## **Inyo Promise 2017-2018**

We, the Inyo County educational community, in cooperation with our sister schools (Cerro Coso Community College and the University of Nevada, Reno), do promise that the graduates of an Inyo County High School have two options for higher education:

## 1. Cerro Coso Community College/Bishop

- a. Any student with 2.0 GPA from high school will be provided, through the Eastern Sierra Foundation, a full tuition and a \$300 credit per semester for books for up to two years in order to complete an Associate of Arts (A.A.) degree or professional degree program. Students must be enrolled in at least 12 units on the Bishop campus.
- b. Students who complete transfer requirements from Cerro Coso with a cumulative 3.25 or higher transfer GPA (calculated only on the courses taken that will transfer to the University) will be admitted to the University of Nevada, Reno and be eligible for Western Undergraduate Exchange (WUE) Non-resident Reduced Tuition, saving approximately \$5,500\* per semester. Visit <a href="www.unr.edu/transfer">www.unr.edu/transfer</a> for additional admission requirements and <a href="www.unr.edu/reducedtuition">www.unr.edu/reducedtuition</a> for further details about WUE, including deadlines.

## 2. University of Nevada, Reno (UNR)

- a. **Nevada Advantage Non-resident Reduced Tuition** Any Inyo County High School graduate who completes a high school course of study that includes: 4 years of English, 3 years of science (2 yrs of lab), 3 years of mathematics and 3 years of social science with a 3.0 or higher academic GPA in these core subjects and a SAT score of at least 1100 (March 2016 test date or later) or ACT Composite score of at least 22, (from a single test date) will be accepted at UNR and provided a sister school savings of approximately \$3,800\* per semester. Deadline to apply and provide application, transcript, and test scores is April 7<sup>th</sup>. All freshman are encouraged to live on campus their first year. Nevada Advantage is only available based on freshman criteria if applying for the fall semester immediately following their high school graduation. Visit www.unr.edu/reducedtuition for further details.
- b. WUE Non-resident Reduced Tuition Any Inyo County High School graduate who completes a high school course of study that includes: 4 years of English, 3 years of science (2 yrs of lab), 3 years of mathematics and 3 years of social science with a 3.25 or higher academic GPA in these core subjects and a SAT score of at least 1240 (March 2016 test date or later) or ACT Composite score of at least 26 (from a single test date) will be accepted at UNR and provided a sister school savings of approximately \$5,500\* per semester. Deadline to apply and provide application, transcript, and test scores is April 7<sup>th</sup>. Student must live on campus during their freshman year. WUE is only available based on freshman criteria if applying for the fall semester immediately following their high school graduation. Visit www.unr.edu/reducedtuition for further details.
- c. The Inyo County Superintendent of Schools will grant a \$1,000 scholarship to all Inyo County high school students who attend UNR as a freshman, to offset books and transportation costs whether or not they qualify for the WUE or Nevada Advantage.

<sup>\*</sup>Savings over UNR's out-of-state tuition and varies based on total number of credits. Subject to change.