



TUCSON UNIFIED
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SECRETIST MIDDLE SCHOOL

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Dear Parents, Guardians, and Families,

Happy New Year! Welcome to 2025!

I hope that the New Year finds you staying healthy and safe!

We are ready to dive into the second semester and ride the wave of greatness! Students are in enrichment and intervention classes for the third quarter to help them prepare for the assessments coming up. Our students are also hard at work getting ready for the transition into the next grade and for our eighth grade into high school!!

This quarter, we are focusing on our students' attendance at school and being on-time to class. We are also monitoring their timely completion of assignments. If your student is struggling, please contact our classroom teachers, school counselor, or our MTSS Facilitator. Additionally, if you need to speak to one of our staff members personally; all teachers have time to accommodate such conversations during the week, so please schedule a time. Our office staff can always assist with parent concerns, teacher contact information, and frequent questions.

Our soccer teams are beginning the week of January 6! All students need a physical to play. If your student needs a physical, please contact our office. We might be able to assist with a physical scholarship. Our teams did a great job last year and we are planning to be very competitive again this year. Come out and cheer on our boys' and girls' soccer teams! Their schedule of games is posted on our webpage. We will be sending home Honor Roll Celebration invites during the first week of January as well. We will be sending home invitations for our Celebration that is happening soon! Our students have done very well academically and will be honored during this special event. Our Honor Roll Celebration is scheduled for January 16 at 2:00pm.

If your student is going to be absent, please report this to our office staff by calling the Attendance Line at 520-731-5302 or emailing them at Secrist@tusdl.org. For students who are lacking, our teachers are posting online in Canvas. Parents can log in to Parent Vue or have their students log in to Student Vue to review assignments, completion, and grades. We can assist you in finding this area on our website if you need support. We will host our Family Engagement event in February- LEAP into STEAM night in February. We will be finalizing this event and putting out the invitation soon!

Welcome Back Scorpions!

Sincerely,
Ms. Garcia