



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, and Gear Up Program parent workshops.

ATTENTION FRESHMEN CLASS OF 2024!

Monday – Thursday during National Gear Up Week features an opportunity to enter your Growing GRIT work in a contest to win a PRIZE! All submissions are due no later than Friday, September 25, 2020. Email your entries to your Gear Up Success Coach.

Monday, Sept. 21st *Growing GRIT Day~ “80% of success is just showing up” -Woody Allen*

“Admissions Spotlight Day 1~ Spelman College & Vanderbilt University

* **Student Activity:** Tap in to your creative side and submit one of the following to your Success Coach by September 25th:
(Success Coach contact information below)

1. Write a story or poem about someone you know who has GRIT.
2. Film a one-minute video that tells a story of GRIT.
3. Create a piece of art that symbolizes GRIT.
4. Take a photo that depicts GRIT.

LIVE on Zoom: Six Life Lessons From A Cactus- 4:00 p.m. (Terri Sprigg)

Click to join: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85394895322?pwd=a0dWcTJvcHJUNFc1a1hNZ2ZjREdKZz09>

Meeting ID: 853 9489 5322/Passcode: 809006

Put your camera to work! Be a part of our *Growing Grit Cactus Garden* photo gallery. Send a photo of any cactus or Saguaro in your garden or around your home- email to tsprigg@santacruzcountyaz.gov

WATCH Video: The Power of Grit- Motivation Minute <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EXE2mwZfmIc>