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Visit to Colorado Mesa University!



Class of 2023! Our freshmen cohorts from BHS, RFHS, and GSHS visiting CMU.

In efforts to engage our freshman class at the beginning of their transition to high school and get them motivated to think about college, we took a trip to Colorado Mesa University. For many of our freshmen this was their first time on a college campus. We arrived for our college tour in Grand Junction with 50 freshmen from Basalt High School, Roaring Fork High School, and Glenwood Springs High School. We were welcomed by our

admissions counselor Mara Chilcote with an admissions presentation tailored for our students and focused on what they need to do and focus on starting in 9th grade. Our scholars toured the main campus and then met our PreCollegiate alumni that are currently attending Colorado Mesa University for lunch in the dining hall! Our scholars were all very excited to be on campus and to learn more about how to get to college.



Freshmen scholars enjoying the tour around Colorado Mesa University.



PreCollegiate freshman scholars during the admissions presentation at CMU facilitated by Mara Chilcote.

7th Grade Recruitment



Its that time of the year again! Our 7th grade recruitment has begun

and we have had the pleasure of meeting great applicants. We plan to fill 65 spots amongst our three middle schools. We have opportunities for interested volunteer mentors at Basalt Middle School and Glenwood Springs Middle School. We can't wait to form our groups for the PreCollegiate class of 2025! Thank you to all of our middle school counselors for the help and support with our recruitment process.



7th graders filling out their applications at Carbondale Middle School

FAFSA Night

We had our first round of FAFSA applications on the evening of October 10th at Roaring Fork High School. October means the start of financial aid "to do's" and with that comes the FAFSA! With big scholarship applications opening up, the FAFSA becomes a priority for students interested in applying. We scheduled appointments for our students and their families to meet with our staff and get through the application. Our next round of FAFSA appointments will be coming up soon.

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