SEPTEMBER 2026

District COUGAR NEWS

OUR VISION:
Crest Ridge R-VII is determined to be a dynamic and innovative school district in an evolving world

OUR MISSION:
We cultivate and empower every student for success

UPCOMING EVENTS: OCTOBER

5 NO SCHOOL, PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT
12 NO SCHOOL
14 SCHOOL BOARD MEETING 6PM
19 NO SCHOOL, PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT
19 PARENT TEACHER CONFERENCES
26 NO SCHOOL

ACTIVITIES CALENDAR

CSIP

WE ARE FOCUSED ON WALKING OUT OUR NEW CSIP!

The CSIP team narrowed our CSIP to 6 strategic goals with action steps. Our Mission, Vision, Belief Statements, and Priorities have remained the same.

Building plans and individual professional development plans are derived from the CSIP.

NO SCHOOL ALL MONDAYS IN OCTOBER
OCTOBER 5,12,19,26



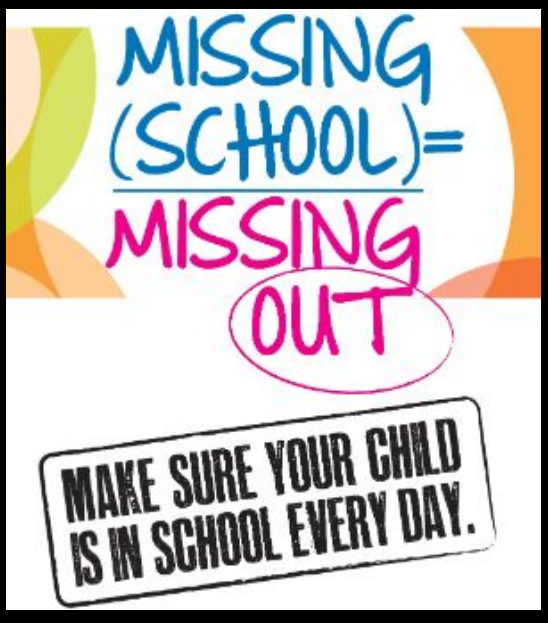
Board Recap: September

- THE BOARD APPROVED THE 2026-2027 LOCAL COMPLIANCE PLAN FOR SPECIAL EDUCATION. THE BOARD CHOSE TO ADOPT THE MODEL COMPLAINCE PLAN SET FORTH BY THE MISSOURI DEPARTMENT OF ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION. THE LOCAL COMPLIANCE PLAN CAN BE VIEWED HERE.
- THE BOARD APPROVED NEW LANGUAGE FOR THE STUDENT PARENT HANDBOOK WITH REGARD TO BOTH DUAL CREDIT AND DUAL ENROLLMENT CLASSES AT THE HIGH SCHOOL LEVEL. THE NEW LANGUAGE CAN BE VIEWED HERE.
- THE SEPTEMBER SUPERINTENDENT REPORT WAS PRESENTED.

NEXT MEETING:
OCTOBER 14, 2026
6:00PM

COUGAR ACHIEVERS HABIT #1: BE PROACTIVE!! CONGRATULATIONS!

Habit #1 Be Proactive
Annalee Danner
Landry Filis
Noah Branscum
Lloyd Gann
Kayson Russell
Delaney Bennett
Grayson Dunlap
Owen Duffy
Lorelei Mifflin
Kenzlie Carlton
Logan Armstrong
Gatlin Jones
Ben Alexander
Mrs. Milton
Miss Hannah Wilson



ATTENDANCE MATTERS

CSIP SMART GOAL #7: BY 2026, DISTRICT OVERALL ATTENDANCE WILL BE NO LOWER THAN 95%.

ATTENDANCE, SEPTEMBER:
CR ELEMENTARY: 96.71%
CR MIDDLE SCHOOL: 95.47%
CR HIGH SCHOOL: 95.11%

CELEBRATIONS!!!

KNOB NOSTER TOURNEY 1ST PLACE!



WELLINGTON TOURNEY 1ST PLACE!



FFA LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE















REMINDERS!!

JEFF HAYES Memorial

Just Be Tough Fun Run

OCTOBER 3RD, 2026

Start Time 11:00 AM

REGISTRATION $20

Crest Ridge High School Track

92 MO-58, Centerview, MO 64019

Please park in the Elementary School Parking Lot

Donations can be made by Cash, Check, or Venmo

Venmo: @trenthayes26

All proceeds go to the Jeff Hayes Memorial Scholarship



SAVE THE DATE! 10/15/26

Get a Flu Vaccine

Johnson County Community Health Department will host a Flu Vaccine Clinic at Crest Ridge R-7 Secondary on October 15th for Staff & Students

Please note: Vaccines will NOT be administered unless a student or staff member has completed the sign up process. Sign up at https://patients.vaxcare.com/registration with code: MO19110

Volleyball Theme Nights

9/3	vs Sacred heart: Black out 1st HOME Game
9/24	vs Concordia: USA
10/6	vs Kingsville: Pink out
10/13	vs Lone Jack: PJ night Youth Night
10/19	Windsor: Jersey Night Senior Night

FOOTBALL THEME NIGHTS

SEPTEMBER 4TH
VS. WEST PLATTE
Cougar Pride

SEPTEMBER 18TH
VS. LEXINGTON
Splash Night
YOUTH NIGHT

OCTOBER 9TH
VS. LONE JACK
Pink Out
HOCO

OCTOBER 23RD
VS. WINDSOR
Senior Citizens
SENIOR NIGHT

CREST RIDGE SCHOOL DISTRICT

WE'RE HIRING

paraprofessionals

WE ARE LOOKING FOR INDIVIDUALS TO WORK DIRECTLY WITH OUR STUDENTS AS PARAPROFESSIONALS.

For information, please visit our website at https://www.crestridge.org/page/employment

IF INTERESTED. PLEASE CONTACT
AMY DAPRON, ADAPRON@CRESTRIDGE.ORG
OR
LINDA HEISHMAN, LHEISHMAN@CRESTRIDGE.ORG


The
SCHOLASTIC
BOOK
FAIR
is coming!
MORE INFO
The CRE Fall Book Fair is almost here. Students will be able to shop the book fair during library and counseling times throughout the fair week.
9/24-10/2
7:45-3:30
10/1 FAMILY READING NIGHT
10/2 GRANDPARENTS DAY
https://bookfairs.scholastic.com/bf/crestridgeelemschool1