



Great American Teach-In

Raymond B. Stewart Middle School would like to invite you to join us for this year's Great American Teach-in, which will be held on **Wednesday, November 16, 2016**. The Great American Teach-in provides an opportunity for members of the community to come in and speak with students about their occupations, hobbies, or areas of interest. Although the focus of the Great American Teach-in is to give students information on a variety of careers, we are also encouraging volunteers to speak about hobbies and areas of interest because often one person's passion is another person's profession!

Presentations for this age group should last about 15-20 minutes and then we are requesting that you allow about 10 minutes for questions at the end. When planning for this presentation we are asking that you link the topic to the importance of receiving a quality education. In the past, speakers have dressed in clothing related to the topic and/or brought in props, pictures, or brief videos to engage the students. These are suggestions but are certainly not necessary.

We need your help to make certain that there are enough speakers so that all students can benefit from this program. If you are willing to participate in the Great American Teach-in, please take a moment to fill out the bottom portion of this letter and return it to your child's first period teacher by **November 2, 2016**.

If you have any questions or concerns, you can contact Robyn Herndon, RBSMS Parent Involvement Coordinator at (813) 794-6510. Thank You!

Return this bottom portion to your child's first period teacher.

Name: _____ Phone: _____
Email address _____
Home address _____
Student's Name _____
School Classes interested in: One or Two periods Half day All Day
Topic of Presentation: _____

PERSONAL INQUIRY WAIVER

HAVE YOU EVER BEEN CONVICTED OF OR PLED GUILTY TO A CRIME? Yes No
If answered "yes," your participation in the Great American Teach-In is at the discretion of the school administrator and/or you may be under direct supervision of the school administrator while on the school campus.

Applicant's Signature: _____