

Frequently Asked Questions Redmond High School Graduation Portfolio 2011-2012

HOW CAN PARENTS VIEW THEIR STUDENT'S PORTFOLIO AND CAREER CRUISING COMPONENTS?

Students can "invite" their parents to view their portfolio as a guest. This request generates an automatic password message to be sent to the parent's email. The parent password is good for 90 days.

WHERE IS INFORMATION AND ANNOUNCEMENTS POSTED REGARDING THE GRADUATION PORTFOLIO?

The Academic & Career Planning page on the RHS website, <http://www.lwsd.org/school/rhs/For-Students/academic-and-career-planning/Pages/default.aspx>, contains links to the Graduation by Portfolio handbook, portfolio documents, and Career Cruising. Announcements and news regarding the portfolio are posted on a regular basis. Also, there are links to helpful sites about career planning, post-secondary education and scholarships.

SOME NEVAC CLASSES MEET FOR 2 HOURS EACH DAY SO HOW MANY ARTIFACTS ARE REQUIRED?

If a student is enrolled in a 2-hour NEVAC class at RHS, or at another school, they will need only 1 artifact per semester for the 2-hour class.

HOW MANY ARTIFACTS ARE REQUIRED FOR RUNNING START STUDENTS?

14 artifacts are required each year. A "Running Start Cover Sheet" must be used for all Running Start Assignments.

WHAT IF A STUDENT IS NOT TAKING 6 CLASSES BECAUSE THEY HAVE LATE ARRIVAL OR EARLY DISMISSAL?

The student will complete a reflection, as the artifact, providing evidence of the effective use of this time and the connection to their High School & Beyond plan. This form will be available on the webpage by November 12.

WHAT SHOULD A STUDENT DO THAT IS MISSING AN ARTIFACT FROM LAST YEAR?

In order to meet the required number of artifacts, the student will need to select another student-choice artifact from this year to upload.

DO STUDENTS NEED TO RENAME LAST YEAR'S ARTIFACTS OR RE-UPLOAD THEM IN .PDF FORMAT?

The new naming format is for this year's artifacts. You do NOT have to go back and rename last year's. HOWEVER, teachers will NOT accept this year's artifacts unless they are in .pdf format and named properly:

Grade Semester Class Artifact

HOW DO I GET MY PASSWORD IF I FORGET IT?

Students can either email Mr. Larson at jl Larson@lwsd.org or stop by Mr. Larson's office before or after school.