

GOLDEN WEST HIGH SCHOOL

HOME OF THE TRAILBLAZERS

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1. **Graduation will be here before you know it! Have you ordered your student's cap & gown yet? The deadline to order your cap & gown to be included in the senior cap & gown delivery event at school in April is February 26th. Orders placed after this deadline will not be delivered to the school until the third week in May. Orders can be placed at Jostens.com or by visiting Jostens showroom located at 1222 W Murray Ave. in Visalia. Due to scheduled school visits, their hours vary so it's always best to call 627-4375 to check their hours before going. Hours for the week are updated each Monday. Please contact Jostens with any questions. 559-627-4375 or darrell.shaw@jostens.com**

2. **Senior and parents of seniors!** The FAFSA is the Free Application for Federal Student Aid and is required by the state of California to be completed by all graduating seniors. Seniors who do not complete it by 3/22 will have senior privileges revoked, including off campus lunch privileges.

We will hold a parent night on 2/26 to help families complete this application. There are also virtual workshops being held by Fresno State (ANYONE can attend these...not just prospective Fresno State students). Please see the attached flyers and be sure to attend!

3. **Students and Staff:** We have begun requiring students to scan their ID when using the restroom. Please make sure you have your ID and classroom pass when going to use the restroom. **A friendly reminder that students must have their student IDs on them at all times on campus, especially when entering school in the morning, when leaving and returning from lunch, and for attending school events. Students who never received a 2023-2024 ID card or who have lost their 2023-2024 ID card should go to the office to order their new one. IDs are no longer printed on site and are now printed at the district print shop so there is a delay in getting the new ID cards, so order ASAP. Please see Mrs. Cutler, Mrs. Jasmin, or Mrs. Jacuinde for more information. ID cards are unable to be ordered during lunch but Mrs. Jacuinde is available in the finance office to process the payment. Temporary student IDs will only be printed by Mrs. Jasmine in the front office before or after school.**

4. **Join your Class Remind**

Text your class code to @ 81010

12th grade, Class of 2024 - **gwclass24**

10th grade, Class of 2026 - **gwclass26**

11th grade Class of 2025 - **gwclass25**

9th grade Class of 2027 - **gwclass27**

5. *Check out the newly updated calendar of events for our XL Program every month. (a copy of the calendar is attached)*