

# Weld County School District Six High School Gifted and Talented Program

#### **GT PARENT NEWSLETTER – DECEMBER 2020**

## Dear Families,

I imagine this is already on everyone's radar, but we only have two weeks left in this quarter. *Please reach out to your child's teacher or counselor, to me, or to anyone else at Central to let us know if your child needs additional support in successfully finishing up the semester.* 

I hope your December has gotten off to a good start. Please let me know if you are needing anything.

Happy Holidays!

~Amy

### **PARENT RESOURCES**

## Today's GT Table Talk

If you attended today's Table Talk on GT High School Pathways and did not have an opportunity to complete the survey, we would so appreciate it if you would take a few minutes to do that. We value the feedback, and it helps us plan for future Table Talks. You can fill out the survey here: https://forms.gle/VVsNVWNoHW1c3q7g8

I will send the link to the video of todays' Table Talk as soon as it is converted for those of you who still want to watch it. Our next Table Talk will take place in February, so watch for information on this after the first of the year.

## **Growing Up Gifted: Generation Z**

The North Central Gifted Education Department is hosting Mark Hess on Wednesday, December 9, from 6:15 to 7:00 p.m. His presentation on "Growing Up Gifted and Generation Z: Safe Spaces" is free to families of gifted learners. See the attached flyer for more information!

## **STUDENT OPPORTUNITIES**

## Concurrent Enrollment

If you are planning on taking a concurrent enrollment class through Aims or UNC starting in January and have not already completed the paperwork for this, you need to contact your counselor by the end of the day tomorrow, Friday, December 4. You can schedule an appointment with them here:

https://www.greeleyschools.org/domain/953

#### Young Chautauqua

If your child is interested in participating in Young Chautauqua this year, please have them contact me as soon as possible. While they are tentatively planning to hold the event in person in May, until then all prep will be handled remotely.

For additional information, see the links below:

Welcome Parent Letter YC parent letter

Theme 2021 Theme

Links to YouTube videos of YC at Centennial Village and overview of Chautauqua:

- 1. What is High Plains Chautauqua? <a href="https://youtu.be/q66rRSWrBrE">https://youtu.be/q66rRSWrBrE</a>
- 2. Students Bring History to Life at Centennial Village https://youtu.be/aFNwVOdgBB0

#### CAGT Legislative Day

Registration is open for the Colorado Association for Gifted and Talented's (CAGT's) Legislative Day. The event will be held virtually this year on Thursday, February 18. The application deadline is January 15, 2021 at 5:00 p.m.

This is an opportunity for students in grades 9-12 to interact with state legislators, listen to various speakers, and attend breakout sessions in order to learn more about how Colorado's government works.

You can find more information here: <a href="https://www.coloradogifted.org/events/legislative-day/#:~:text=CAGT's%2021st%20Legislative%20Day%20was,Thursday%2C%20February%2020th%2C%202020.">https://www.coloradogifted.org/events/legislative-day/#:~:text=CAGT's%2021st%20Legislative%20Day%20was,Thursday%2C%20February%2020th%2C%202020.</a>

## **Senior Packet Distribution**

Jostens will be distributing senior packets in the northwest student parking lot on Wednesday, December 9, from 12:00-3:00 p.m. Click here for more information:

https://www.greeleyschools.org/site/Default.aspx?PageID=50&DomainID=28#calendar27/20201209/event/1 56954

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#### DID YOU KNOW ...?

There are a variety of resources, including a list of scholarship opportunities on the Greeley Central Counseling Office website.

- Go to www.central.greeleyschools.org.
- · Click on the Counseling tab on the header.
- Scroll toward the bottom of the page

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