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Ms. Jones: Vice Principal Message

Happy New Year and welcome to the spring 2018 semester. It has been so exciting to see students return after the break with such great enthusiasm to resume your studies! I am so proud of how you all persevered through the transition to Edgenuity last semester; change is difficult, but we made it through! If you met your goals for course and credit completion in the fall, congratulations! If you did not make the gains that you had hoped, do not give up! Now is the perfect time to start anew, with fresh goals and a strong resolve for this semester. Remember, "A hero is an ordinary individual who finds the strength to persevere and endure in spite of overwhelming obstacles." - Christopher Reeve

CONGRATULATIONS TO SIM CENTER'S

DECEMBER 2017 GRADUATES



Steven Guerrero
Vanessa Munoz
Alexis Schroeder

Ceremony will take place on June 1st at 6PM @ Memorial Auditorium

DATES TO REMEMBER!

FAFSA and Dream Act Deadline —
March 2nd!

NAEP Assessment -
March 6
At Power Inn Location

CAASPP Testing -
8th and 11th Graders:
April 10-13

Mad City Money (Banking Event) at Sim Center -
March 13

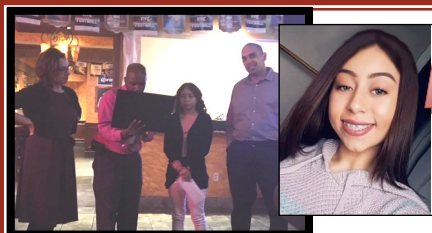
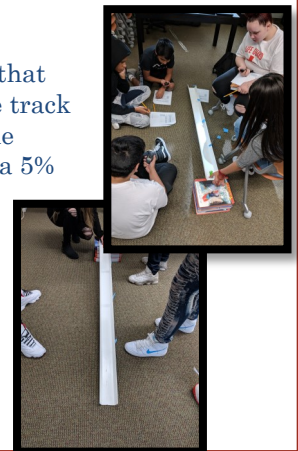
No School— Spring Recess
March 26-30

CAST Testing -
12 Grade:
April 18 & 19

Middle School Science Project

We used plastic rain gutters and toy cars to measure the effect that different inclines have on acceleration. We started by lifting the track 10% of the length (6 inches) and then lifting the track 15% of the length (9 inches). Students noticed that even though there was a 5% difference in the height, the toy cars traveled on average 62% faster on the taller track. When the students looked further into the details, they noticed that regardless of the starting height (6 inches or 9 inches), the toy car had a similar time when reaching the first quarter marker of the track. The toy car's acceleration picked up at about the halfway point.

- Mr. Mendoza -



ASCA Scholarship Winner!

ACSA Every Student Succeeding Awards are a way to acknowledge and celebrate students who have overcome a tremendous amount of adversity, but yet have found a way to succeed in spite of these challenges. ESS is a great way recognize students for their perseverance, grit, and tenacity. We are so proud of our ESS Award winner, Briana Morales.

