

Dear Parents and Students,



Welcome to a great, upcoming school year in 5<sup>th</sup> grade at EDUPRIZE! My name is Ms. Alvarado and I will be your 5<sup>th</sup> grade teacher for the 2023-2024 school year.

This will be my fourth year teaching and at EDUPRIZE. In my free time, I like to paint, try new food, and cuddle with my pets. I pride myself on being an alumni for Chandler High School growing up in Chandler, Arizona. I graduated from Northern Arizona University (NAU) with my Bachelor's degree in Elementary Education. I have always had a passion for teaching!

We have some incredible Cottages in 5<sup>th</sup> grade: *Physics Foundry*, *Gene Machine*, *Planetarium*, and *American Dream*. We will learn all about these four topics through our interactive science curriculum. This year will be full of exciting adventures with our Cottages.

I am so excited to get to know all of my students and families this year. Open House is a great opportunity to see our classroom, bring in your supplies, and get all of the information you might need.

### **IMPORTANT EAGLE INFO!**

**Open House Date:** Monday, July 17, 2023 from 8:00 am to 4:00 pm

**Recommended Time for Our Class:** 9:30 am to 10:30 am

*Reminder: Please complete the Annual Update via the Infinite Campus Parent Portal.*

**Program:** Regular

**Schedule:** 8:00 am to 3:00 pm Mon-Thu  
8:00 am to 11:45 am Fridays

*Students should be on campus, ready to line up 5 minutes prior to the start time listed above.*

**Building # 2 Room # 73 Extension # 2730**

**Teacher email address:**

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*You will receive information regarding carpool and where to line up at Open House.*

***The first day of school is WEDNESDAY, JULY 19, 2023.***

***All students must be on-time and present the entire day to be considered enrolled at EDUPRIZE.***

Parents, please fill out my [brief survey](#) before Open House to help me get to know your child. Frequently check the school website, [www.eduprizeschools.net](http://www.eduprizeschools.net), for any updates. This school year will be full of memories!

Sincerely,  
Ms. Alvarado

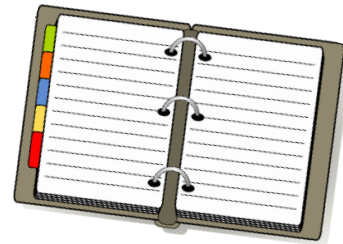
## PERSONAL ITEMS:

- (1) pack of PRE-SHARPENED pencils or mechanical pencils
- (1) pair of medium/adult sized scissors
- (1) pocket folder (any design you want)
- (4) pocket folder (one of each: blue, red, green, and yellow)
- (4) spiral notebook – 100 pages or more (one of each: blue, red, green, and yellow)
- (1) notebook of their choice
- (1) index cards (lined, any size)
- (1) 1.5 inch 3-ring binder with pockets
- (1) package of 5 dividers
- (1) pack of thin dry erase markers
- (1) sharpie or permanent marker
- (1) pack of multi-color highlighters
- (1) box of colored pencils
- (1) pencil pouch or box to keep desk organized
- (1) personal pencil sharpener with shavings catcher
- (1) double-sided tape or glue stick
- (1) set of headphones or earbuds for Chromebooks



## OPTIONAL ITEMS:

- (1) pack of washable markers
- (1) box of crayons
- (1) ream of copy paper
- (1) pack of pencil top erasers
- (1) box of tissue
- (1) large container of disinfectant wipes



## WISH LIST:

- Reams of pastel copy paper
- Pre-sharpened No. 2 pencils
- EXPO markers (regular and thin)
- Lollipops and/or Jolly Ranchers