



Volume 13

OPEN HOUSE
JULY 29TH
4:00PM—6:00PM

JULY 21, 2010

Enroll Today for 2010-11 School Year!!!

Parents/Guardians

We are a free public charter high school that is committed to providing a positive, structured, and safe learning environment.

If you can help your friend or a family member find a small school with small classes like e-institute, let them know that they are welcome to enroll for 2010-2011 school year.

In addition we are inviting you to come and join us for our first OPEN HOUSE next Thursday, July 29th, between 4:00pm—6:00pm. The first 60 students will receive a Free Sonic Community First Value Card. We will have refreshments for everybody. Furthermore, every high school student will have an opportunity to win an MP3 Player. Drawing will be at 5:45pm. Current and new students, do not forget to participate in the referral program. Every time you refer a new student to attend school at e-Institute, you will receive two (2) HARKINS TICKETS. Lastly, teachers will be here and parents may purchase uniforms as well. Uniform is \$20.00 cash or check.

Thank you for choosing E- Institute.

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Dear Parents

We have improved in so many areas and our biggest challenge for next year is to maintain and improve. Last year we met most of our goals. Let me list them and you will be the judge: MET AYP (adequate Yearly Progress), Performing School, Met Graduation Requirements, and NCA Accreditation (finally).

Parents, I am pleased to say that it was 100% team effort. I have been here for three (3) years and I communicated to you that I was going to need your support. This last April, parents and community business member attended an important meeting that will change the perception of our Deer Valley Community. Because of your commitment and your voice, the NCA accreditation team was fully convinced that we should be an accredited school. Thank you so much for your loyalty and for trusting e-Institute.

The NCA made some recommendations in order for us to continue to be accredited. We are currently using A+ ALS computer-based Learning System and the district already purchase e-Glencoe curriculums for this coming year. It might take us until late November or early January to fully transfer to the new computer-based instruction system. In the meantime, students will be able to complete ALS course that were not done last semester. As your Principal I will be responsible to communicate major changes during the year and this is one of them. The other recommendations were our technology. We are going to need most of your support because we just went through major education budget cuts. We are asking business and community member for donations especially with computers. If your employer can contribute, please call me immediately. Upgrading our technology is one of our priorities and we are committed to make this possible because we fully understand how much this can make a difference in your child's education. Thank you, Mr. Zamudio

CLASS OF 2010

Congratulations to the class of 2010. It was a memorable day for 80+ students, parents, and friends. Parents, e-Institute is proud of your son/daughter for completing their high school requirements and for sharing your success. Even though we are still suffering from the economy, it is nice to see how much we can accomplish when we work as a team. We at e-institute wish you best of luck today and in your future. Please keep in touch and let us know how are you doing.

Tardy Policy

Students and Parents, last year we averaged 19 students tardy per day. It is almost 10% of our student population that have difficulties attending school on time. This year we are trying our best to reduce this problem to 5% or less. For the 2010 –11 school year, student that continue to accumulate excessive tardies, will be required to attend mandatory Saturday School. If student is not present for Saturday school, parent and student will meet with the Principal (Mr. Zamudio). At this time the student will transfer to a different session. If student continues to be tardy, the principal will have a final meeting and student will transfer to a different school.

KEYNOTE SPEAKER FOR THE CLASS 2010.

Thank you Mr. Z., for allowing me some space to speak my mind. I have been involved in public service in one capacity or another all of my adult life. I can count the few moments of reward for that service on one hand – Graduation 2010 was one such moment! I believe in education; more so, I believe in lifelong learning – those two words characterize my own journey. So it was especially meaningful for me to be able to pass a lifetime of lessons on to the e-graduates of 2010 as their keynote speaker.

I would like to encourage returning and new students alike to make the most of the opportunities presented here at e-Institute, Glendale. By being consistent in your attendance and working hard at accomplishing your tasks, you too can realize the goal of graduation – perhaps even an early graduation if you are up to the challenge. Here at e-Glendale we believe you are; therefore, believe in yourself and *Just Do It!*

August—September

First day of school

Wednesday, August 11th

Labor day

September 6th, No School

Mid-block

September 22nd

A FEW WORDS FROM MISS THOMPSON

Miss T is excited to be your literature/language arts teacher for another fabulous school year! (A **big** thank you to everyone who took my classes last year – you were awesome!) It's going to be a great year: English classes will focus even more on writing, and we're going to try to work in some Shakespeare! In addition to English classes, Miss T will be teaching a few new electives that will qualify for fine arts or elective credits.

Miss T would also like to express how proud of her students she is for their stellar AIMS reading and writing scores. Sophomores, juniors and seniors did a great job this past April! Congrats!

United Blood Services

E-institute students and parents, thank you for making a difference in our community. We had 14 blood donations today, July 21st. Special thanks to our UBS student representatives, Samuel Kirkes, If you missed the blood drive, it is never late to become a hero. Our next blood drive will be on September 22nd from 9:00am to 1:00pm. **Be a hero for life!!!**