

HEIGHTS CHRISTIAN SCHOOLS

Ramona Campus



FEBRUARY 2025

THE BIG FIVE: CRITICAL THINKERS

The second of our Big Five Learning Results is: **Critical Thinkers**. In our own words, we say, "Solve problems!" It is our goal and desire to train young people to carry out problem solving skills from a distinctively Christian worldview (Philippians 4:6-9). In all academic areas, we purpose to give them lots of opportunities to investigate beyond the obvious, differentiate between fact and opinion, use book knowledge to solve problems creatively and think critically in real-life situations. Using their noses to identify mystery smells (kindergarten science), estimating how many seeds are in a pumpkin (2nd grade math), brainstorming strategies of saying "NO" to drugs (Red Ribbon Week, all grades), and thinking beyond the obvious and gaining a greater understanding of the circumstances that impacted life in the early colonies (5th grade, social studies) are just a few great examples of our classroom teachers providing your children with a challenging, coherent and relevant curriculum that results in student achievement of the Big 5 Learning Results!

Tell a Friend!

Heights Christian Ramona Campus registration will be open to new families beginning Monday, February 17!

School Hours: K-5th, 8:15 AM - 3:00 PM
6th-8th, 8:00 AM - 3:00 PM
Office Hours: 7:30 AM - 5:00 PM
Daycare Hours: 6:30 AM - 6:00 PM



NEW Continuous Enrollment Process!

Here at Heights we believe once you're part of the family, you are always apart of our family! To simplify the enrollment process, all returning students will be automatically enrolled into the next upcoming school year.

**If you would not like to be automatically enrolled, please opt-out by February 15.*

IMPORTANT DATES

- 2/6 K For a Day" - Preschool Visit Day
- 2/10 Teacher In-Service: No School; **Daycare Available**
- 2/11 "TK For a Day" - Preschool Visit Day
- 2/11-14 ... Parent Appreciation Week
- 2/14 Valentine's Day Celebrations
- 2/15 **Last day to opt-out of continuous enrollment for the 25/26 school year**
- 2/17 Enrollment Begins for New Families
- 2/17 Presidents' Day; Campus Closed, **No Daycare Available**
- 2/24 Quarter 3 Progress Cards Emailed Home
- 2/28 Spirit Day: Disney Day

PARENT APPRECIATION WEEK

The week of February 11 through February 14 is Parent Appreciation Week. While we appreciate all that you do every day, during this week, we want to recognize it even more. [Watch for more details coming soon!](#)

Quarter 3 Progress Reports

Quarter 3 Progress Reports will be emailed home Monday, February 24. If you have any question about your child's progress, please contact your child's teacher.

President's Day

In observance of Presidents' Day, school will be closed on Monday, February 17. Daycare will not be available.

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PRINCIPAL SUTTON'S CORNER

As we enter the month of February, often referred to as the month of love, I want to take a moment to reflect on what the

Bible teaches about love and how we can incorporate these teachings into our daily lives.

One of the most well-known passages on love is found in **1 Corinthians 13:4-8**:

"Love is patient, love is kind. It does not envy, it does not boast, it is not proud. It does not dishonor others, it is not self-seeking, it is not easily angered, it keeps no record of wrongs. Love does not delight in evil but rejoices with the truth. It always protects, always trusts, always hopes, always perseveres. Love never fails."

These words serve as a guide for us as we strive to demonstrate love in our interactions with others. Love is not merely a feeling, but an action—one that requires patience, kindness, humility, forgiveness, and generosity. It calls us to put others before ourselves, to extend grace and understanding, and to seek reconciliation rather than harboring resentment.

At **Heights Christian School**, we aim to cultivate an environment where love is not only taught but also practiced. We encourage our students to be like Jesus by showing love and respect to their peers and teachers and by treating others as they would like to be treated. This also includes **the gift of giving**—whether it's giving our time, encouragement, acts of service, or tangible support to those in need. Giving is a powerful expression of love that reflects the heart of Christ. Our giving was demonstrated by the students raising enough money to buy over 25 wheelchairs during Missions Week for Free Wheelchair **Missions**.

As parents, I invite you to join us in reinforcing these teachings at home. Encourage your child to be kind and compassionate, to serve others with a generous heart, and to extend the love of Christ to everyone around them. Emphasize the importance of forgiveness, understanding, and selflessness, and model these behaviors in your own interactions.

Let's use this month of love as an opportunity to reflect on the teachings of Jesus. By doing so, we can create a school community that is **rooted in love, generosity, and compassion**.

Thank you for your continued support and partnership in nurturing the hearts and minds of your children.



Valentine's Day Celebrations
We will be having Valentine's Day Celebrations on Friday, February 14, Please check your teacher's newsletter for more information!



Art Masters: **Alexander Calder**

Mrs. York will be coming on Wednesday, February 13 to teach the students about the work of Alexander Calder.

Missions Week Update

From everyone's generosity, we were able to raise enough money to supply 25 wheelchairs for people in need!

Amazing job Heights families!

HCS RAMONA CAMPUS FACULTY

Principal	Mrs. Sutton
Administrative Specialist	Mrs. Tackman
Admissions & School Operations Specialist	Mrs. Gonzalez
Transitional Kindergarten	Miss Fernandez
Kindergarten	Ms. De Fiesta, Mrs. Ishii
1st Grade	Miss Rojas, Miss Croyt
2nd Grade	Miss Soto, Mrs. Warburg
3rd Grade	Mrs. Cho, Ms. Rodriguez
4th Grade	Miss Glazier, Miss Wilson
5th Grade	Mrs. Gomez, Mrs. Vaughn
Jr. High	Dr. Duran, Mrs. Mason, Miss Marquez
Music	Miss Rozzi
P.E.	Mrs. Martinez, Mr. David
Technology	Mr. Peelgren
Technology Assistant	Mr. David
Spanish	Mrs. Sowell
Success Coordinator	Miss Marquez
Day Care Director	Ms. Flores
Day Care Staff	Mrs. Alvarado, Miss Gomez
.....	Mr. Jacob, Mr. Noah, Miss Osornio
.....	Mrs. Paiz, Mrs. Robles, Miss Tometich, Miss Vasquez