

Alt Ed Monthly

Family Newsletter for September 2022

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<https://steinhigh.tracy.k12.ca.us/>

Click here for the Duncan Russell Community Day School Website

<https://duncanrussell.tracy.k12.ca.us/>

Principal's Message



Hello Alt Ed Family!

It's the second month of school and time is flying by! Before you know it they will graduate and start living their best adult life. We started the school year with a couple of "Get to know..." events. We had "Meet the Principal Breakfast" and "Back to School Night"

where dinner and song (thank you Mr. Dragula) were provided. To date, this was our most successful event.

I have been in several classes and witnessed discussions about past and current events, experiments, and art projects. Students are learning and engaging daily. Our teachers are diligently working to make learning relevant and rigorous. The first week of school, Stein students completed an interest survey covering a variety of topics such as activities they would like to have on campus and their understanding of their graduation progress and college and career goals. Based on the results it would be great if they were having conversations at home.

For families that were unable to attend Back to School Night, please visit our schools website. There is a lot of information and updates in the "School News" section. Also, Stein students receive report cards known as Weeklies every Thursday and Duncan Russell parents please check Aeries for updates.

At Stein, our schoolwide learner outcomes are grounded in **GRIT**: Stein High graduates will acquire tools to sustain **Goals, Relationships, Integrity, Tenacity**.

The vision for Duncan Russell is that students learn and perform to their fullest potential, respect themselves and others, and become responsible contributors to society.

Thank you families for sharing your student with us! We honor and treasure this time we have with them. Looking forward to witnessing their growth!

Feel free to reach out at any time!

Traci Mitchell, Principal

No Problems...Only Situations!



Dinner is Served



Entertainment by Mr. Dragula



Meet the Principal

Parent Education Links

(Video) The Secret to Motivating Your Child

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hVShA7g4Joc>

Parenting a Teen: Navigating High School

<https://www.strong4life.com/en/parenting/relationships/parenting-a-teen-navigating-high-school>

For those of you on Facebook, follow Officer Gomez (an SRO from a different district/school) He has a running blog of issues faced in a high school environment. A lot of the issues faced around the nation, are parallel to ones we see in our own school. He has some great parent information!

<https://www.facebook.com/deputygomez>

Stein Tardy Reminder

Tardy Policy

A tardy is defined as arrival to class after the tardy bell rings and up to 20 minutes into the instructional period. Arrival to class 20 minutes or later will constitute a truant. Students must be in their seats when the tardy bell rings to avoid being marked tardy.

Late arriving students (9:20 am or later):

- **Must** go through the office for a truancy pass to class.

- **Must** go to class upon receiving a truancy pass.
- **Must not** loiter on campus waiting for the next class period to begin.
- **Consequences subject to change due to COVID-19 guidelines and procedures.**
- *The tardy process starts over each quarter*

Tardy #	CONSEQUENCES
5th	Meeting with Advisor, parent contact, and a warning letter sent home by Advisor. <i>Assigned 15 minutes of detention.</i>
10th	Referral made to admin, SART/DART and meeting with the parent and principal. <i>Assigned 30 minutes of detention.</i>
15th	Referral made to admin, and meeting with Advisor and Parent (Possible SARB Hearing). <i>Assigned 60 minutes of detention and/or campus beautification.</i>

Duncan Russell Tardy Reminder

Tardy Policy

A little late is too late!

Every instructional minute counts and student tardiness interferes with the learning process. Please be respectful of your teacher and fellow classmates and be on time to class.

Three (3) unexcused tardies is equal to one (1) unexcused absence.

One truancy (30 minutes late) is equal to one (1) unexcused absence.

TARDY POLICY (per quarter)	
1st TARDY	Warning
2nd TARDY	Call to Parent from Attendance Office stressing that the next tardy will result in an after-school detention and be equivalent to one (1) unexcused absence.
3rd TARDY	30 Minutes Detention; 1 unexcused absence
4th TARDY	1 Hour Detention; Phone call to Parent
5th TARDY	2 Hour Community Service/Campus Beautification and Parent/Administration Conference
6th TARDY	2 Hours Community Service/Campus Beautification; 1 unexcused absence

Dates to Remember

Alt Ed Campus Calendar of Events

September

9/5 No School (Labor Day)

9/15 School Site Council/ELAC Meeting

October

10/4 Coffee with the Principal/Alt Ed Parent Workshop

10/14 Minimum Day (***Stein & TYAP only***) (End of Quarter 1)

10/20 School Site Council/ELAC Meeting

10/24 Parent/Teacher Conference - No School

10/27 Quarter 1 Awards Assembly

November

11/11 No School (Veteran's Day)

11/21-25 No School (Thanksgiving Break)

December

12/6 Coffee with the Principal/Alt Ed Parent Workshop

12/14-16 Minimum Day (***Stein & TYAP only***)

12/16 End of Quarter 2/Semester 1

12/19-1/3/2023 No School (Winter Break)



Our Busy Classrooms



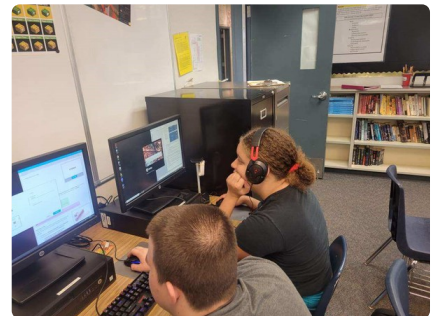
CTE Exploration Labs English 4

Personal Finance



CTE Exploration Labs English 4

Culinary Arts



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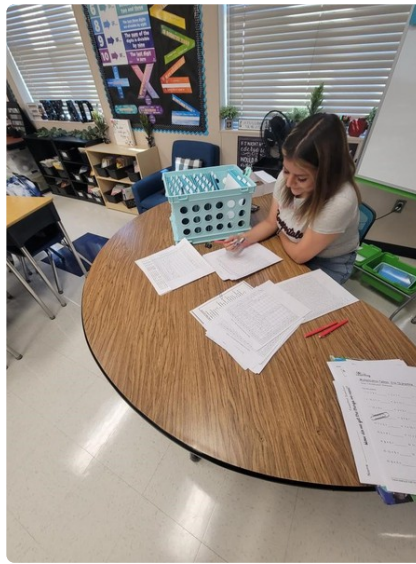
Gaming



CTE Exploration Labs

English 4

Marketing & Design



Service Learning

Central Elementary - 3rd grade class

Service Learning

Central Elementary - 4th/5th grade class



Physical Education

TYAP



Physical Education

Go! Go! Go!



Back to School Night

Welcome Delta College

Student Handbooks

22-23 Stein Handbook.pdf

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22-23 Stein Handbook-Spanish.pdf

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