

From Your Ridgecrest Counselors

The countdown has begun to the end of the school year. With summer fresh in mind there are still a few weeks left to wrapping up what has been a successful school year. It is important to make sure students are still staying on top of school work and maintaining focus in class. This is a good opportunity to check Edline and Aeries.net for any missing work and opportunities for extra credit or make-up work. If students are struggling to make it to the finish, they are encouraged to speak with parents, teachers, or come see a counselor for extra support. If we work together, everyone will feel good to the finish.

As with any vacation season, we hope time is spent together as a family and with friends, enjoying one another's company and spent doing things that sometimes may be more difficult during the school year. Encourage your child to keep their electronic use to a minimum. We recommend practicing the same use of putting cell phones and other devices away at night time and during mealtimes as during the school year. Engage your child(ren) in conversation throughout the day. Keep your child's mind continuously busy by enrolling him or her in various summer camp activities, promote reading, and find hobbies that may be of interest. Summer school is also a great opportunity for students (pvpps.com). Whatever your plans may be this summer, we hope it is fun, safe, and enjoyable!

Have a wonderful summer!

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