

TUHSDStrong

From the Office of Superintendent Nora Gutierrez

Updates from the Tolleson Union High School District

This is the place to come to get the latest information on what's going on in the Tolleson Union High School District

Friday, April 3, 2020

- Thank you to all of our teachers, principals, school and district staff who are doing their part to make sure that students continue to learn, get fed and are connected to technology. While this is not the ideal situation, TUHSD employees at all levels are making it work as best they can under less than ideal circumstances. You guys rock!
- Governor Doug Ducey signed HB2910 allowing school districts to pay all employees during school closures, including hourly employees. This is retroactive to March 15, 2020. Below is the link for more information.

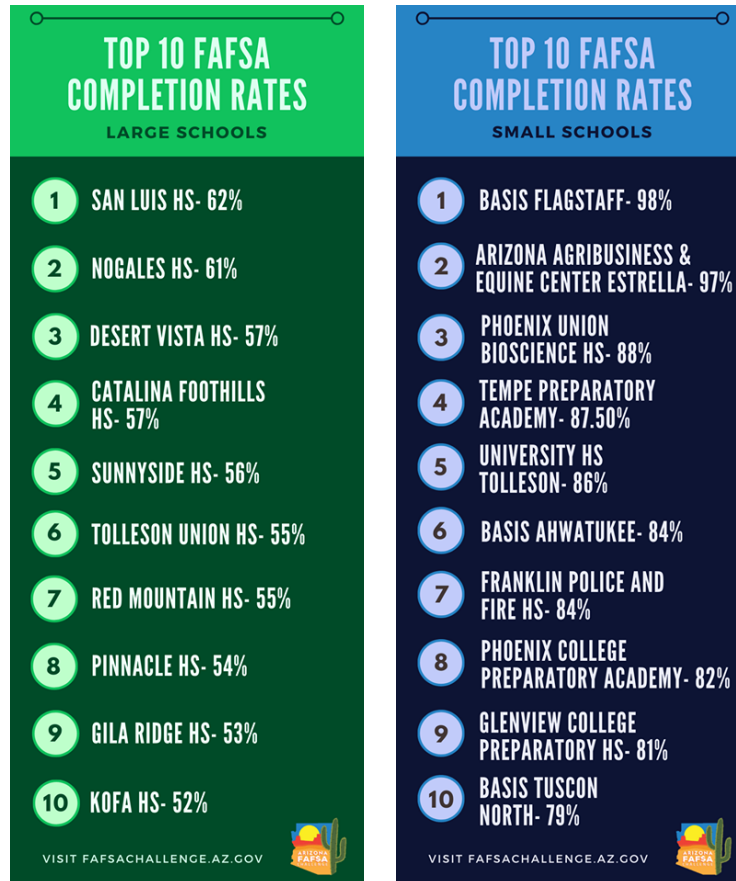
Text of HB 2910 can be found at:

<https://www.azleg.gov/legtext/54leg/2R/bills/HB2910H.pdf>

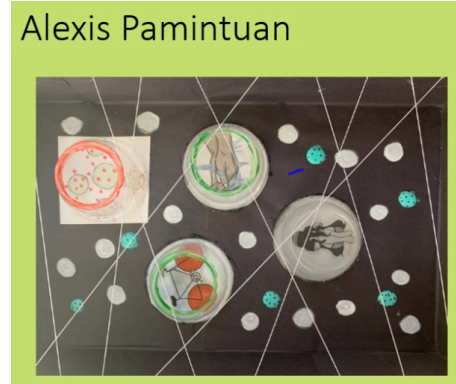
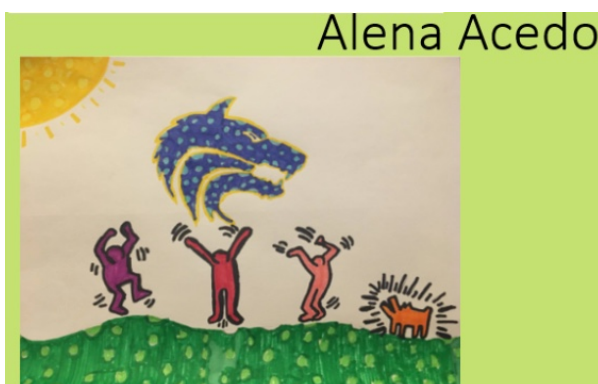
- The Technology Department has a new hire. Garrett Godoy is the new Network and Project Manager. Garrett came from the Mesa Public Schools where he was the Director of Technology. Previously, Garrett worked in the Tolleson Elementary School District as Director of Technology as well. Welcome to TUHSD Garrett. Glad you are here!
- Some important student signings to talk about. Michael Enero from La Joya Community High School is going to Stanford University in the fall. Cesar Vazquez and Melissa Ayala, both from University High School, have been accepted to the University of Southern California. Congratulations students! Way to represent TUHSD.



- Congratulations to Tolleson Union and University High School on your FAFSA completions! Tolleson is at #6 for large schools and U-High is #5 for smaller schools. The Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) is the form that needs to be filled out to get any financial aid from the Federal Government to help pay for college.



- Be sure to check with your cell phone provider to see if you can use your Smart Phone as a hotspot. Some Verizon and Sprint customers have received text messages indicating that this is possible.
- We thought you would like to see some student artwork! These are from La Joya Community High School students. Enjoy!



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Salcido Leblanc



Liana Velasquez



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