



Dakota Ridge High School

Live, Love, Learn, Leave a Legacy

DRHS Community Connection

May 18-22, 2020

Dakota Ridge High School thrives on the support of our Eagle community: students, parents, & staff. Please read below to discover current DRHS events, news, and information.

- Jim Jelinek, Principal

Click Here for [Dakota Ridge High School Website](#)



Academics: Click here for [JeffcoConnect Grades and Attendance](#)

Finals:

For underclassmen - teachers should assign finals the May 15th (Friday) with the due date being no later than May 21st (Thursday). Grades will be posted within Campus by May 22nd at noon.

Congratulations

Emma Oryshchyn – 2020-21 Student Body President

Madi Morrin – 2020-21 Student Body Vice President

All Fees and Fines Must be Paid Online Prior to Students Picking Up Yearbooks and/or Graduation Cap, Gowns and Diplomas

Congratulations Class of 2020! Please enjoy the following links which celebrate and acknowledge YOU!

[A Message From Dr. Glass](#)

[Dakota Ridge High School Senior Video](#)

[Senior Student Government Leaders Message](#)

[Dakota Ridge High School Senior Acknowledgement](#)



Activities - click here for [Eagles Activities](#)

Graduation Ceremony at Jeffco Stadium - August 7, 7:00 pm (students arrive at 6:00 pm on east side of Jeffco Stadium)

Virtual Flag Ceremony – Thanks Ms. Paez and Ryan Bui

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VmZmfEpXVtM>

[Adopt a Senior Community Facebook](#)

Congratulation High School Art Show

Click here for the link: <https://www.jeffcoarts.com/high-school>

Student Drop Off of Instructional Materials (textbooks, calculators, band instruments etc.) and Pick Up of Yearbooks, Athletic and Academic Locker Items, Senior Caps, Gowns, Diplomas

Updated state and district social distancing guidelines allow us to provide a Drop Off - Pick Up activity for Dakota Ridge High School. In order for students to pick up yearbooks, caps, gowns, and diplomas, all fees and fines must be paid by students and all instructional materials- textbooks, calculators, classroom texts, Chromebooks, and library books must be returned. **Please ensure that prior to coming to the school, you have reviewed your Campus accounts for any fees and fines and have paid for those online. Please double check your Campus accounts on May 15th as teachers are adding fines through this date.** Please wear masks and gloves to limit any potential exposure to COVID-19 and adhere to the listed dates and times in order to help us limit exposure to one another and to keep the flow going smoothly. [Click Here for Map and Directions](#)

Monday May 18th: Senior Students

9:00 AM - 11:30 AM Main Front of School Driveway

9:00-10:15 Students with last names A - E

10:15-11:30 Students with last names F - J

12:00 PM - 2:30 PM Main Front of School Driveway

12:00-1:15-Students with last names K - P

1:15-2:30-Students with last names Q - Z

Thursday May 21st: Freshmen Students

12:30 PM - 3:00 PM Main Front of School Driveway

12:30-1:45 -Students with last names A - E

1:45-3:00- Students with last names F - J

3:30 PM – 6:00 PM Main Front of School Driveway

3:30-4:45 Students with last names K - P

4:45-6:00 Students with last names Q - Z

Friday May 22nd: Sophomore and Junior Students and Any Others Who Could Not Attend in Listed Times

9:00 AM - 11:30 AM Main Front of School Driveway

9:00-10:15 Students with last names A - E

10:15-11:30 Students with last names F - J

12:00 PM - 2:30 PM Main Front of School Driveway

12:00-1:15-Students with last names K - P

1:15-2:30-Students with last names Q - Z

General Information and Directions:

Families enter the designated areas in vehicles and wait in the lines until called forward to the distribution tables. Families are asked to create a handmade sign listing the student's last name, first name. This can be shown to the school staff for efficiency. Drop-off tables will be set up to collect instructional materials - textbooks, calculators, classroom texts and library books, etc). Please add a post-it-note on the item listing the student's name and teacher's name. A spreadsheet will be checked to verify all items have been turned in and all fines/fees have been paid. If cleared, student will pull a green slip from the table and then proceed to the pick-up tables which will have yearbooks and (for Seniors) - graduation caps, gowns, diplomas, etc. If you owe fees/fines you will be asked to pull a yellow slip and will drive in the left lane to the ST parking lot to meet with the financial secretary to take care of fines/fees. If you forgot an item such as a book you will need to leave and come back with the item before you can pick up your yearbook or senior items. Remember, you will not be allowed to pick up yearbooks or graduation items if you have outstanding fees and fines.

Athletic Locker Items, Athletic Uniforms, Academic Locker items, art class items, and/or Instrumental Band Equipment: please navigate to the West Staff Parking Lot, park your car, and send one person to the backside of the school - to either submit items and/or enter the locker rooms to pick up athletic locker items

We are going to maintain academic lockers for all underclassmen for the next school year so students will have the same lockers. If you absolutely need to pick up items from your academic locker, park your car in the west teacher parking lot and send one student to enter west doors to access academic lockers. Remember, students will maintain these academic lockers.



Counseling Information

Summer School/ Credit Recovery Options: Please see the links below for more information about credit recovery options if your son/daughter fails a required course. Our DRHS Counseling Services website has more information about required credits needed to graduate, listed under the Academic tab.

[Summer School 2020.](#)

[Credit Recovery Options flyer](#)

Junior Class- College Information Presentation: Current Juniors...are you feeling overwhelmed, confused, or "behind the 8-ball" when you think about the college admission process? Mike & Meggan from CollegeFit Counseling will make it easier for you! Join us for a **Zoom meeting on Monday, May 18th at 10:00am MST** (45 min College Presentation, followed by a 15 min Q&A opportunity) to learn about the four main factors of college fit...the key pieces that contribute to a successful four-year experience. We will advise you on how to take full advantage of your summer in preparation for senior year and give you tips for building your college application list. COVID-19 has changed the game for the class of 2021, so let us help you navigate the process to find the college where you can thrive! This presentation is hosted by DRHS Counseling Department and CollegeFit Counseling.

Monday, May 18th, 10:00am, Zoom meeting website: <https://jeffco-k12-co.zoom.us/j/83437734225?pwd=b2t5MVpaSE8rRGFCdFB5RWxUUzJmdz09>
Meeting ID: 834 3773 4225. Password: 6Ppq1B

Schedules for the 20/21 Academic year are being finalized. The district has given us a hopeful date of 7/20/2020 as a target date when Jeffco students will be able to access their schedules through Student Portal. Please be sure to check school Google emails for information from teachers regarding summer academic expectations for honor, AP/IB courses.

Dear 2020 Graduate,

On behalf of the entire Jeffco Public Schools community, congratulations on graduating! We are all very proud of you. Despite the impact of COVID-19 and its unexpected ending to your Jeffco experience, please remember that this moment does not replace all the positive ones you had as a student. Whether you're entering the workforce, serving our country, continuing your education or any other path, you will be stronger because of this experience.

The class of 2020 will be remembered as a class of resilience and as one that succeeded in spite of challenges. In recognition of your accomplishments, I'm pleased to present you with a resilience cord in Jeffco purple to commemorate your graduation and always remind you of the strength of character within each of you. Congratulations!

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in purple ink that reads "Jason Glass".

Dr. Jason Glass
Superintendent and Chief Learner, Jeffco Public Schools



Community Outreach

District Updates on COVID -19 - Please click here for the district's updated [coronavirus information page](#)
 Tech Tips for District 1:1 Devices

- [Support for Devices \(District webpage\)](#)
- [How to reset a Chromebook \(video\)](#)

[Awards and Recognition](#)

[International Baccalaureate](#)

[The Cord News](#)

[Summit Ridge Middle](#)
[Powderhorn Elementary](#)
[Mount Carbon Elementary](#)

[Colorow Elementary](#)
[Blue Heron Elementary](#)
[Westridge Elementary](#)

DRHS STUDENTS:

Join your class Google Classroom to receive information and important announcements

<p>Class of 2020: nrnd2vc</p>	<p>Class of 2021: klx5wk4 (The second character is a lowercase L)</p>
<p>Class of 2022: xx3dnfl (The last character is a lowercase L)</p>	<p>Class of 2023: lqn3fj7 (The first character is a lowercase L)</p>

2020 summer school FOR JEFFCO HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS

Our summer school options are varied and structured to meet different needs at different locations; some are academic while others are enrichment-based. If you are interested in exploring the options, talk with a counselor or teacher at your school to find out if they will have any summer programming at your school.

**FOR HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS,
SUMMER SCHOOL WILL BE AT THE LOCATIONS BELOW.**

- Open to all Jeffco high school students; mainly for those who need to recover or complete credits.
- *This summer due to the Covid-19 outbreak all summer school opportunities will be virtual.*
- Students will need to access a computer and the internet daily, and complete work from a home setting.
- Courses are set up in a mastery format (*exception at bottom) where pretesting determines amount of content to be learned. Students move

<p>north</p> <p>Arvada West High 11595 Allendale Dr., Arvada June 1 - July 10 REGISTRATION: MAY 28, 7a-12p More info: arvadawest.jeffcopublicschools.org</p>	<p>mountain</p> <p>Candler High School 10444 Highway 73, Candler June 1 - June 25 REGISTRATION: May 18-28, 8a-2p More info: candler.jeffcopublicschools.org</p>
<p>central / south</p> <p>Jeffco Virtual Academy 11025 W. Glennon Dr., Lakewood June 1 - July 10 REGISTRATION: May 1-28 (Online) ORIENTATION: June 1 (Online) More info: jeffcovirtualacademy.jeffcopublicschools.org</p>	

*Exception: Where NCAA clearinghouse applies, student-athletes will have to complete a full complement of course content modules to meet these requirements.

Chromebook Accidental Damage Protection (ADP)

Cover the most common Chromebook mishaps that are not included under manufacturer warranty.

Like library books and other school-owned items that students use, the students are responsible for damage to their Chromebooks.

ADDITIONAL INFO

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PRICES INCREASE JUNE 1!

ADP Pricing → From \$23.92 to \$86.32

TYPICAL REPAIR COSTS:

Touch screen replacement = \$100.00
 Keyboard replacement = \$50.00
 Lower plastic case = \$20.00

WE STRONGLY RECOMMEND PURCHASING 4 YEARS OF COVERAGE!

PURCHASE NOW

*Must purchase a 4 year ADP to get coverage through May 2024, even though year 1 is almost over. It is cheaper than purchasing a 3 year ADP after the manufacturer's warranty expires at the end of May.