

Welcome to Room 72!

Congratulations! You are officially a part of the Room 72 family. Under the leadership of Mr. Fitzsimmons, we will grow as a community by learning responsibility, kindness, and empathy throughout the year. With these four foundations in place, we will have an amazing year filled with opportunities and success!

Community

Each quarter, you will be learning something new in science. Below are the following units of study (Cottages):

Planetarium: The Solar System

Physics Foundry: Properties of Matter, Energy, and Nature

Invention Convention: Study of inventions, inventors, and patents

Body Shop: The human body and all of its functions



responsibility

The first day of school is Wednesday, July 22nd, 2020. All students must participate in the online virtual meeting with me on 7/22 to be considered enrolled at EDUPRIZE. We are Village 2 Traditional Day, which means we are in session from 8:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. Monday through Thursday, and 8:00 a.m. - 11:40 a.m. every Friday once our campus reopens. Please make sure your child is on campus and ready to line up by 7:55 am each day.

Virtual Open House is Monday, July 20th, where you will get a chance to meet Mr. Fitz. You can find your new classroom upstairs in Building 2, Room 72. Maps of carpool and other important information will also be made available prior to our campus reopening. This year, we will not be using planners; instead, we will utilize Google Classroom as a resource.



KINDNESS



EMPATHY

If you have questions, or you would like to contact me this summer, you can reach me at joshua.fitzsimmons@eduprizeschools.net. Another great resource that can answer questions and concerns is the school website, www.eduprizeschools.net. In addition, the website is useful for viewing any changes to schedules.

Please print and submit the online Open House documents **prior** to July 20th. Forms can be found on the Welcome Back page of the school website. This year, we are collecting the Open House forms electronically.

I cannot wait to see you and get this upcoming school year started! There is so much to learn and achieve, so come ready to seize the many opportunities and experiences we will have!

See you soon!
Mr. Fitz

Mr. Fitz's 2020-21 Necessities Checklist

- anywhere between 1.5-inch to 3-inch 3-ring binder with pockets
- dividers (8 individual) for organization
- mechanical pencils – (2-5)
- no. 2 pencils – (pack of 5-10) – pre-sharpened
- 2 wide-ruled spiral notebooks without easy-tear pages (70-80 pages)
- 1 wide-ruled spiral notebooks without easy-tear pages (120-150 pages)
- package of post-it notes
- pencil pouch to hold supplies - **This must go in the binder**
- package of colored pencils
- 2-3 EXPO markers for mini-whiteboard
- 2 glue sticks
- ruler that measures inches and cm
- fine tip highlighters (pack of 3-4)
- Elmer's liquid glue
- pair of scissors
- mini stapler
- ear-buds*

***Earbuds are important – there are no extra classroom headphones for use.**



Wish List:

- EXPO markers (dry-erase)
- 12 x 18 reams of colorful construction paper (bright and dark)
- package of markers
- rubber erasers – for maximum erasing
- Clorox wipes – donating will help our classroom cut down on germs
- a ream of white copy paper
- paper towel rolls
- box of tissues
- college ruled notebook (lined) paper – 150 sheets
- pens – for class use
- 3x5 index cards
- hand sanitizer



Note: In order to take proper safety measures, community items such as extra pencils, glue sticks, Expo markers, etc. will only be passed out to students at my discretion. Therefore, make sure your child has enough items to personally use in order to avoid possible spread of germs. Supply pouches would be useful for your child so he or she can put personal items in it.