



# What's Up, Wildcats?



## Chat from 'Chini

Greetings Wildcat families and happy Friday!

Junior students are starting to receive their individual ACT scores. There is nothing better than to see a student so proud of their progress and accomplishments. Students may be eligible for grade bumps in certain classes if they receive proficient scores on the ACT.

This week we recognized seniors who earned scholarship money; top 10, 5, and 1% rankings and GPAs of 4.0 and higher. Our seniors earned in excess of \$8.5 million in scholarship money, with some seniors earning in the hundreds of thousands! Congrats to all who were honored, and wear those cords with pride at graduation. Further graduation information can be found uploaded to this post in Parent Square.

Twenty! Only twenty more days of school left. That's only four weeks! This is the final push for any student who needs to show mastery to get their grade to that next level!

To all who are attending prom tonight - can't wait to see you! Please remember that school rules are still in place. Students and their guests will need a school ID. All bags are subject to search upon entry. Any student who violates our school or district rules will be removed (no refunds will be given) and will face consequences based on the district handbook. Please represent Willow Canyon's Winning Culture and Noble Character at this event - it's your time to shine!

Have a wonderful weekend, and remember to take time to be kind.

*Lisa Parachini -*  
principal 



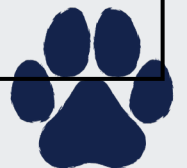
### Upcoming Events

Prom - April 24

Choir Concert  
April 30, May 1  
7pm

Dance Concert  
May 6-8  
7pm

Graduation  
Desert Diamond Arena  
May 13, 10am





# Did you know...

Every year Willow Canyon reviews student and teacher performance, survey feedback and other forms of data to help guide our course for the following year. We use this information to set goals that align with our mission, vision and values. Collectively, these drive all that we do to ensure a Winning Culture.

## Mission - Vision - Values - Goals

**MISSION:** To provide a safe learning environment where students *WIN* everyday—mastering rigorous academics through strong *work ethic*, *innovative thinking*, and *noble character*.

**VISION:** Willow Canyon sets the standard as a premier high school relentlessly pursuing excellence and a winning culture.

**VALUES:** Winning Culture

### Goal #1

Willow Canyon will achieve a 1.0 growth score from Aspire to ACT (baseline .8 ELA, .86 math)

Willow Canyon will increase AzSci proficiency rates by 1% and/or be above state average.

### Goal #2

All collaborative teams at Willow Canyon will implement PLC processes with fidelity with focus on student learning, collaborative culture/collective responsibility and results driven, as evidenced in the PLC self assessment on identified shifts.

### Goal #3

Willow Canyon will increase the quality of relationships and communication between staff, students, families and community as indicated on DUSD annual survey.



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