

I HAVE
A DREAM



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KING, JR.

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February is the month of Valentine's Day. It's a special day to let people know that you love or care about them. So whether you have a special someone or not, make sure you tell someone how much they mean to you.

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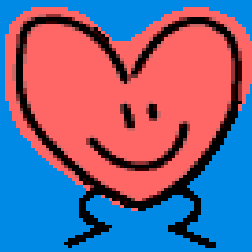
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Robeson Early College High School

**FUN FACT!!**

Of the Saint Valentine whose feast is on February 14, nothing is known except his name, that he was buried north of Rome on February 14, and that he was born on April 16.

Quote of the Month!

"Education is what remains after one has forgotten what one has learned in school."

-Albert Einstein



Don't just let time pass you by, fly like an Eagle.

FANTASTIC FACULTY



Mrs. Deese

- Q. Where did you work before coming to Early College?
A. South Robeson High School
- Q. What is your most favorite part of teaching?
A. I love the time spent in the classroom with my students.
- Q. Why do you teach?
A. I love math!

- Q. What would you do if you weren't teacher?
A. Teaching is my top pick.
- Q. How do you like your job now as opposed to when you first started?
A. It gets better every year.
- Q. What is your advice to those who want to be teacher?
A. You must love children and be very flexible.
- Q. What other grade levels would you teach?
A. I want to stay at the high school level.

FEBRUARY FUN FACTS!!

- February's birthstone is the Amethyst.
- 2012 is a leap year; therefore, February has 29 days. This only occurs every four years.
- The third Monday of the month is President's Day.
- Washington and Lincoln's birthdays were both in this month, but states usually honor all presidents on this day.

LINGO**English: Love****Spanish: Amor****Chinese: 愛****German: Liebe****Japanese: 愛する****Swahili: Upendo**

“I looked at my hands to see if I was the same person. There was such a glory over thing. The sun came up like gold through trees, and I felt like I was in heaven.”

—Harriet Tubman

Congratulations!

We are proudly a North Carolina nominee for the Blue Ribbon Award. The purpose of this award is explained below:

The National Blue Ribbon Schools Program recognizes public and non-public elementary, middle, and high schools where students achieve at very high levels and/or where the achievement gap is narrowing. The Program sets a standard of excellence for all schools striving for the highest level of achievement. The National Blue Ribbon Schools Program is part of a larger U. S. Department of Education effort to identify and disseminate knowledge about best school leadership and teaching practices. Each year since 1982, the U.S. Department of Education has sought out schools where students attain and maintain high academic goals, including those that beat the odds.

<http://www2.ed.gov/programs/nclbbrs/index.html>

GO EAGLES!!

Valentine's Day Word Search



E S M W B F
 T R A E H C A R D N
 O R O S E S V I V M N F
 O F L O W E R S G E C A N D Y X
 H A N D H O L D I N G L L O R T S
 H U G S T C D P D K F B E M I N E
 Q S R O T I U S U N E C N A M O R
 D I P U C H O C O L A T E V Z
 S G N I L E E F C G I F T
 F R P V N D I A M O N D Z
 Y E W Y R A U R B E F
 V V P Q R T I Y T
 O U R Z E
 L O V
 W

Arrow
Be Mine
Candy
Card
Chocolate
Couples
Cupid

Date
Diamond
February
Feelings
Flowers
Friendship
Gift

Hand holding
Heart
Hugs
Kisses
Love
Lovers
Romance

Roses
Stroll
Suitors
Valentine

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Truth or Trash?

- Polo used to be an Olympic event.*
- All of Venus' moons are named for female deities.**
- THE COYOTE ONCE CAUGHT THE ROADRUNNER.**



TRUTH

TRASH

TRUTH

"I have a dream that one day this nation will rise up and live out the true meaning of its creed: 'We hold these truths to be self-evident: that all men are created equal...' When we allow freedom to ring, when we let it ring from every village and every hamlet, from every state and every city, we will be able to speed up that day when all of God's children, black men and white men, Jews and Gentiles, Protestants and Catholics, will be able to join hands and sing in the words of the old Negro spiritual, 'Free at last! Free at last! Thank God Almighty, we are free at last!'"

-Martin Luther King, Jr.

Martin Luther King, Jr.



King was a Baptist minister and social activist who played a key role in the American Civil Rights Movement from the mid-1950s until his assassination in 1968. Inspired by activists of nonviolence, but mostly by Mahatma Gandhi, King sought equality for African Americans, the economically disadvantaged, and victims of injustice through peaceful protest.

He was the driving force behind many events such as the Montgomery Bus Boycott and the March on Washington, which helped bring about such landmark legislation as the Civil Rights Act of 1964. King was awarded the Nobel Peace Prize in 1964 and is remembered each year on Martin Luther King Jr. Day, a U.S. federal holiday since 1986.



<http://www.history.com/topics/martin-luther-king-jr>

