

Superintendent's Office

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A rich tradition in the WESD is to recognize staff and students for their ~~deserved~~ accomplishments. It makes members of the WESD family feel special. You will see these recognitions in the classrooms, board room, departments and on our social media. Last week, I highlighted some of our dedicated staff members and their achievements. Today I would like to highlight a few WESD students and their recent accomplishments.

- x Congratulations to four students from Mountain Sky Junior High! They won the Arizona Council on Economic Education (ACEE) Mayors' Challenge for Economic Education competition! The annual event is a statewide contest where teams of three to four students from across Arizona demonstrate their personal finance and economic knowledge. Mountain Sky students Jhonen A., Trey G., Owen R. and Londyn J. were one of the two highest scoring teams in the state. Last week, they faced the other top scoring team from Prescott Valley in an academic Quiz Bowl to determine ~~thats~~ champions and decisively won 7 – 4!
- x Congratulations to Ironwood Elementary fifth grader, Emily B., for being selected as a finalist for the School Connect Student Champion of the Year Award! The School Connect Student Champion of the Year Award will be presented to the student who exemplifies great-hearted leadership demonstrated by cheering others on, leading by example, and inspiring his or her fellow students to be generous and persevere. Emily currently serves as the Ironwood student council president and serves as a member of the Bolt Broadcast video announcement crew. This summer, she will pilot and participate in Somos Escritoras, a writing workshop supporting Latinx girls to draw, write and perform stories of their lives. She was nominated by her principal, Ami Grant, who said, "She is a leader on campus who sets an example for our younger students every day with her words on announcements. She is often found at our after-school program reading with younger students to help them practice ~~learning~~ reading a wonderful student who works hard in class and also has set high standards of behavior for herself." School Connect will announce the winner of the Student Champion of the Year Award at an awards ceremony on ~~the~~ April 28.

This communication contains updates regarding:

- x Certified Job Fair for Teachers, Social Workers, Speech Paths and OTs;
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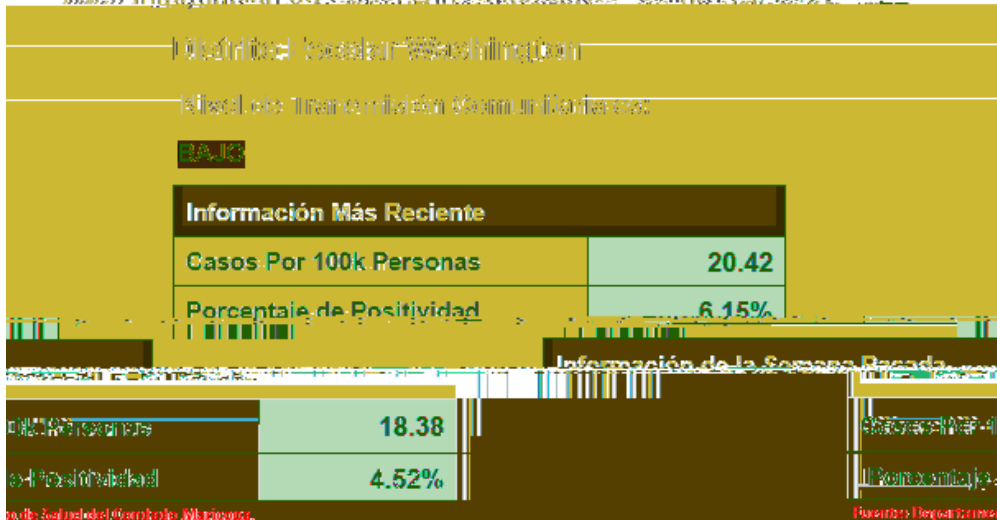
Interested individuals can view all open positions at jobs.wesdschools.org and are encouraged to complete an interest form at <https://bit.ly/3JV10iL>. Walk-ins are welcome. To learn more about the job fair and the current certified job openings, please contact Lydia Garcia, Certified Recruiter, at Lydia.Garcia@wesdschools.org by calling 602-347-2622.

Now Accepting Interest for WESD Online Learning Academy

The District is excited to announce the opening of the WESD Online Learning Academy, our Arizona Online Instruction (AOI) school approved by the Arizona State Board of Education. The Online Learning Academy will serve grades K-8 starting in the next school year, 2022-23. This school will take the place of the Distance Learning Programs (DLP) that were hosted by Desert View Elementary (K-4) and Royal Palm Middle School (5-8).

The WESD Online Learning Academy will provide remote instruction with the following standards: MC ET (W)-1.7 36 (IE4) 5 S00.12 1n(t)-4.6 (t)

historias de sus vidas. Fue nominada por su directora, Ami Grant, quien dijo: "Ella es una líder en la propiedad escolar que da ejemplo a nuestros estudiantes más pequeños todos los días con sus palabras en los anuncios. A menudo se le encuentra leyendo en nuestro programa de después de clases con los estudiantes más pequeños para ayudarlos a practicar el aprendizaje. Emily es una estudiante maravillosa que trabaja arduamente en clase y también se ha fijado altos estándares de comportamiento para ella misma". 'School Connect' anunciará al ganador.



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