

## INYO PROMISE

The Inyo County educational community, in cooperation with Cerro Coso Community College and the University of Nevada, Reno, does promise that the graduates of an Inyo county high school have two guaranteed options for higher education:

### 1. Cerro Coso Community College / Bishop

- a. Any student will be eligible to apply for a full scholarship through the Eastern Sierra Foundation, which covers in-state enrollment fees and up to \$500 per semester for required books in order to AA/AS degree, transfer requirements, or a professional degree program. Students must be enrolled in at least 12 units on the Bishop Campus each semester and maintain all other scholarship requirements.
- b. Students who complete transfer requirements from Cerro Coso with a minimum 3.00 cumulative GPA (calculated only on the courses taken that will transfer to UNR) will be considered for **Western Undergraduate Exchange (WUE)**, a program which saves qualified students approximately \$6,351\* per semester. Visit [www.unr.edu/transfer](http://www.unr.edu/transfer) for transfer admission requirements and [www.unr.edu/wue](http://www.unr.edu/wue) for official WUE policy, including deadlines.
- c. Students who complete transfer requirements from Cerro Coso with a 2.75- 2.99 cumulative transfer GPA (calculated only on the courses taken that will transfer to UNR) will be considered for **Pack Exchange Program** which saves qualified students approximately \$4,431\* per semester.

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

- a. 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 WUE or Pack Exchange Program.
- b. **Western Undergraduate Exchange (WUE):** Any BUHS graduate who completes the following courses: 4 years of English, 3 years of Science (2 years lab), 3 years of Mathematics and 3 years of Social Science with a 3.25 unweighted GPA in those subjects\* will be accepted to UNR and tuition reduced by approximately \$6,351 per semester. Visit [www.unr.edu/wue](http://www.unr.edu/wue) for program details, including deadlines.
- c. **Pack Exchange Program:** Any BUHS graduate who completes the following courses: 4 years of English, 3 years of Science (2 years lab), 3 years of Mathematics and 3 years of Social Science with a 3.0 unweighted GPA in those subjects\* will be accepted to UNR and tuition reduced by about \$8,000 per year. Visit <https://www.unr.edu/financial-aid/nevada-advantage> for program details.

[\\*Due to COVID-19, students may be admitted to UNR and qualify for WUE tuition discount based upon GPA alone, test scores NOT required](#)