



# Tevis



# Junior High School

**Student & Parent Orientations  
2023 -2024**

What it means to be a...

# TEVIS RANGER

**Tevis Jr. High**  
***Home of the***



We're working together  
Fostering an environment for  
Student Success  
and a Positive School Culture

# Tevis Our Vision Statement

**We're all in this together:**  
*Caring, Connecting and Committing to  
growth inspiring hope and success for all.*



# T-E-V-I-S

**T** Talent  
**E** Energy  
**V** Vision  
**I** Independence  
**S** Service



## Tevis Rangers !

**Come on a tour of our campus!**

**Fast Forward 2x  
on the YouTube settings!**



# Administration & Counseling

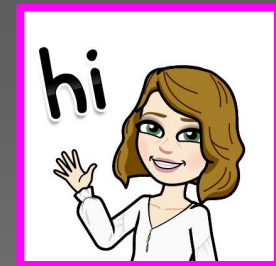
Principal – Mr. Coon



Vice Principal – Mr. Calley



Counselor – Mrs. Riebesell



Intervention Counselor – Miss Tadros



# Support Personnel

**Academic Coach** – Mrs. Feters

**Campus Supervisor** - Mr. Davis

**Campus Supervisor** - Mr. Patterson

**Behavior Intervention Aide** - Miss Sanders

**Secretary** - Mrs. Wilson

**Clerk** - Mrs. Romero

**Clerk** – Mrs. Looney

**Librarian** – Mrs. Grimaldi

**Head Custodian** - Mrs. Parry

**Kitchen Manager** - Ms. Stayton

# **Tevlis Junior High Parent Club**

## Past Activities & Accomplishments

- ★ Library Books
- ★ Popcornopolis & Color Blast
- ★ School Improvement Projects
  - *Library Tables & Chairs*
  - *Drinking Fountain Upgrades*
- ★ Teacher Appreciation
  - *Classroom Supplies & Luncheons*

# Life in Junior High...

- ★ 8 Periods – 6 Different Teachers
- ★ PE Class that *Requests Dressing Out*
- ★ PE Lockers
- ★ Lunch – Hot Lunch 1 & Salad Bar 2
- ★ Student Store
- ★ Academic and Athletic Competitions
- ★ Courses of Interest Classes

PE Shirts \$ 10  
PE Shorts \$ 10  
Planner \$ 0 = \$ 20 Total

# Extra-Curricular Activities

- ★ Band, Orchestra & Chorus
- ★ Honor Music Festivals
- ★ Parades & Color Guard
- ★ Oral Language
- ★ STEM Olympics
- ★ Mathcounts & Math Field Day
- ★ Henry Greve Speech Competition
- ★ After School Athletic Programs
  - *Volleyball, Basketball, & Track*
- ★ Service Projects
- ★ Student Council



# Early-Out Wednesdays

## Tevis Intervention Time & PLC

**Wednesdays are** dedicated to providing additional learning time to enhance, enrich, and empower **ALL** students to experience higher academic growth.

Our goals to accomplish this successfully include the following:

- ★ To provide extra support to students struggling in an academic area.
- ★ To provide additional learning time to catch up on missing assignments.
- ★ To make-up tests or assessments due to absences.
- ★ To retake tests to improve a failing grade or show mastery in a subject area.
- ★ To provide a quiet and structured place for students to focus on homework.
- ★ To require students to read an academically appropriate chapter book.
- ★ To promote our Accelerated Reader program with incentives/prizes\*

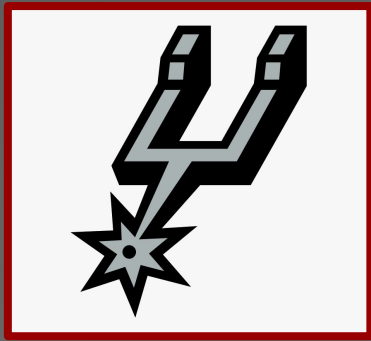
# Role of a Junior High Vice Principal

- ★ Support Students
- ★ Positive Recognition
- ★ School Safety
- ★ Coordinate Classified Staff
- ★ Handbook/Policies & Procedures
- ★ Transportation
- ★ Student Responsibility/Transition to High School
- ★ Discipline Investigations & Due Process
- ★ Student Council
- ★ Student Store



**Be That Ranger!**

# Positive Behavior Interventions & Support



- ★ Safe
- ★ Productive
- ★ United
- ★ Respectful
- ★ Selfless



# General Points of Concern

1. Horseplay
2. Drama
3. Cell Phones/Social Media
4. Vaping *using electronic devices*
5. Dress Code
6. Gum
7. Public Displays of Affection (PDA)
8. Tardies

*Make sure you know what is in the Tevis Student/Parent Handbook regarding potential consequences for disciplinary actions.*

# Cell Phones

Yes, you are allowed to have a cell phone on campus, but it must be **“Off & Away!”**

It must be turned completely **OFF**  
(Powered Down all the way, not just on Silent...)

& **AWAY** (inside a purse or backpack) at **ALL** times.  
*(Any time you are inside the gates of Tevis Jr. High School)*

If you have an emergency or need to talk to a parent you **MUST** use the **SCHOOL PHONE!**

*Use of cell phones for texting and/or cheating will result in disciplinary consequences and confiscation of the phone if we hear or see it outside of student's purses or backpacks, including the outline of a cell phone that is being kept in a pocket or Chromebook case.*

These guidelines can be found in the student/parent handbook

# Chromebook Expectations



\$350 - \$400 Replacement Cost

- ★ No food or drinks next to your Chromebook.
- ★ Carefully close. Earbuds and pencils cause screens to crack.
- ★ Insert cords and cables carefully. Never transport with anything plugged in.
- ★ Transport closed and in case.
- ★ No writing, drawing or stickers.
- ★ Must have all barcodes and original name tag on them at all times. No alterations.
- ★ Must never be left on the yard/courts or any unsupervised area.

# SCHOOL CULTURE CELEBRATING SUCCESS

- ★ Ranger Connections
- ★ Honor Roll & Principal List Celebrations
- ★ Quarterly All-Student Talks
- ★ Ranger Day Celebrations
- ★ Kindness Challenges (*SPURS Cards*)
- ★ Student Council Noon Time Activities
- ★ CREW (*Creating Relationships in Exceptional Ways*)
- ★ Community Service Projects
- ★ School Spirit

# Role of a Junior High Counselor

- ★ Provides Support
- ★ Assists with IEPs, 504 Plans, and Parent Teacher Conferences
- ★ Facilitates Testing
- ★ Crisis Intervention and Prevention
- ★ Retention and Promotion
- ★ Responsible for Student Schedules
- ★ Monitors At-Risk Students
- ★ Promotes a Positive School Culture and Climate

# Jr. High Students

## ★ Social Issues

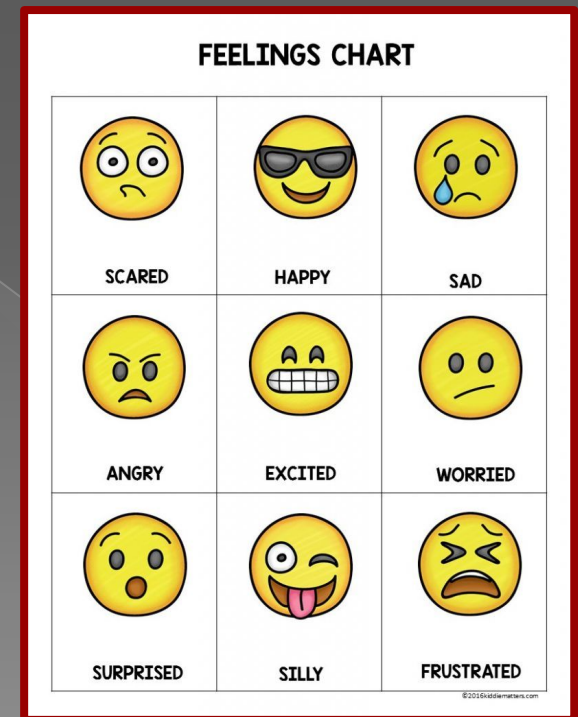
Friends, Classes, Peer Pressure, & Respect for Self and Others...

## ★ Emotional Issues

Anxiety, family issues, stress...

## ★ Academic Issues

Schedules, Test Scores, & Grades...



# Typical Ranger Schedule

<u>Per.</u>	<u>Subject</u>
1	Math**
2	ELA**
3	History**
4	Science**
5	Lunch
6	Course of Interest (C.O.I.)
7	ELA Support or Enrichment
8	PE



\*\*CORE

# Typical Ranger Schedule

## Schedule Information

Per	Term	Section ID	Course	Teacher	Room
Spring					
1	YR	130	8050 - SCIENCE 8	Hamm, Alison K.	P-4
2	YR	233	8040 - PHYSICAL EDUCATION	Oni, Cassandra L.	31-J
3	YR	343	8030 - HISTORY 8	Garcia Otero, Valeria E.	14-E
4	YR	423	8001 - LANGUAGE ARTS 8A	Dixon, Marianne E.	11-D
5	YR	526	8019-A - MATH 8 A	Amos, Deanna D.	9-D
6	YR	08L	8000 - LUNCH	Riebesell, Kelli A.	0
7	YR	723	4027 - LITERATURE ENRICHMENT	Dixon, Marianne E.	11-D
8	YR	855	4000 - ART	Hahn, Sarah M.	27-H

# Courses of Interest (C.O.I.)

- ★ Symphonic Band\*
- ★ Concert Band\*
- ★ Jazz Band\*
- ★ Orchestra
- ★ Chorus
- ★ College & Career Lab
- ★ Exploring Art
- ★ Art
- ★ Teacher Assistant\*\*
- ★ Office Runner\*\*

- ★ Wood Shop
- ★ Science/Tech Enrichment
- ★ Sports Officiating\*\*

## INTERVENTIONS

- ★ Study Skills
- ★ Language (ELA #2)
- ★ After School Tutoring

\*Must have experience

\*\*8th Grade only

# Tevis Ranger Band & Color Guard

We want you!!



# 7<sup>th</sup> Grade

## Courses of Interest Form

- ★ Band and/or Orchestra Students
- ★ Sixth Grade Music Teacher Signature
- ★ Type of musical instrument
- ★ Three Courses of Interest Choice
- ★ 1<sup>st</sup> Choice: Band, or Orchestra
- ★ Zero Period Not Available for 7<sup>th</sup> Grade
  - *(Unless you're in Band & Orchestra)*

# Role of an Intervention Counselor

- ★ Provides Support
- ★ Facilitates Programs for English Learners
- ★ Monitors At-Risk Students
- ★ Assists with I.E.P.s
- ★ Responsible for Student Schedules
- ★ Retention and Promotion
- ★ Crisis Intervention and Prevention
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# 5 Keys to Ranger Success

1. Supplies – be sure your student has binder, paper, pencils, etc
2. Planners – need to be completed everyday
3. Monitor Assignments – have your child show you the assignments from the assignment book
4. Check Grades Online –  
[https://ca-pbvusd.edupoint.com/PXP2\\_Login.aspx](https://ca-pbvusd.edupoint.com/PXP2_Login.aspx)
5. Grade Check Wednesdays
6. Contact Teacher via ParentSquare, email or phone

# Students Packets

1. Welcome Letter
2. Emergency Card
3. User Agreement Form
4. Parent Club Membership
5. Course Catalog
  - › Fill out Courses of Interest [Google Form online](https://www.pbvUSD.k12.ca.us) at [www.pbvUSD.k12.ca.us](https://www.pbvUSD.k12.ca.us)
6. TDAP Immunizations Notification
  - › Provide proof of immunization to our office
7. District Calendar 23 - 24



# Enrollment/Emergency Card

- ★ Must be Completed by Parents or Guardians
- ★ Emergency Contact and Student Pick-up Information
- ★ Medication and Health Issues or (NONE)
- ★ Please Complete Both Sides of Card
- ★ Sign the Card and Return with Parent Club information to office. *(Do Online C.O.I.)*

# IMMUNIZATION

All incoming 7<sup>th</sup> grade students must have a Whooping Cough Booster (Tdap)

ALL STUDENTS MUST HAVE SHOTS COMPLETED, NO EXCEPTIONS!

*Get ASAP and Return to Tevis Office*



# Important Fall 2023 Dates

★ Friday, August 11<sup>th</sup> 7<sup>th</sup> Grade Tours

★ *(Tentative 9:00 AM – Noon)*

*Student Schedules can be picked up, PE clothes purchased \$20*

★ **Wednesday, August 16<sup>th</sup>: Instruction Begins**

★ Wednesday, August 30<sup>th</sup>:

Back to School Night

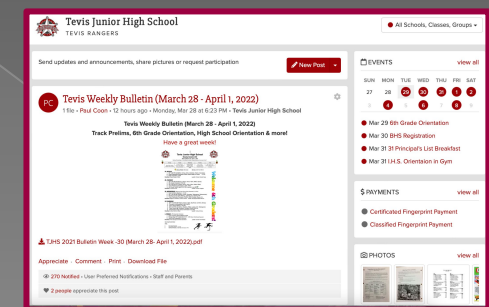
★ Thanksgiving Break: Nov. 20<sup>th</sup> - 24<sup>th</sup>

# Useful Resources

- [www.pbvUSD.k12.ca.us](http://www.pbvUSD.k12.ca.us)
  - Check Grades
  - District Information



- ParentSquare (Most effective & efficient!)
  - Weekly Bulletin/Calendar
  - Direct Messages
  - Flyers & Files



*Follow Us on Twitter! @TevisJuniorHigh*

# We are looking forward to next year!



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inspiring hope & success for all!

# It's time to tour the campus !

## Tour Procedures:

- ★ Boys first - 1/2 out back door & 1/2 out the front doors!
- ★ We'll be dividing into about 4 - 5 groups of 20
- ★ Be extra quiet; Classes are in sessions
- ★ Be kind to your tour guide - *You may be doing this next year!*
- ★ No touching or hugging friends or siblings
- ★ Once finished, you'll be meeting back on the lawn in the Quad
- ★ Remind your parents about tonight's 6 PM Orientation.
- ★ (Parents Only - as you see we are limited to seating available)