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Calendar

- December 21-Semester 1 Ends
- December 24-January 3- Winter Break
- January 4-Classes Resume
- January 8-Report Cards Issued
- January 18-Martin Luther King Jr Holiday/No Classes
- February 8-Mid Nine Weeks Ends
- February 10-Nine Weeks Issued
- February 15-President's Day Holiday/No Classes
- March 16-Nine Weeks Ends
- March 22-26-Spring Break
- March 29-Report Cards Issued



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Office to Home News

Hello Berrendo Middle School Families,

Spring semester begins January 4th. You are able to view your spring semester courses on PowerSchool. Report cards will be mailed home January 8th for the fall semester. Please remember that online at home learning is our school. Please attend your Zoom classes as scheduled by your teacher and complete your school work regularly.

Tutoring is still available with your teachers and peer tutoring is also available. If you would like to be tutored by one of your classmates please call the office at 575-627-2775 and sign up.

There will be more to come in the January newsletter about after school clubs that are available.

If you are still having trouble with your internet and you need to pick up paper packets, packets will be available Monday morning at 8:00 am at BMS and the packets need to be returned by Friday of the same week to BMS. It is your responsibility to pick up and return paper packets.

Thank you.
Licia Hillman
Principal

Hola familias de Berrendo Middle School,

El semestre de primavera comienza el 4 de enero. Puede ver sus cursos del semestre de primavera en PowerSchool. Los reportes de calificaciones se enviarán por correo a casa el 8 de enero para el semestre de otoño. Por favor recuerde que el aprendizaje en línea es nuestra escuela. Asista a sus clases de Zoom según el horario de maestro/a y termine su trabajo escolar con regularidad.

La tutoría todavía está disponible con sus maestros y también está disponible la tutoría entre compañeros. Si desea recibir tutoría de uno de sus compañeros de clase, llame a la oficina al 575-627-2775 e inscríbese.

Habrà más por venir en el boletín de enero sobre los clubes extracurriculares que están disponibles.

Si todavía tiene problemas con su Internet y necesita recoger paquetes de papel, los paquetes estarán disponibles el lunes por la mañana a las 8:00 am en BMS y los paquetes deben devolverse antes del viernes de la misma semana a BMS. Es su responsabilidad recoger y devolver los paquetes de papel.

Gracias.
Licia Hillman
Directora

8th Grade Retention Law

NMSA 22-2C-6 states **“At the end of eighth grade, a student who fails to make adequate yearly progress shall be retained in the eighth grade for no more than one school year to make adequate yearly progress.”**

8th grade students who do not pass math and language arts at the end of the Fall 2020 semester, will be put on an academic plan for the Spring 2021 semester. Students who fail math or language arts both semesters, will be recommended for retention. Retention means the student will repeat 8th grade.

Ley de retención de octavo grado

Al término del octavo grado, si un estudiante falla en obtener el progreso anual adecuado será retenido en el octavo grado por no más de un año escolar para que obtenga el progreso anual adecuado.

Los estudiantes de octavo grado que no aprueben matemáticas y artes del lenguaje al final del semestre de otoño de 2020, serán puestos en un plan académico para el semestre de primavera de 2021. Los estudiantes que reaprueben matemáticas o artes del lenguaje ambos semestres serán recomendados para la retención. Retención significa que el estudiante repetirá el octavo grado.

BMS Tutoring

<p><u>Mrs. Rueffer</u> <u>Math Tutoring</u> <i>Tuesday and Thursday</i> 3:30-4:30 Class Zoom Link</p>	<p><u>Mrs. Reddell</u> <u>Math Tutoring</u> <i>Tuesday and Thursday</i> 3:30-4:30 Class Zoom Link</p>
<p><u>Mrs. Maloney</u> <u>ELA Tutoring</u> <i>Wednesdays-3:15-4:15</i> Please RSVP a day in advance</p>	<p><u>Mrs. Ellis</u> <u>Social Studies</u> <u>Tutoring</u> <i>Tuesday & Thursday</i> 3:30-4:30</p>
<p><u>Mrs. MacCornack</u> <u>Math Tutoring</u> By appointment</p>	<p><u>Ms. Blanco</u> <u>Spanish/ELL/Keyboarding</u> <u>Tutoring</u> <i>Monday, Tuesday and</i> <i>Thursday 3:30-4:30</i></p>

PEER TUTORING

If you are interested in a peer tutor, please call the school at 575-627-2775 to sign up.



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Spring Schedule

Between December 7 and January 8, students may submit their requests for the Spring semester through a Google form at <https://forms.gle/dM7rTCzjvDMAzrjo8>. Families considering switching from remote learning through Canvas to virtual learning through Apex must attend an informational parent meeting on December 21 at 6:00 pm. The meeting will be held on Zoom at the following link: <https://risd-k12-nm-us.zoom.us/j/86924592441>. Remote learners who are satisfied with the second semester electives for which they are already scheduled do not need to complete the Google form.

Horario de primavera

Entre el 7 de diciembre y el 8 de enero, los estudiantes pueden enviar sus solicitudes para el semestre de primavera a través de un formulario de Google en <https://forms.gle/dM7rTCzjvDMAzrjo8>. Las familias que estén considerando cambiar del aprendizaje remoto a través de Canvas al aprendizaje virtual a través de Apex deben asistir a una reunión informativa para padres el 21 de diciembre a las 6:00 pm. La reunión se llevará a cabo en Zoom en el siguiente enlace: <https://risd-k12-nm-us.zoom.us/j/86924592441>. Los estudiantes remotos que estén satisfechos con las asignaturas optativas del segundo semestre para las que ya están programadas no necesitan completar el formulario de Google.

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