

GOLDEN WEST HIGH SCHOOL

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- **Winter Formal is right around the corner! February 12th from 8:00pm - 11:00pm. Portraits begin at 6pm.** Tickets will be fifteen dollars and we will be selling them February 7th - 11th at lunch, before school, and after school. Tickets will not be available before school on the seventh. Ticket sales are final. Students participating in the event will be required to complete a COVID 19 test with a negative result to participate. All VUSD students will have access to our COVID cottages for rapid testing on site.
- **TODAY, January 28th is the last chance that parents have to guarantee a yearbook that is personalized with name and icons. Make sure to go online to jostens.com to place your order.**
- **Parents, are you interested in creating a recognition ad for your Senior to be displayed in our GWHS yearbook?** You will need to go to jostens.com before the deadline of February 10, 2022 at 10:00pm to purchase and create the ad. Have fun creating!
- **Seniors - Updated Grad Nite ticket sales info!** Tickets will go on sale Monday Feb. 7, 2022 at the front office. Sales will begin no earlier than 7:30 am and end at 8:59 am. You must have a completed permission slip (all pages!) and student ID to purchase your ticket. Tickets are \$240 for Park Hopper, private party at Disney's California Adventure, and transportation. Cash or check will be accepted. You must be with your group of friends to purchase tickets if you want to be on the same bus. Permission slips are available in the attendance office or P-36.
- **Valentine's Day Rose Sale: Want to send a token of love and friendship this Valentine's Day? Want to send something to your significant other? Want to remind your friends how much you care for them? The Golden West Horticulture Department is having a Valentine's Day Rose Sale that starts on Monday Jan. 24 and goes until Friday Feb. 4.** You can scan the QR codes that are placed around campus or in your Schoology class! Fill out the form and stop by Ag-3 to make your payment before school, after school or during lunch!
- **Kiss A Cow: This year we are bringing back Kiss A Cow!** Kiss A Cow is a charity fundraiser that the FFA does every year and the whole campus can participate! Teachers and staff that are wanting to participate will receive a jar to place on their desk. Students and staff can add coins (quarters, pennies, dimes, nickels) to the jar of their choice! At the end of the fundraiser, the TOP 3 Staff members with most money raised will have to KISS A COW during lunch on February 25th! Kiss A Cow runs from Jan 31 until Feb 18.
- Golden West VAPA assembly is back and we are looking for our most talented Trailblazers to share their talents with the school. If you'd like to audition an act to be performed at our school's talent show/VAPA assembly on April 29th please use the QR code below to register for an audition time on Tuesday March 1st or Wednesday March 2nd. Please see or email Ms. Cullum (scullum@vusd.org) with any questions.

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COUNSELING

- Hello Golden West Trailblazers! **The Lions Club International is once again hosting their annual speech contest.** This year, the topic is, "How Can Kindness Reunite our Country?" This is open to all high school students and you could win up to \$21,000. The deadline to submit your interest form is **February 2, 2022**. All forms must be submitted to Miss Rubio. Please see your counselor for more information.
- The GW counseling department wants to give you information about scholarships!
Please sign up for scholarship text reminds by texting @gwscholar2 to 81010. This will give you text notifications about scholarships throughout the school year.
- As our department is notified about scholarships, we post those on our website. There aren't many active scholarships up right now but more will post in the coming months. Please check them regularly for updates. They can be found here: <https://ca02205931.schoolwires.net/Page/12375>
- Transcript Request? Use this link [Official Transcript Request \(google.com\)](https://www.google.com) to request your **OFFICIAL** transcript. Unofficial transcripts can be requested by emailing Mrs. Lopez at Jlopez08@vusd.org

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XL PROGRAM

- **XL Program: Golden West XL Program offering before and after school services for all students!** Students can come by the XL office after school every day for snack and water – we are located in L-20 right next to the library. Golden West XL also has programs available such as AM Tutorial, PM Tutorial, Math Tutorial, Chemistry Tutorial, EL Tutoring, and Leadership. Come by the XL meet our staff and ask us about our services!
- **Personal Finance & Math with Mr. Gutierrez in P-15 on Monday & Wednesday 3:30-5:30**
- Students will be able to receive extra academic assistance in their Personal Finance coursework and Math 2 concepts. Mr. Gutierrez will be able help you understand class material, assist in completing homework, and study for exam, test, and finals.
- **Math RTI with Mr. Lopez in P-14 on Tuesday (3:30-5:30) & Wednesday, Thursday (3:30-4:30)**
- Students will be able to receive extra support in understanding Math 1, Math 2 , and Math 3 lessons. Mr. Lopez can assist you reviewing math lessons, completing homework, and reviewing for test/exams.
- **Law & Justice with Mr. Gluckmann in FS 4 Tuesday & Thursday from 3:30-5:30**
- **Chemistry Tutorial with Mr. Elsharkawy on Tuesday 3:30-5:30** Students will receive extra support in understanding Chemistry concepts & material , improve study habits, prepare for quizzes and tests.

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- Hello from the Golden West 3D Art program! Student work is represented at the Tulare County Department of Education Virtual Art Show again this year. Please visit the [link](#) below for an opportunity to see what art students are creating independently and collaboratively in the 3D art classroom. Congratulate the "Best in Show" winners that you know!

Exhibition Details

Dates: December 1, 2021 – February 28, 2022

Location: TCOE Virtual Gallery www.tcoe.org/artgallery

Best of Show: Artwork selected for best of show will be on display virtually March 1 – 31, 2022.

ATHLETICS

- Track has started. Please report to the track at 3:35pm. You must be cleared. See Mrs. Marquez with questions.
- For all interested in **Men's Golf**, practice began on Jan 18th at Valley Oak GC starting at 3:45pm. If you have questions email coach Lantrip at rlantrip@vusd.us.
- Swim and dive has started if you are interested come out to the pool at 3:30 pm. Everyone is welcome even if you haven't swam competitively before.

Additional Student Info

- **Tardiness and cutting classes are a serious concern on campus.** Students with FOUR or more tardies in a school week will be subject to lunch detention and revocation of off-campus privileges. If students continue to be habitually tardy to classes and when returning from lunch off-campus, they will be subject to a loss of off-campus privileges for up to an entire marking period. Please do your best to be ON TIME TO EVERY CLASS and engaged in learning the entire period.
- **Effective immediately: Students who do not have an ID card will not be allowed off campus for lunch.** Schedules and ID numbers will no longer be sufficient. If a student has not taken their picture to get an ID or needs a replacement, they may see Mrs. Martinez for a new ID card, which may be subject to a \$5 fee.
- Did you love SCICON? Are you looking for community service hours? SCICON is looking for MALE counselors for the week of February 28-March 3rd You must be a Junior or Senior and have a 2.0 GPA or higher to attend. Applications can be picked up in the office from Mrs. Martinez before school, during lunch or after school. You must have a 2.0 GPA or higher to attend.

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