

Freedom Middle School
Parent University

What is Parent University?

A: A FREE learning opportunity for parents of Freedom Middle School Students

Q: What will I learn at Parent University?

A: You will learn up-to-date technology, communication techniques, study skills, goal setting/academic planning ideas, as well as other skills to help your student succeed in school.

Q: Why should I enroll in Parent University?

A: Participation in Parent University will allow you to build a positive relationship with both your child and Freedom Middle School in an effort to improve your child's educational success.

Q: How do I get more information about Parent University?

A: Complete the Registration Form and return it to Freedom Middle School. Contact Ms. Lindsey Lahr or Mr. Randy Borgardt via email, or call the school with any questions you may have.



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"The benefits of home and school partnership are so evident that all parents should be made aware of their duty to be full partners with the school."
(Teach Them, 1976, p. 7)

Course Offerings

Technology

- Email
- Online Grades
- School Website
- Internet Safety

Improve Student Performance

- Study Environment
- Study Skills
- Student First
- Nutrition
- Brain Science
- Time Management

Academic Planning

- Goal Setting
- High School
- College

“Research has shown that parents can increase a child's academic success through their involvement with schools and communities. Parental involvement improves student morale, attitudes, and academic achievement across all subject areas.”

TOGETHER

Located in Washington State's rural Yakima Valley, Granger High School serves 388 mostly Hispanic students, 89% of whom qualify for free or reduced-price lunch. Over the past eight years, the school's 10th grade reading performance has steadily climbed from fewer than 20% of students meeting Washington state standards to nearly 80%. Parent attendance at student conferences has grown from a dismal 10 percent to almost 100%, and the graduation rate has soared to over 89%. As the staff's expectations of and relationships with students have grown, everything about the school has improved.

(Developing School Leaders, *Tough Questions for Tough Times*, October 2009, Volume 67)

WE WILL!!

REGISTRATION FORM

STUDENT'S NAME(S)

STUDENT'S TEAM(S)

PARENT NAME(S)

PHONE NUMBER

EMAIL

PLEASE RETURN This REGISTRATION FORM

TO THE FREEDOM MIDDLE SCHOOL

MAIN OFFICE

REGISTRATION WILL BE ACCEPTED

THE NIGHT OF CLASS