breaks.**
- **DON'T put work off until the last minute; you'll be too frantic to focus.**
- **DON'T do your homework late at night or in bed.**
- **DON'T let yourself be bored. Find the aspect of the project or paper that interests you. If you're dying of boredom, something's not right**

Note: It's important to come to school every day and on time.

Justin Sargeant

Asst. Principal

TROJAN P.R.I.D.E.

ATTENTION! Our first Trojan PRIDE assembly is this month - September 27th! I'm looking forward to seeing all of the PRODUCTIVE students getting awards!

Also, PRIDE TICKETS are coming... continue to show Trojan PRIDE and earn PRIDE TICKETS for raffles for anything from food prizes, drink prizes, and RJH SWAG!

Reminder to students:

Remember to always wear your lanyards. We have had multiple incidents this year already where students were in distress and we had no way to identify them. It may not seem cool, but it truly is for your safety. If you have not received a lanyard from the school please see any of the office staff.

Patti Hiebert

Library

We are beginning our lessons in the library. This is Week A, seventh grade ELA classes will be coming to the library.

We have so many new books! I have been getting boxes of books ready to go on our shelves here in the library. Come check them out!

(literally, check them out)

Last week 174 books were checked out from our JH library!

This number is just from students coming in on their own time, no classes came in.