



# The Prowler

## RIO HONDO MIDDLE SCHOOL

### Mr. Moreno's Desk

#### Week 28: March 4, 2019

##### Teachers...

Texas Public Schools Week will be observed during the week of March 4, 2019. RHMS will host its annual Open House on Monday evening, March 4th from 5:30-7:00 p.m. Please ensure that your classrooms are clean and ready to showcase. Have an inviting atmosphere and be prepared to greet every parent with a friendly smile. Our mission is to promote and encourage parental support as noted on our RHMS Campus Improvement Plan. I expect all teachers in attendance.

- Parents do NOT want to show up to see an empty classroom with a sign-in sheet taped to the door.
- Parents do NOT show up to talk to campus administrators.

You (teachers) are the focal point of Open House, not anyone else. Please mark your calendars and plan accordingly.

##### Teachers and Staff...

##### Professional Reminders:

- Continue to ensure quality instruction at the forefront of all you do. STAAR testing is right around the corner.
- "Bell-to-bell" learning is a non-negotiable. We need to be effective and efficient with our instructional time.
- Minimize your time out of the classroom. Take preventative measures to remain healthy for our students.
- Ensure supervision...in between passing periods and at all your assigned

- duties.
- Keep students and parents abreast of any cancellations regarding practices, meetings, and/or tutorials.
- Be careful what you say to students and how you treat them. Sometimes without knowing, we offend students.
- Call parents immediately regarding discipline issues. Do not wait for an administrator to do your job. If you wait, the situation may be turned around against you!
- Social media should not be used during school time...unless you are showcasing your students and/or your lessons. Never say or imply anything negative about your job, your work day, or your colleagues.
- Do not text, IM, or DM any students as it violates school policy. Do not put yourself in a position that will warrant possible disciplinary consequences.



### Events

#### Monday, March 4, 2019

- Dept. Meetings/PLC's
- CBA #9 6th/7th Math
- Writing Planning (B. Perez/Dr. Lopez) 8:15-12:00
- Texas Public Schools Week  
RHMS Open House 5:30 p.m.—7:00 p.m.

#### Tuesday, March 5, 2019

- CBA #9 6th/7th Reading
- RHMS Band Drive for Parents 4:00 p.m.—6:00 p.m.

#### Wednesday, March 6, 2019

- CBA #9 Science

#### Thursday, March 7, 2019

- CBA #9 Social Studies
- RGVLS Special Kids Rodeo
- RHMS B&G Track @ Hidalgo HS

#### Friday, March 8, 2019

- CBA #9 Make-Ups
- UIL EOY Celebration (9th period)
- RHMS Cheerleader Tryouts



#### Pride of the Week

Our PRIDE of the week goes to our very own, Mack Simpson! Mack was the ONLY student from the Rio Hondo FFA to make the auction with his show steer. He placed third in his class with his ABC steer. There were 41 total steers in that one class. A big shout out to Mack for a job well done!

"If the grass looks greener on the other side...**Stop** staring. **Stop** comparing. **Stop** complaining. And **START** watering the grass you're standing on!" ~Angel Chernoff

"If we want to talk about 'student success', students have to lead the conversation and have the ability to define what success means to them. This is not only beneficial for our work today but for how students create their own opportunities in the future."

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