



## National GEAR UP Week September 21-25, 2020

*(As proclaimed by the City of Nogales and Santa Cruz County in the month of September 2020)*

Introducing a very special video series focused on post-secondary options created by Robert Brubaker, Special Projects Coordinator, Santa Cruz County School Superintendent's Office:

### **"Admissions Spotlight"**

Watch as we release two new video interviews per day highlighting colleges, universities, and the military during National Gear Up Week! Learn about the admissions process, housing, extra-curriculars, and specialized programs of study.

\*See these videos on our social media, our website- [www.c-creo.org](http://www.c-creo.org), and Gear Up Program parent workshops.

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## **ATTENTION FRESHMEN CLASS OF 2024!**

**Tuesday, Sept. 22<sup>nd</sup>**- *Learning from Others Day*- "Grit is the passion, perseverance, and stamina we must channel to stick with our dreams until they become reality" -Travis Bradberry

### **"Admissions Spotlight Day 2~ Wake Forest University & Davidson College"**

**LIVE on Zoom: Gritty Interviews-** 4:00 p.m. (Rene Grijalva & Sandra Davila)

Click to join: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/5206040969?pwd=eEYzQWI2bUF5ZWlzMkYVZSUw0OXY5Zz09>

Meeting ID: 520 604 0969/Passcode: GEARUP

1. Grit interviews~ video of government professionals, pro athlete, and collegiate athlete (TBA)
2. PowerPoint Slide Presentation

**\*Student Activity:** Grit Interviews- Learning from others can help you build GRIT!! Interview someone who inspires you!! Submit to your Success Coach by September 25th: (Success Coach contact information below)

Sample Questions:

- 1) What is the biggest goal you've set that you were able to achieve?
- 2) What did you have to do to accomplish that goal?
- 3) Did you ever think of giving up? If so, how did you overcome that thought?
- 4) How did you feel when you accomplished that goal?