



WINGS WEEKLY

ALBUQUERQUE AVIATION ACADEMY NEWSLETTER

MARCH 12, 2026



CHANGES FOR THE 2026-2027 SCHOOL YEAR

For the 2026–2027 school year, we will continue offering three cohorts for ninth grade and ensure freshmen have three in-person learning days each week. Cohort A will attend on Mondays, Tuesdays, and Wednesdays; Cohort B on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays; and Cohort C on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays. All other grade levels will follow schedules similar to those used this school year.

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MARCH 13TH 12:30-3:30
MARCH 20TH 12:30-3:30
MARCH 27TH 12:30-3:30



As we continue our Spring extracurricular season, we want to clarify grade checks for student eligibility. Due to a lack of consistency in this area earlier in the school year, administration will be providing a one-week grace period before pulling grades for ongoing Spring activities. Under normal procedures, eligibility for the remainder of the year would be determined by the end of the 9-week grading period, which concludes tomorrow; however, administration will delay pulling grades for **one week**. Grades will be pulled at 2:00 PM on Friday, March 20, and those grades will stand. We will be using the actual grade reflected at that time, which includes any missing assignments that remain unsubmitted as of the grade pull. For in-person classes, we will check directly with teachers to obtain current grades. All other grade check procedures remain in effect and can be found on the Grade Check for Activities Form located on our website under Student Life > Activities > Grade Check for Activities Form. We appreciate your partnership in supporting student success both academically and in extracurricular activities and encourage students to use this grace period to ensure all assignments are completed and submitted.

Staff Role Transition

We would like to share an important update regarding a staff role transition. Mr. Dixon will no longer be serving in the role of Dean of Students. Through this transition, we are working to ensure continued support for our students and staff while maintaining strong systems that best serve our school community. If you need administrative support during this time, please email Bridget Barrett, Head Administrator, at bbarrett@abqaviation.com or Amanda Catanzaro, Director of Operations, at acatanzaro@abqaviation.com. Thank you for your continued partnership, commitment, and flexibility as we work together to best serve our students and school community.

This week's progress goal is 54% by end of the week. 58% for Seniors!

Albuquerque Aviation Academy Presents

Enchanted Forest PROM April 25th

A Magical Evening Awaits...

Tickets On Sale Soon!

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Important Dates to Remember:



3/13/2026 End of 9 Weeks

3/16-3/26 Middle School State Testing

3/13 & 3/20 & 3/27 12:30-3:30 Parent Teacher
Conferences

3/30-4/3/2026 NO SCHOOL; Spring Break

4/20 & 4/23 @ 2:15 Quarter 4 Assemblies

4/25/2026 High School Prom

5/15/2026 End of Year Awards Ceremony



Have you heard about our Weekly Essential?

Each week, we highlight an important value or behavior that we're focusing on as a school community. We encourage you to talk with your student about this week's essential and how they can put it into practice!

This Week's Essential:

Never cut in line!



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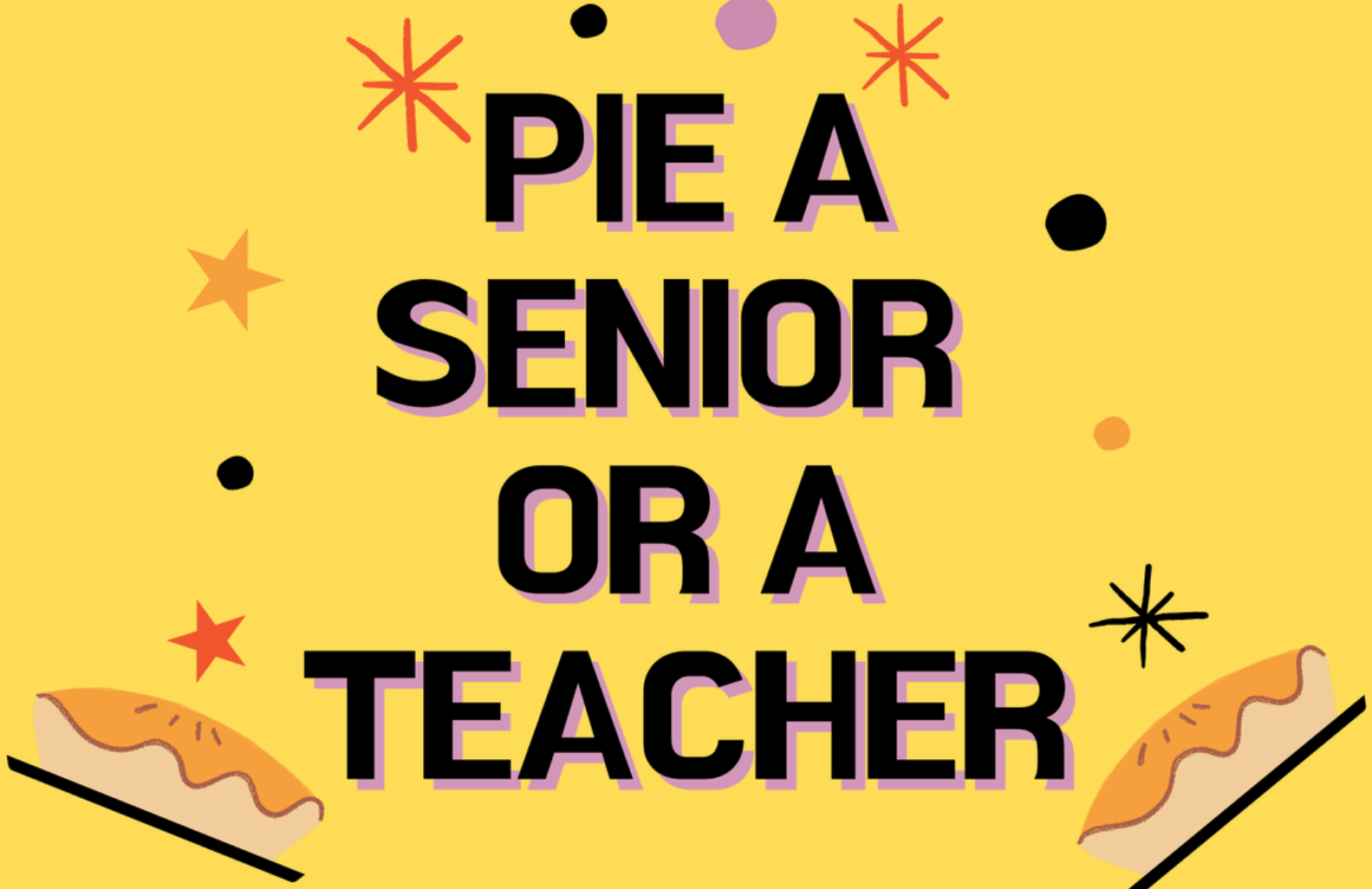
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The background is a bright yellow color. Scattered throughout are various decorative elements: several red and orange stars of different sizes, black and purple circles, and two stylized pie slices with orange filling and white crust, one on the left and one on the right. The main text is centered and reads "PIE A SENIOR OR A TEACHER" in large, bold, black letters with a purple drop shadow effect.

PIE A SENIOR OR A TEACHER

**WANT TO GET THE CHANCE TO PIE A TEACHER OR
A 12TH GRADER IN THE FACE?**

BRING A PIE THEMED ART PIECE TO MRS. CARR BY 3/13 AT 11:30
PM.

TOP 3 WINNERS GET TO PIE THE SENIORS AND/OR TEACHERS
WHO GOT THE MOST MONEY VOTES.

WANT TO SEE A SPECIFIC SENIOR OR TEACHER GET PIED, PUT
MONEY IN THEIR JAR IN MRS. CARR'S CLASSROOM! THE ONES
WITH THE MOST MONEY AT THE END, WILL GET PIED DURING A
SMALL AFTER SCHOOL ASSEMBLY!

TEACHERS AND SENIORS PARTICIPATING:
BUNDY, CARR, MORETT, BUCKNER, GUILD AND LEONARD
LAINEY, ADELINA, ETHAN, ATZSEL, RAYA AND JONNY



Falcons Archery

MEAT THE NEED JERKY FUNDRAISER

MARCH 1-31, 2026


FLAVORS

- Green chile
- Red chile
- Christmas G&R chile
- Jalapeño
- Teriyaki
- Butter Mesquite
- Salt and Pepper
- Lemon Pepper
- Natural
- Salt

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Where's the
beef?

Learn More About Dual Credit at CNM

Join us for an Information Session!

Wednesday, April 8th, 2026

5:30 - 7:30pm

CNM Main Campus- Smith Brasher Hall

- Speak with Dual Credit experts
- Get help applying to CNM
- Gain valuable information at a Resource Fair

Register to attend:
cnm.edu/dualcredit



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