

Teacher-Faculty Facts

This is Mrs. Karger's first year teaching at Portales High School. She was inspirational to become an English teacher by her former high school English teacher, Linda Conwell, who is now teaching college level English and according to Karger is still amazing. Karger teaches English 2 and English 4 at Portales High School. Mrs. Karger decided to become a teacher after she graduated from Texas Tech with a degree in history and English. She stated, "The most difficult thing about being a teacher is watching students make bad choices; Knowing from experience/age what the consequences will be." Karger enjoys teaching because of the kids, but she dislikes the grading part of teaching. She plans on teaching for 5 more years, Karger stated that if she was not a teacher she would be a lawyer.



Sports

Abree Aldaz is a Portales High School sophomore who loves to play basketball. She has been playing basketball for ten years and cannot get enough of the sport. Abree said that basketball has had a big impact on her life, and she's hoping that she can get a scholarship as that's all she's ever wanted. Abree said her mom is her inspiration to keep pursuing her dream to get a scholarship, and do her absolute best in school and at every game.



By Adam Derrick

Take A Look



Portales Rams (17-3) get ready to match up with Moriarty Pintos on Tuesday 2/7/17

By Genaro Salazar

Student Spotlight

Samantha Montoya is a student at PHS. She is a cheerleader. Samantha loves to cheer for PHS and very competitive. Samantha is unsure what she wants to do after high school but said,



"High school has been a great experience for me. I love seeing my friends and doing what I'm supposed to do. This has taught me life lessons, through hard times and though easy times ."

" I love to sleep and hang with friends, but most of the time I really don't have time to sleep because of cheer and all my stuff I have to do."

By Genaro Salazar

Go Figure

By Mariah Gomez



23 days until school is out for state basketball.

Just Saying

If you could only survive off of one type of food what would it be?

Jacob Long- deer

Charles McNeal- chicken

Ivan Pacheco- steak

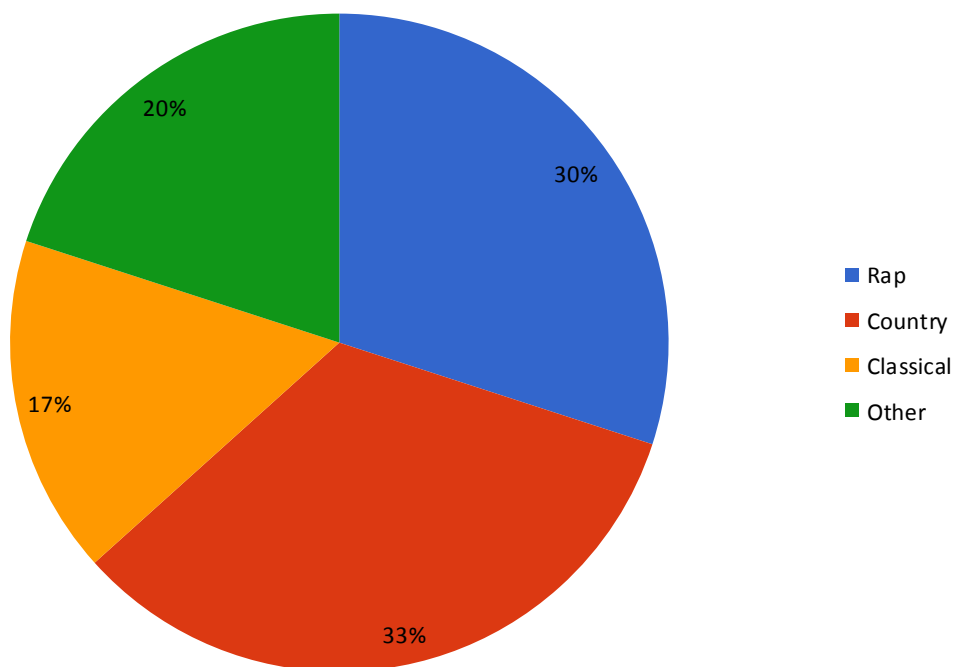
Lilly Saiz- pasta

Brianna Schilling- watermelon

Tyann Gutierrez - Chinese food

By Adam Derrick

PHS Stats



By Kendyll Laman

Main Article

On Thursday, February 9th, Emilio Lovato and Trenton Small, seniors at Portales High School, signed athletic letters of intent for Eastern New Mexico University. Lovato signed to play baseball while Small signed for football and track.



Trenton Small plans on majoring in Wildlife and Fishery Sciences and plans to complete his major there. It is one of the top schools in the nation that offers the degree he is pursuing.

Small has also picked this college because his schooling is not expensive and says, "I can still have my mama's cooking."

Lovato originally was supposed to sign on February 8th, but he had decided to sign alongside with Small. Lovato and Small have picked a school that suits them and are prepared for this coming semester and ready to be proud Greyhounds.

By: Lily Schneider

From The Classroom Of

The health class at Portales High School recently underwent a change of instructors. Mrs. Lynn, who taught the health class for several years, resigned and Mrs. Lee moved from her credit recovery class to the position. While this is a change for Mrs. Lee, she is doing her best to make the transition as seamless as possible for herself and her students. She has currently been teaching the class for a week and half and has been teaching her students about self esteem, types of communication, CPR, and handling emotions.



According to a health student, “The class has changed a little because Mrs. Lynn and Mrs. Lee are both different, but they are good teachers.”

Although the teachers have changed, the class still teaches the students what they need to know.

Another student commented, “I plan on using what I learned about controlling emotions to use positive emotions instead of negative.”

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