



2R-Press

April 5, 2024

Two Roads--We are **HARDWORKING**, **CARING**, and **ACADEMIC**.
We utilize **COLLABORATION**, **CRITICAL THINKING**, **COMMUNICATION**, and **CREATIVITY**.

School Website: www.tworoadscharter.org

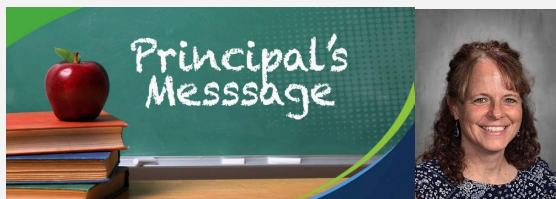
Littleton Campus Office/Attendance Line: 720-425-6163

Instagram: "tworoadslittletonhomeschool" and Facebook Group: Two Roads
Littleton Homeschool Program

Refer to the school website calendar for a complete list of school events.

<u>EVENTS</u>	<u>DATE/TIME</u>
Monthly Assembly	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Friday, April 5th @ 10:00 a.m.<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ BINGO Awards○ Birthday Recognition○ Falcon Award Prizes● None this month
Trunk-or-Treat Curriculum Swap	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Friday, April 5th @ 1:30-4:30 p.m. - <i>TODAY!</i>
Prom 10th-12th Grades	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Thursday, April 18th @ 7-11 p.m. - <i>Details below</i><ul style="list-style-type: none">○ <i>Tickets are \$50</i>○ <i>Students must be passing all classes.</i>○ <i>Fees must be paid.</i>
SAT & PSAT	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Thursday, April 18th @ the Arvada Campus
Lettering Applications Due	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Thursday, April 25th
Resource Table	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Check out the resource section at the end of the newsletter for a variety of helpful information.

Welcome to our Weekly School Newsletter!



Please join us for our 1st Annual Curriculum Swap on TODAY from 1:30-4:30 p.m. Also, time is running out to purchase a Two Roads yearbook. Order information can be found in today's newsletter. Finally, calling all high school students, don't forget to turn in lettering applications by the last week of April!

Newsletter Key:



= new information in the newsletter



= volunteer opportunities



= event information



= meeting information



23-24 Yearbook

Don't miss out on our 23-24 Two Roads Littleton Homeschool Program yearbook! Order now! With every purchase there are two free customizable pages. These two custom pages are FREE and are printed ONLY in the purchased book. All custom pages are due April 12th.

Scan the QR code or use this link:

<https://www.treering.com/purchase?PassCode=1015682301773378>



Academic Counselor

Our Academic Counselor will be onsite at the Littleton Campus on Tuesday, April 9th @ 8:00-11:00 a.m. If you are interested in meeting with Mr. Cowan, please email him @

david.cowan@jeffco.k12.co.us.

alive at 25

On April 11th and 12th, at the Arvada campus, we will be exhibiting the "Crash Car" from alive at 25. This exhibit aims to raise awareness and educate teenagers about the dangers of inexperienced and impaired driving. It provides a visual representation of the consequences associated with their actions while in and around a motor vehicle, allowing them to understand the impact of their decisions better.



2023-2024 Course Selection

We are in the process of finalizing course offerings for next year. Our offerings are based on prior interest in the class and enrollment numbers as well as teacher preference. Links for our course selection worksheets will be sent via the 2R Press Friday, April 12th. Course selection worksheets list all course options for each grade level each period. The worksheet gives you space to plan your first and second options. Take a moment to read through the course catalog (on the website) for pertinent information regarding course offerings at Two Roads. The online selection process is completed through Google Forms and links will be sent out April 24th via email to all current families. A couple of reminders: You must choose a first and second option for each class period. The two options must not be the same class. Priority for course selection is offered to current families who have no outstanding fees. Students who have already taken a highly sought after class, may not be given first priority to take the class a second time.

Do you have friends who might be interested in our program? Two Roads Littleton Homeschool Program enrollment for the 24-25 School Year has begun. We still have some seats left! Please pass along our website and [Two Roads Littleton Homeschool Flier](#) to your friends or call the front office (720-425-6163) for more information.



Family Service Hours

Over the years the family service hour responsibility has changed from an expectation of 25, 20 and we now ask all families to complete 10 hours each year. The hours will remain the same next year, however the cost to buy out your hours will increase to \$20 per hour. We have over 250 options that we offer and we really rely on your assistance! Please check out the opportunities for the remainder of the school year. Thank you! [Littleton Family Service Hour Opportunities](#)



Homeschool Conference - Join us!

Fun news! We are surrounded by a fabulous homeschool community and together with Montessori Peaks and Summit Academy we are planning to host our second annual homeschool conference on Saturday, May 4th. We have our Keynote Speaker, Christine Owens with [Relaxed Homeschooling](#) and we are looking for vendors, presenters and parents wanting to participate. If you are interested, you can complete the applications and/or the registration form below. Please reach out to Tricia Shive with questions, tricia.shive@jeffco.k12.co.us.

- [Jeffco Homeschool Conference Presenter](#)
- [Jeffco Homeschool Conference Vendor](#)
- [Jeffco Homeschool Conference Registration](#)

This will be a day to gather with homeschool families, learn, recharge and refresh! Check out the website for more information: [Jeffco Homeschool Conference](#)

2nd Annual Jeffco Homeschool Conference

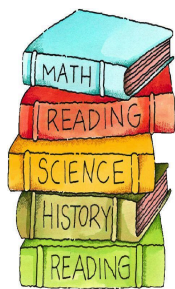
Saturday, May 4th

9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Mosaic Church

Littleton 80127

Cost is \$30



2024-25 Homeschool Curriculum

We are now accepting requests for homeschool curriculum for the 2024-25 school year. Requests are filled in the order in which they are received. We make every effort to complete your request as submitted, but due to demand, some items may no longer be available when your request is received. Complete one form per student--please do not combine family requests.

Request books for subjects you will be teaching at home; books for classes taken on campus will be distributed by teachers to students in August.

Curriculum pick-up will be in May; please watch the newsletter for specific dates and times. Contact Beth.Abeyta@jeffco.k12.co.us with questions. Complete the request form here: <https://forms.gle/5sv2UC6djtod3U7X8>.

Lettering Applications for High School

Just a friendly reminder to high school students that it is now time to start completing Lettering Applications for this school year. Here is the necessary information and ways students can Letter at Two Roads:

Lettering Applications	All lettering applications are due by the last Thursday in April at 3:00 p.m. No late submissions will be considered. Lettering applications can be found on our school website at: https://tworoads.jeffcopublicschools.org/students/lettering_applications Students may apply for a letter in the following categories: <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Academic Letter● Athletics Letter - For participation in TR athletics.● Community Service Letter● Drama Letter● Leadership Letter● Music Letter● Visual Arts Letter
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Penmen's Gazette

We are proud of this remarkable group of students who envisioned launching a school newspaper exclusively for our student body. Their initiative blossomed into an online blog, *Penmen's Gazette*. Filled with fun, wit, and entertainment, it has become a delightful platform for our school community. Click here for news on the Penmen's Gazette. Learn about the World's Fair, Upcoming Prom info, and how to correctly pronounce GIF! <https://trcsgazette.wordpress.com/>

Pre-Arranged Absence Forms

Is your family planning to be out for a vacation or for an absence longer than one day? If so, please complete the pre-arranged absence form. Students are expected to communicate with teachers at least 3 days prior to their absence so teachers have time to collect any materials necessary for students to complete work while away.

https://tworoads.jeffcopublicschools.org/family/pre-_arranged_absences



Prom Night 2024 - The Golden Hour

The Two Roads 2024 Prom is happening Thursday, April 18th, from 7:00 - 11:00 p.m. at Morris & Mae in Golden. All 10th - 12th grade students are invited to attend and will be allowed up to 2 guests in 10th grade and older. The cost per ticket is \$40 if purchased before April 4th. Tickets purchased after 3:15 p.m. on April 4th will be \$50. **All guests must have a permission slip with a parent or legal guardian signature AND a signature of their school's principal, or administrator.** All guest forms are due no later than Tuesday, April 16th by 3:15 p.m. In order to attend prom, students must be earning a passing grade in all courses. In addition, all fees must be paid.

<p><i>Two Roads 2024 Prom The Golden Hour Morris & Mae Golden, CO Thursday, April 18th 7:00-11:00 p.m. 10th-12th Grade Students Tickets \$40 (\$50 after April 4th)</i></p>	<p>Two Roads 2024 Prom Sign Up Prom Guest Form 2024 Two Roads 2024 Prom Donations</p>
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SAT and PSAT

All full-time 9th, 10th and 11th graders, and homeschool students who signed up with Mrs. Abeyta by the February deadline, will take the **PSAT 8/9, PSAT 10, or SAT on Thursday, April 18th**. Please arrive at the Arvada campus by **7:45 a.m.** and wait outside the front office to be directed to your testing room. Students who arrive late may not be permitted to test. **Students will be provided a testing ticket in their testing room.** Please review the following:

- There is a calculator embedded in the navigation bar of each test. If you prefer a hand-held calculator please review the acceptable models here:
 - [CALCULATOR POLICY](https://collegereadiness.collegeboard.org/sat/taking-the-test/calculator-policy)
<https://collegereadiness.collegeboard.org/sat/taking-the-test/calculator-policy>
- Do NOT bring your phone into the testing room.
 - [PHONE & DEVICE POLICY](https://collegereadiness.collegeboard.org/sat/taking-the-test/phone-electronic-device-policy)
<https://collegereadiness.collegeboard.org/sat/taking-the-test/phone-electronic-device-policy>
- Bring at least two sharpened pencils; any type is fine since the test will be taken on a school-provided Chromebook; personal devices are not permitted.
- You will not be permitted into any building except the building in which you are testing.
- Students will be dismissed to go home immediately following the completion of the test.
- **End times are approximate:**
 - PSAT and SAT: 7:45-11:00 a.m.
 - SAT with Essay: 7:45 a.m.-12:00 p.m.
- If you have any questions, please contact Beth.Abeyta@jeffco.k12.co.us.

Student Fees



Fee statements were sent out on Wednesday, March 13th. You may disregard the OPTIONAL fees and MAP fees (if you are not testing); otherwise, please pay your account balance ASAP.

Instructions on accessing your account through the Campus Parent Portal are included below.

We rely on the payment of fees. Please don't forget that school fees must be paid to participate in prom and graduation. In addition, once the online selection process begins, priority for course selection is offered to current families who have no outstanding fees.

[Why We Have Fees - Two Roads Charter School](#)

If you have any questions, please email connie.wennen@jeffco.k12.co.us or call 303-423-3377 Ext. 284

📎 [How to pay student fees_Campus Parent Portal.pdf](#)

Take our Spring Survey Now!

It is time for our annual Spring Survey! The School Accountability Committee has been tasked by the Two Roads Board of Directors to survey families about the school environment, communication, and teachers/staff. Please take a moment to complete the linked survey no later than April 8th. Families who complete the survey have an opportunity to receive parent service hour credit. Here is the survey link: <https://www.eSurveysPro.com/Survey.aspx?id=ad6d2fd2-3d92-45e7-bdbf-8571f2623077>

Thank you in advance for sharing your feedback about Two Roads!



Trunk-or- 'Treat' Curriculum Swap - TODAY!

Attention parents! Please join us April 5th, 2024 at the Littleton Campus East Parking Lot for our first annual Home-School Curriculum Swap.

Two Roads East Parking Lot

(Waterstone Community Church)

5890 S. Alkire St. Littleton

April 5th

Set-Up: 1:00 p.m.

Trunk-or-Treat Curriculum Swap: 1:30 - 4:30 p.m.

Start looking around your house now to gather any items you are no longer using. Load your trunk with what you collect. Once you arrive, you will be guided to park your vehicle.. Next, open your trunk and you are ready for business. Sell, swap, or shop around! Two Roads staff will be directing parking. All participants are responsible to manage their own trunk-or-treat sales

Two Roads Board of Directors Opening

As we continue to strive for excellence in education and governance, we are excited to announce an opportunity for individuals with accounting experience to join our esteemed School Board of Directors.

If you possess a background in accounting and are passionate about supporting educational initiatives, we invite you to consider becoming a vital part of our School Board. Your expertise will help guide financial decisions, ensure transparency, and maintain fiscal responsibility within our school community.

As a member of the School Board, you will have the opportunity to:

- Influence strategic financial planning and budget allocation.
- Provide insights to enhance financial accountability and sustainability.
- Collaborate with fellow board members to support the mission and vision of Two Roads.
- Make a meaningful impact on the educational experiences of our students.

Whether you are a seasoned professional or have recently ventured into the field of accounting, your skills and dedication are invaluable assets that can contribute to the continued growth and success of our school.

If you are interested in joining the Two Roads Charter School Board and making a difference in the lives of our students, please reach out to trcsboard@gmail.com. for more details on how to get involved.

Together, let us chart a course toward excellence in education, guided by your expertise and commitment to our school community.

Sincerely,
Chris Greenburg
Two Roads Board Chairperson

2024 Colorado Free Days

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Denver Zoo
2300 Steele St. Denver
denverzoo.org

1/5 & 1/21
2/11
4/7
11/1, 11/9, 11/17

Must reserve free tickets 7 days prior to free day. First come, first serve lottery system.

Clyfford Still Museum
1250 Bannock St. Denver
clyffordstillmuseum.org

2/29
4/28
7/28
11/2 (10am-10pm)

Must reserve free tickets 7 days prior to free day. There are also pay as you wish days offered.

Denver Botanic Gardens
1007 York St. Denver
8500 W Deer Creek Canyon Rd. Littleton
denverbotanicgardens.org

1/15	6/5
2/15	7/3
3/9	8/28
4/22	11/29

Must reserve free tickets the 1st of the month. No onsite tickets available.

Plains Conservation Center
21901 E Hampden Ave. Aurora
303-693-3621

1/18 10am-3pm	7/13 9am-2pm
2/22 10am-3pm	8/15 9am-2pm
3/16 10am-3pm	11/16 10am-3pm
6/13 9am-2pm	12/12 10am-3pm

Denver Museum of Nature & Science
2001 Colorado Blvd. Denver
dmns.org

1/8 & 1/28	9/10 (5pm-9pm)
2/25	9/30
4/28	10/20
6/4 (5pm-9pm)	11/2 (5pm-9pm)
6/19	11/18
8/21 (5pm-9pm)	12/8

Onsite free tickets available. A separate ticket is required for the planetarium or infinity theatre.

Four Mile Historic Park
715 S Forest St. Denver
fourmilepark.org

1/26	5/24	9/27
2/23	6/28	10/25
2/22	7/26	11/22
4/26	8/23	DEC TBD

Only free 10am-4pm and does not include admission to signature events or programs.

Museum of Contemporary Art
1485 Delgany St. Denver
mcdenver.org

1/6	5/4	9/7
2/3	6/1	10/5
3/2	7/6	11/2
4/6	8/3	12/7

Admission is \$0.01 for Colorado residents on the first Saturday of each month. Under 18 is always free.

Children's Museum
2121 Children's Museum Dr. Denver
mychildrensmuseum.org

5/17	8/16
6/21	9/20
7/19	

Joy Park Free Nights 4:30pm-8pm Outdoors Only.

National Parks
nps.gov

1/15	8/4
4/20	9/28
6/19	11/11

Free admission for everyone to all national parks.

RESOURCES

Absence Reporting Form	https://tworoads.jeffcopublicschools.org/family/attendance_line
Family Service Hours	Opportunities are added throughout the school year. Check out the links on our website- Volunteer Opportunities
Fees	Your contact for fee questions or payment questions is our Financial Secretary, Connie Wennen. You may reach Connie by emailing connie.wennen@jeffco.k12.co.us or by calling 303-423-3377 Ext. 284. The parent portal for viewing your statement and paying fees online is linked here: Campus Parent Portal How to Pay Fees Through Campus Parent Portal
Homeschool Resources	Check out this folder of material presented at our Littleton Homeschool Coffees. Contents are updated as meetings occur. Please check the folder for anything you might have missed. If you have questions about any of the resources please email lisa.wick@jeffco.k12.co.us . Homeschool Coffee Parent Resources Homeschool Curriculum Options Curriculum Request Form
Lettering Applications	It seems far off, but look at these now. All lettering applications are due by the last Thursday in April at 3:00 p.m. No late submissions will be considered. When using the links below, you will be prompted to make a copy of the application. Academic Letter Athletics Letter Community Service Letter Drama Letter Music Letter Visual Arts Letter
MAP Testing	We offer MAP testing to meet the standardized testing requirement for homeschool families. Family Guide to Map Growth PDF MAP Family Toolkit - Website Student Progress Report_Quick Reference PDF
National Honor	Students who meet eligibility requirements (necessary sustained GPA) will

Society	be invited to apply in January of each year. To view the application packet use the following link: NHS Application Packet
Password Reset	Parent/Guardian Password Reset Tool Student Password Reset
Questions	Unsure of who to contact with your question? Please start be emailing tworoadsquestions@gmail.com
Schoology	Parent login is your same login for Jeffco Connect and Infinite Campus. Parents and students should NOT be logged in on the same computer. Student username is the student number, password is their 8 digit birthdate Schoology Parent Notifications - Website Article Schoology Parent View - Website Video