

August, 2009

Dear Valley High School Parents/Guardians and Students:

It is with incredible pride I announce that Valley High School has met all goals required by the ***No Child Left Behind*** legislation and, thus, has made **AYP** for the second consecutive year. Our students have far exceeded expectation and Valley is the first school in district to be designated “High Achieving-Exemplary Turnaround” by the State of Nevada. This is a tremendous accomplishment for our entire school community.

Our goal for the 2009-2010 school year is to continue this proven tradition of high achievement. Through supportive parents, hard-working students and a dedicated staff, we know that Valley High School will continue to be a place where all students realize their academic potential. Parents, we welcome you as our partners in continued success. We encourage you to use ***Parent Link***, an online grading and attendance communication tool, to monitor your child’s progress. Parent Link can be accessed through our website at **Valleyvikings.net**. We look forward to meeting you at *Open House*, on October 6th at 6:30 p.m., when you will have the opportunity to meet your student’s teachers, and become familiar with course expectations.

The first day of school is Monday, August 24, 2009. Enclosed you will find registration forms that must be submitted to the Homeroom teacher on August 24th, where students are to report no later than 8:00 a.m. Students will report to the room assigned by their last name (see reverse). **Magnet students will report to their Early Bird class, no later than 7:55 a.m.**, as follows: **9th/10th MYP report to 254; 11th/12th IB report to rm 200 (Little Theatre) all H & T report to the New Theatre.** Magnets students will be dismissed to their Homeroom class at 7:55 a.m. Student schedules will be distributed during Homeroom. Students will be required to attend all classes, as this is a full school day. The cafeteria will be open to serve breakfast and lunch. It is imperative that students report to school on the first day, and maintain consistent attendance.

Due to extensive planning during the pre-registration process, it is important to note that class schedule changes will not be considered unless the current class schedule does not accommodate graduation requirements or does not consider summer school credit recovery. Please emphasize this with your student.

On behalf of Valley High School, I welcome you to the 2009-2010 school year. We are honored to be entrusted with your child’s education. As I tell them everyday, we know they are smart and they are the best!

Sincerely, Ron Montoya Principal	School starts August 24 th at 7:55 a.m. – all students report to homeroom (see reverse). □ Magnet students (Early Bird): 9 th /10 th MYP report to room 254; 11 th /12 th IB report to room 200 (Little Theatre); H & T report to the New Theatre. □ Homeroom assignments are on the reverse. □
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