

Utah's Statewide GEAR UP Education Program

Davis & Weber School Districts

Dear Students & Parents,

GEAR UP students are invited to attend our upcoming campus visit:

October 14, 2021 (Fall Break)
Idaho State University Campus Visit / Pocatello, ID
Submit by priority deadline: October 1st

Campus visits are a great way for you to experience college firsthand! During our visit, we will participate in a variety of hands-on activities as we learn about the different programs, career paths, and opportunities the college or university has to offer. These visits will equip you with valuable instruction and a chance to ask questions related to living on campus, meal options, what college courses are like, numerous activities and clubs to get involved in, average class sizes, and much more. As you spend time visiting various college campuses, it can ultimately help you choose which school is the right fit for you.

THIS IS A FREE EVENT! Registration is required and students are admitted FIRST COME, FIRST SERVE! Once capacity has been reached, students will be placed on a waiting list and notified if space becomes available. To register, complete the attached consent form and submit it to your GEAR UP advisor or the counseling office at your school prior to the deadline. If you are selected to attend, you are expected to keep your commitment to attend this event. If there is an emergency and you have to cancel your spot, please contact GEAR UP and explain the situation, preferably at least 1 week prior to the scheduled event.

Details about transportation and a final itinerary will be provided soon. Please arrive at the designated location on time.

Please reach out to your GEAR UP advisor with any questions or concerns regarding the event. Their contact information, as well as more information about the event, can be found on our website:

www.weber.edu/stategearup

Sincerely,

GEAR UP

Informed Consent for Minors and their Parent

This is an informed consent form for minors, which identifies risks of participating in a Weber State University (WSU) GEAR UP activity or program, and a consent form for parents/guardians.

Parent or Guardian, read and sign this section: I have been informed of the nature of the Activity, listed below, which my minor child wishes to participate in. I recognize that the Activity may involve moderate to strenuous physical activity and may cause physical and or emotional distress to participants. I state that my minor child is free from any known heart, respiratory or other health problems that could prevent her or him from safely participating in the Activity. I consent to the participation of my minor child in the Activity.

In consideration for my minor child being allowed to participate in the activity I also grant permission to the University to use his or her photograph, video, or likeness on its website or in any other publication at any time including publicity for or about the activity. On behalf of myself and minor child I waive all rights to receive compensation in connection with the taking and use of my likeness.

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CONSENT

Consent is expressively given, in the event of injury, for any emergency aid, anesthesia, and/or operation, if in the opinion of the attending physician, such treatment is necessary.

Parent/Guardian Name: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ **Today's Date:** _____

Parent/Guardian Phone: _____

Participating Minor Child, read and sign this section: I desire to participate in the Activity described above. I agree to familiarize myself with the Activity and what is required, rules of conduct and safety equipment. I agree to follow proper operating procedures including safety procedures as outlined by the Activity leader, plus any directions given by WSU personnel. I agree to follow the rules of conduct and use the provided safety equipment.

Participant's Name: _____

Participant's Signature: _____ **Today's Date:** _____

Emergency Contact: _____ **Phone:** _____

**** Please submit to GEAR UP by the designated due date. May be mailed, emailed, or submitted in person ****
Space is limited - first come, first serve!
(Once capacity is reached, students will be notified and added to a waitlist)

Rules of Conduct

- Students must follow the instructions of their designated leader and inform such leader of their whereabouts at all time.
- You are expected to report any accidents, injuries, or illness to your designated leader immediately.
- If you are found responsible for any vandalism or stealing, you and your parents will be liable for all damage.
- You may not purchase, bring, consume or be under the influence of alcohol, tobacco, or other drugs at any time. Violators will be subject to strict disciplinary action and will be sent home immediately at the expense of the parents/guardians.
- We strongly encourage students not to bring personal electronic devices, however, if they choose to do so, it will be at your own risk. Weber State University, GEAR UP, or the school district will not accept responsibility for lost or stolen items.
- Your high school dress code will be enforced during this trip.

Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) Statement:

Weber State University, in compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, ensures equal access to all university functions, activities, and programs for individuals with disabilities. Please contact your GEAR UP advisor at least two weeks prior to this event to request accommodations in relation to a disability.

Meal Accommodations:

If you have any dietary restrictions or allergies, please contact your GEAR UP advisor at least two weeks prior to this event to request accommodations.

