



DATE: March 5, 2025

TO: Board of Education

FROM: Mrs. Kerstin Kramer, Superintendent Chief Learning Officer

SUBJECT: Approve Proposed Kings Beach Elementary School Overnight Field Trip to Rideout School in Tahoe City, CA, from April 10 through April 11, 2025

PRESENTED BY: Mrs. Shaun Roderick, Assistant Superintendent of Educational Services

ACTION REQUESTED

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BACKGROUND INFORMATION

All fifth graders at Kings Beach Elementary embark on a two-day, one-night immersive program with the Headwaters Institute.

The students will dive into the world of scientific discovery as expert educators guide students through hands-on, student-driven research. Working together, students will design and carry out their original research projects exploring the fascinating properties of snow. They'll investigate how snow relates to key scientific concepts like Matter and Its Interactions and Motion and Stability: Forces and Interactions.

This unique experience offers an authentic, student-centered approach to learning, igniting curiosity and fostering a love for science.

RESOURCES REQUIRED: None

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