



Entiat
School
District

Tiger Tales

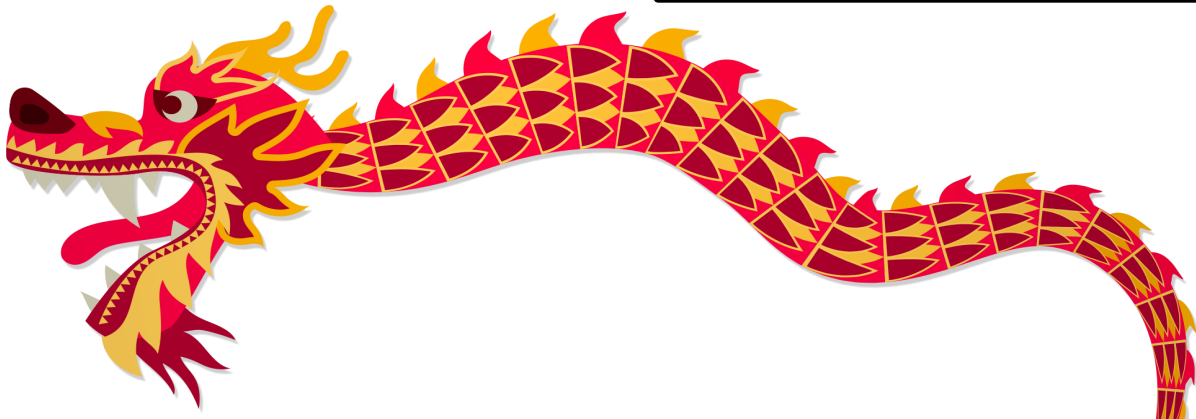
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Chinese New Year



KINDER - RICE

Kane Garibay

Cora Martin

KINDER - ARRAS

Natalie Deenik

Matias Resendiz Cortes

1ST - KIRKPATRICK

Benjamin Bloomberg

Alondra Torres

1ST - RIDER

Keyla Garcia-Ferrera

Edwin Medina

Thomas Olmos

2ND - JAMES

Kenna Cox

Addilyn Valle

2ND - JOHNSON

Stowik Wheeler

Integrity

3RD - DEENIK

Gael Medrano

Kimberly Mendoza

3RD - MITCHELL

Alejandro Soriano

Neveah Heredia

4TH - DEATHERAGE

Joaquin Delgado

Juan Valle

5TH - EDWARDS

Ivy Garcia-Olmos

Jack Cannon

5TH - TEWELL

Jaxson Wilson

Marjorie Ramirez



Awards

100



Days

A portrait of Dr. David A. Clark, a man with dark hair, glasses, and a goatee, wearing a dark suit, white shirt, and a striped tie. He is smiling against a dark, mottled background.

The roles that our bus drivers, custodians, kitchen staff, secretaries, district office personnel, counselors, administrators, paraprofessionals, coaches, teachers, etc. have on our team in the success of your child cannot be understated. We certainly welcome and need you parents on our team. Teamwork is at the core of our school theme: Again, thank you for trusting your child to Entiat Schools and being part of the “Tiger Team.”

BETTER TOGETHER: One Team; One Vision; One Community

Greg Whitmore
Superintendent

"It's Great to be a Tiger!"

The mission of the Entiat School District is to provide all students with the necessary knowledge, skills, and attitudes to be productive and responsible citizens.

Queridas familias y miembros de la comunidad de Entiat,

¡GRACIAS, VOTANTES! El Impuesto de Mantenimiento y Operaciones (EP&O) de Reemplazo de 4 años del Distrito Escolar de Entiat ha sido aprobado y proporciona a nuestra escuela cierta estabilidad financiera para los próximos 4 años. Sus dólares de impuestos representan aproximadamente el 10% de nuestro presupuesto y pagan por programas y servicios en nuestra escuela que el estado no financia completamente. Estos incluyen seguridad, tecnología, el programa atlético y personal de apoyo adicional. Como contribuyente del Distrito Escolar de Entiat, sé que los impuestos escolares constituyen una parte significativa de nuestra carga impositiva general. Si usted es propietario, ya sea que haya votado sí, no o no haya votado, mi compromiso con usted es que haremos nuestro mejor esfuerzo para ser buenos administradores de su inversión en nuestras escuelas.

Como he dicho repetidamente, creo firmemente que la escuela es el corazón y el alma de nuestra comunidad. Todos somos mejores cuando trabajamos juntos y nos apoyamos mutuamente. Agradecemos sinceramente el continuo apoyo proporcionado al Distrito Escolar de Entiat por los miembros de la comunidad y nunca daremos por sentado su apoyo.

Una experiencia verdaderamente positiva para su hijo es algo que todos queremos (personal y padres) y para que esto suceda, todos necesitamos trabajar juntos como un equipo.

Los roles que nuestros conductores de autobuses, conserjes, personal de cocina, secretarias, personal de la oficina del distrito, consejeros, administradores, asistentes de enseñanza, entrenadores, maestros, etc. tienen en nuestro equipo en el éxito de su hijo no pueden subestimarse. Ciertamente, necesitamos y les damos la bienvenida a los padres en nuestro equipo. El trabajo en equipo está en el centro del tema nuestro escuela.

MEJOR JUNTOS: Un equipo; Una visión; Una comunidad

Greg Whitmore
Superintendente

"¡Es genial ser un Tigre!"

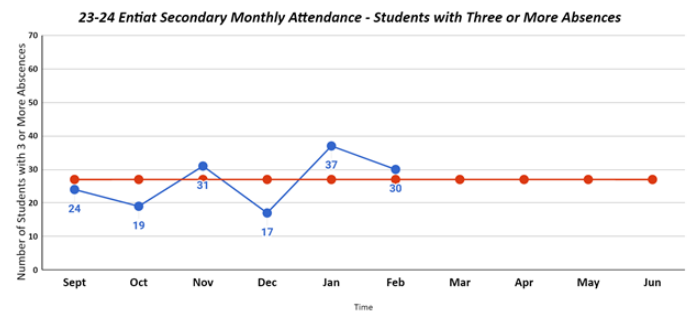
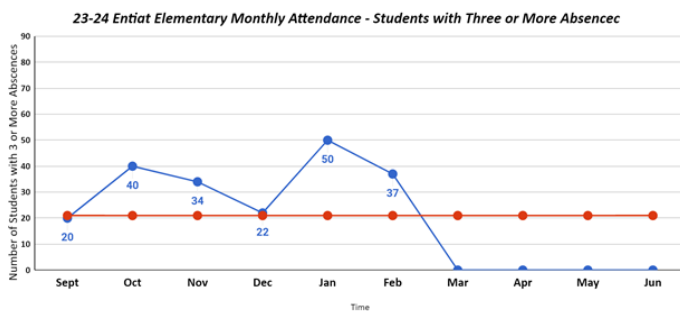
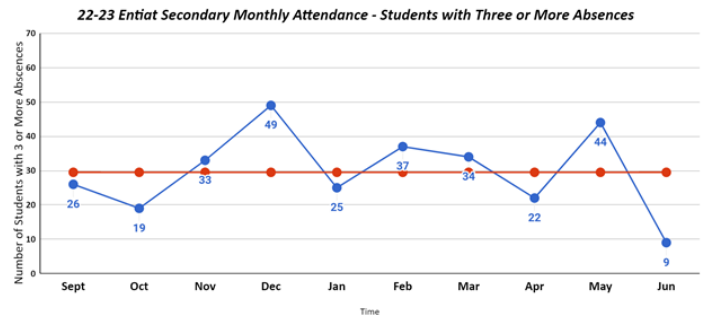
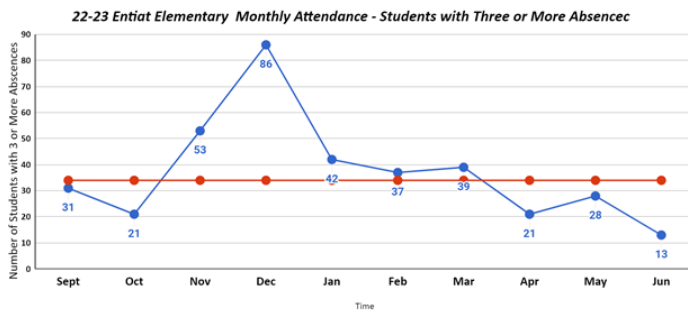
La misión del Distrito Escolar de Entiat es proporcionar a todos los estudiantes los conocimientos, habilidades y actitudes necesarios para ser ciudadanos productivos y responsables.

Hello Entiat Families and Community Members,

Welcome to March! It is crazy to think it is almost Spring and the start of the 3rd Trimester!! I wanted to take a moment to address a crucial topic - student attendance. At Paul Rumburg Elementary and Entiat Middle/High School, we understand the profound impact that regular attendance has on academic success and overall well-being. Below, you will find graphs depicting the attendance rates at our schools for the last two academic years (provided by Educational Service District #171). These graphs provide a clear picture of the attendance trends, improvements we've made, and areas of needed growth.



Attendance Matters



NOTE: 23-24 Data as of 2/23/24

It's important to emphasize that consistent attendance is not just about fulfilling a requirement; it directly correlates with academic achievement, another critical focus on our district. Students who attend class regularly have the opportunity to fully engage with the curriculum, participate in discussions, and build meaningful relationships with teachers and peers. On the other hand, chronic absenteeism can significantly hinder a student's progress and may lead to learning gaps that are difficult to overcome. As partners in your child's education, we encourage you to join us in addressing absenteeism and promoting a culture of attendance. This is especially important as we start to exit cold and flu season. Here are some ideas on how we can work together to improve attendance:

- **Establish a routine.** Help your student establish a consistent daily routine that includes sufficient sleep, healthy meals, and designated study time.
- **Communicate openly.** If your child is experiencing challenges that may affect their attendance, such as a health issue (ie., anxiety, depression, other) or transportation barriers, please reach out to us. We're here to support you and your child.
- **Set goals.** Work with your child to set attendance goals for the remainder of the school year. Celebrate milestones and accomplishments along the way to keep them motivated.
- **Emphasize the importance of education.** Have conversations with your child about the value of education and how regular attendance contributes to long-term success.
- **Prioritize being on time.** Demonstrate the importance of attendance by being punctual and try to schedule appointments during non-school hours.

For more attendance ideas and support, please refer to attendanceworks.org

Here at school we are working to identify ways to promote regular attendance and punctual arrival to classes, that will include classroom competitions and individual recognition. We will share more on this in April.

Please remember to call our Attendance Secretary, Irma Verduzco, when your child is out ill. She can be reached through the attendance line at 509-784-1800, press #1 to leave a message. This will help us ensure when your student is sick that they are marked excused each day. By working together to address absenteeism (excused and unexcused absences), we can create an environment where every student has the opportunity to thrive academically and personally.

We also look forward to seeing you very soon at Parent-Teacher Conferences (March 5th – 7th) where we showcase your child's success. Thank you for your continued support and partnership.

Warm Regards,

Tracie Husted

Principal

When Do Absences Become a Problem?



Note: These numbers assume a 180-day school year.

Image Courtesy of: Attendanceworks.org

Child Find

Child Find is a federal program available through public schools that is designed to locate and evaluate children, age birth through age 21, who may have a disability that hinders educational development. Entiat School District offers this free screening to children who live within the district's boundaries, including home schooled and private school students. If your family is living in a temporary situation, you may contact the Entiat School District for an appointment for a screenings.

Children may qualify for special education and related health services if they have delays in speech, language, fine motor, gross motor, behavior skills, and/or learning, or if their learning is impacted by vision, hearing and mobility limitations.

If your family is living in a temporary situation, you may contact the district where you are currently staying for a screening.

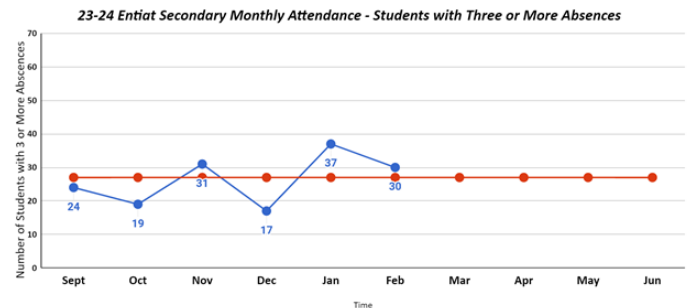
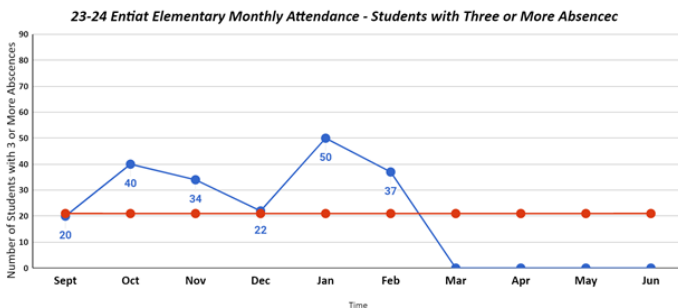
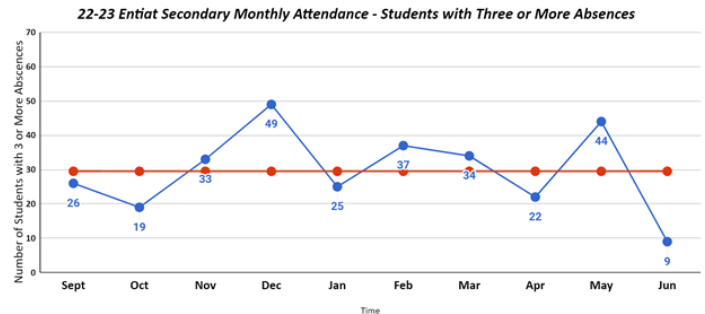
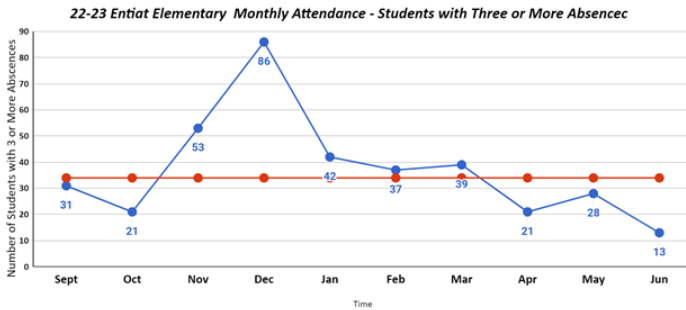
Please contact Elementary Secretary Marilyn Kamphaus at 784.1800 (Opt. 2) to schedule a Child Find screening appointment by Wednesday, March 6.



Hola Familias de Entiat y Miembros de la Comunidad,

¡Bienvenidos a marzo! ¡Es increíble pensar que casi es primavera y el comienzo del tercer trimestre! Quería tomar un momento para abordar un tema crucial: la asistencia estudiantil. En la Escuela Primaria Paul Rumburg y la Escuela Secundaria/Preparatoria de Entiat, entendemos el profundo impacto que tiene la asistencia regular en el éxito académico y el bienestar general. A continuación, encontrarán gráficos que muestran las tasas de asistencia en nuestras escuelas durante los últimos dos años académicos (proporcionados por el Distrito de Servicios Educativos #171). Estos gráficos ofrecen una imagen clara de las tendencias de asistencia, las mejoras que hemos logrado y las áreas que necesitan crecimiento.

La Asistencia Importa



NOTA: Datos del 23-24 hasta el 23/02/24

Es importante enfatizar que la asistencia regular no se trata solo de cumplir un requisito; se correlaciona directamente con el logro académico, otro enfoque crítico en nuestro distrito. Los estudiantes que asisten regularmente a clases tienen la oportunidad de participar plenamente en el plan de estudios, participar en discusiones y establecer relaciones significativas con maestros y compañeros. Por otro lado, el absentismo crónico puede obstaculizar significativamente el progreso del estudiante y puede generar brechas de aprendizaje difíciles de superar. Como socios en la educación de su hijo, los alentamos a unirse a nosotros para abordar el absentismo y promover una cultura de asistencia. Esto es especialmente importante a medida que comenzamos a salir de la temporada de resfriados y gripe. Aquí hay algunas ideas sobre cómo podemos trabajar juntos para mejorar la asistencia:

- Establecer una rutina. Ayude a su estudiante a establecer una rutina diaria consistente que incluya suficiente descanso, comidas saludables y tiempo de estudio designado.
- Comunicarse abiertamente. Si su hijo está experimentando desafíos que puedan afectar su asistencia, como un problema de salud (por ejemplo, ansiedad, depresión, otros) o barreras de transporte, comuníquese con nosotros. Estamos aquí para apoyarlo a usted y a su hijo.
- Establecer metas. Trabaje con su hijo para establecer metas de asistencia para el resto del año escolar. Celebre hitos y logros en el camino para mantenerlos motivados.
- Enfatizar la importancia de la educación. Tenga conversaciones con su hijo sobre el valor de la educación y cómo la asistencia regular contribuye al éxito a largo plazo.
- Priorizar la puntualidad. Demuestre la importancia de la asistencia siendo puntual y trate de programar citas fuera del horario escolar.

Para obtener más ideas y apoyo sobre la asistencia, consulte attendanceworks.org

Helping Youth in Crisis: Call the Youth Mobile Crisis Response Team at **(509) 662-7105**

If you or a youth in your care:

- feel alone...
- feel like no one cares...
- feel that every day is a battle to get through...
- feel stress and pressure are overwhelming...
- feel like it's just too much...

The Catholic Charities' Youth Mobile Crisis Response Team can help you find hope. We are here for you, no matter what you're going through.



Whatever you're going through, we'll go through it with you.

Contact us for rapid, in-person support during difficult situations, no matter how big or small the problem feels. Our behavior specialists work to help young people learn to manage overwhelming emotions and move toward a better future.



Hope is a phone call away!

(509) 662-7105

Everyday, 8am-8pm.

Or call 9-8-8 if you need help outside of these times.

Trained responders are ready to come support you wherever you are for whatever you need. You don't have to go through this alone.

Visit CCHopeForYouth.org for more information.



**Catholic
Charities**

SERVING CENTRAL WASHINGTON

Ayudando a jóvenes en crisis: Llama al Equipo Móvil de Respuesta a Crisis para Jóvenes al **(509) 662-7105**

Si usted o un joven en su cuidado:

- se siente solo...
- siente que a nadie le importa...
- siente que cada día es una batalla...
- siente que el estrés y la presión es inmenso...
- siente que la vida es demasiado...

El Equipo Móvil de Respuesta a Crisis para Jóvenes de Catholic Charities puede ayudarle a encontrar esperanza. Estamos aquí para usted, no importa por lo que esté pasando.



Sea lo que sea por lo que esté pasando, lo pasaremos con usted.

Comuníquese con nosotros para obtener apoyo rápido y en persona durante situaciones difíciles, sin importar que grande o pequeño parezca el problema. Nuestros especialistas en comportamiento trabajan para ayudar a los jóvenes a aprender a manejar las emociones abrumadoras y avanzar hacia un futuro mejor.



¡La esperanza está a una llamada de distancia!

(509) 662-7105

Cada día, 8am-8pm.

O llama al 9-8-8 si necesitas ayuda fuera de este horario.

Respondedores entrenados están listos para venir a apoyar usted donde quiera que esté para lo que necesites. No tienes que pasar por esto solo.

Visite EsperanzaParaJovenes.org para aprender más.



Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Breakfast Info: MS/HS: Breakfast of cereal, fruit and milk is served daily 7:45-8:20am. Muffins, yogurt, cinnamon toast, oatmeal, yogurt parfait will be served Monday-Friday respectively. Elementary: Will be offered breakfast in the classroom at 8:20 am. A choice of plain, or chocolate milk is served with each meal.				1. Hamburger Oven Fries Coleslaw Oranges(K-5) Juice
4. Pizza Green Beans(K-3) Green Salad(4-12) Peaches	5. Sloppy Joe Mixed Veggies or Peas Pears Apple Crisp	6. Toasted Cheese Sandwich Tomato Soup (6-12) Carrots & Celery Mixed Fruit		8. NO School
11. Burrito Cheese Nacho(9-12) Green Beans(K-3) Green Salad(4-12) Peaches	12. Macaroni & Cheese Dinner Roll Green Beans & Peas Strawberries Or Applesauce Cup White Cake	13. Tuna Or PB&J Sandwich Cheesy Potato Soup (6-12) Carrots & Celery Mixed Fruit	14. Super Nachos Cabbage Salsa & Red Salsa Refried Beans Corn Applesauce	15. Chicken Pattie Sandwich Tater Tots Baked Beans Oranges Juice(K-5)
18. Chicken Nuggets Garlic Cheese Bread W/Marinara Sauce Corn(K-3) Green Salad(4-12) Peaches	19. Beef Teriyaki Nuggets Dinner Roll Steamed Rice Mixed Veggies & Peas Pineapple	20. Ham Sandwich Cheesy Potato Soup (6-12) Carrots & Celery Pears	21. Turkey Gravy Dinner Roll Mashed Potatoes Cottage Cheese Fruit Salad Spice Cake	22. Hamburger Oven Fries Coleslaw Oranges(K-5) Juice
25. Spaghetti French Bread Mixed Veggies & Peas Peaches	26. Chicken Fajita Corn Refried Beans Pears Chocolate Chip Cookie	27. Turkey Sandwich Cheesy Potato Soup (6-12) Carrots & Celery Mixed Fruit	28. Chili Cheese Cup Cornbread Coleslaw & Honey Carrots Applesauce	29. Chicken Pattie Sandwich Tater Tots Baked Beans Oranges Juice (K-5)



FOOD BANK DATE & TIMES 2084 Entiat Way

- * March 9th & 23rd (9:00am-11:00am)
- * April 6th & 20th (9:00am-11:00am)
- * May 4th & 18th (9:00am-11:00am)

Entiat Valley Community Services

We need clean plastic bags for the Food Bank. Please leave them at the back door on the porch of the Center.

Remember: High School Students can earn volunteer hours at the Food Bank

Please call 509-888-3999 or come on Food Bank days at 8:30 with a parent or guardian.

The parent or guardian needs to sign paperwork and then can leave.

There are other projects that you can do here also.

If you have any questions, please call **509-888-3999** and leave a clear message with your phone number.

Entiat Senior Center
1920 Entiat Way
Contact (509) 888-0952

Hot Lunch:

Mon & Thurs at 11:30 am \$4.00 - Ages 60+ / \$8.00 - Under 60 Please call before Friday if attending the Hot Lunch.

Casino Day:

2nd Tuesday of the month. Call 509-888-0952 before Friday the week before to let them know you are coming and for more info.

Bingo Night:

Thursday nights from 5pm-7pm. Don't need to call ahead, just come, and have fun.

SEE Something SAY Something

Vector Solutions is a reporting system for our students, teachers, parents, and community members to report bullying, intimidation, harassment, weapons, drugs, or other important information to the Administration Team. Submitted reports go to all members of the Administrative Team to investigate. Vector Solutions can be found on the main page on the Entiat School District Website (www.entiatchools.org) and reporters can choose to identify themselves or remain anonymous. If you SEE something, SAY something. It is our priority to ensure a safe learning environment for all our students.



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
NOTE: Athletic events are revised often. Please see our Athletics website at www.entiatschools.org for the most current information, about games, locations, and times.					1.	2.
3.	4.	5.	6.	7.MSVB Pateros Entiat 5:00 PM	8.	9.
10.	11.	12.MSVB Entiat 5:00 PM	13.Tennis Tonasket 4:00 PM MSVB CCA @ Wenatchee 5:00 PM	14.	15.HSTrack Windbrker Invitational @ Mattawa 3:30 PM	16.Tennis Lake Roosevelt (NL) @ Entiat 4:00 PM
17.	18.MSVB Easton/Mansfield Entiat 5:00 PM	19.	20.MSVB River Academy Wenatchee 5:00 PM	21.MSVB Pateros 5:00 PM	22. Tennis Liberty Bell (NL) 4:00 PM	23.HS Track Ray Cross Invitational Ephrata 10:20AM Tennis Soap Lake (NL) Entiat 11:00 AM
24.	25.Tennis Oroville (NL) Entiat 4:00 PM	26.	27.Tennis Okanogan 4:00 PM	28.HSTrack Eastmont JV Invitational Eastmont 3:30 PM	29.	30.
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Reading Tip:

Read Out Loud During Commercials

Mute the TV during commercials and have your child read out loud to you. It's a fun way to have your child practice reading and it's not so overwhelming because there are breaks.

Happy Reading!!!



The district is in need of **substitute bus drivers, substitute maintenance works, and substitute paraeducators**. If you are interested, please stop by the District Office and see Britney Quezada.

Parents,

Please be aware to only use chargers from the district to charge Chromebooks. Do not use any standard USB-C charger you have at home, as they can overload the charging ports on the Chromebook, or fry the batteries. If your student needs an approved Chromebook charger, please contact Heather Long.

