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**MEDIA RELEASE**

**Edison High Celebrates new Tiger Giving Closet**  
*Will Hold Formal Wear Clothing Drive*

**What:** Pop-up event to celebrate Tiger Giving Closet, featuring free clothes, backpacks with supplies, hygiene necessities and more

**When:** Thursday, Feb. 13, 2020  
1-2 p.m.

**Where:** Edison High School outside the library  
540 E. California Ave. (93706)

Edison High School will hold its first pop-up event to highlight the new Tiger Giving Closet, which provides free school and business clothes, shoes, hygiene items, formal wear and backpacks with supplies to students. The Giving Closet was a three-year labor of love for various staff members at Edison. The school will host pop-up events every other Thursday at lunch time to encourage students to take advantage of the Giving Closet. The closet will also be available based on a referral system.

The community can donate to the Tiger Giving Closet by bringing gently used clean adult clothing to the Edison front office. New hygiene products are also needed.

In preparation for prom, the school will hold a formal wear drive at the George Brown fitness club at 1885 E. Herndon Ave. (near Fowler Avenue) on Saturday, Feb. 22 from 8 a.m.-1 p.m. and on Monday, Feb. 24 and Tuesday, Feb. 25 from 5-9 p.m. The school will also accept formal wear donations at the campus. Students will model fashions from the formal wear drive at a Just

for You Fashion Show on Thursday, March 19. The show will begin with a living models art installation at 4:30 p.m. followed by the fashion show at 5:30 p.m. in the cafeteria. Formal wear donations will be available at pop-up events and from the Tiger Giving Closet.

“The Tiger Giving Closet provides help to students who need clothing, or hygiene items or school supplies through fun, pop-up events that encourage schoolwide involvement. Thank you to a number of Edison staff members who worked extremely hard to get this off the ground,” said Superintendent Bob Nelson.

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