

WELCOME

Welcome to your 2023-2024 fifth-grade year! My name is Mrs. Johnston and I am beyond excited to meet each and every one of you. This will be my seventeenth year teaching and sixteenth with EDUPRIZE. I am an Arizona native, and I love our great state. When I am not teaching, I love to hang out with my family, watch hockey (Go Coyotes!), curl up with a good book, build LEGO, and go on long walks with my feisty Boston terrier, Luna. She's a bit spoiled! I can't wait to grow and learn with you!

Our Cottages for the year are: Physics Foundry, Gene Machine, Planetarium, and American Dream. We are going to have so much fun learning and exploring through these exciting Cottages. EDUPRIZE thrives on using our cottage approach to study science. Each Cottage is full of hands-on learning experiences that teach directly to the Arizona State Science Standards.

I look forward to meeting you at Open House. Open House is the perfect time to bring in your supplies, check out our classroom, and see some classmates.

IMPORTANT EAGLE INFO!

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

Recommended Time for Our Class: 1:00pm - 2:00 pm

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

Program: Regular
Schedule: 8 am to 3 pm Mon.-Thurs.
8 am to 11:45 am Friday

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

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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.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to email me. Remember to check www.eduprizeschools.net for updates and changes. I can't wait for the start of an amazing year!

Sincerely,

Mrs. Janna Johnston

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Suggested SUPPLY LIST

Personal Items - Please label the following items to put in your desk:

- (1) plastic shoe box for school supplies: (See picture to the right-can be found at dollar store)
 - shoe box must be less than 4" tall without the lid (please send the lid in)
- (1) pair of medium/adult scissors with a pointy tip
- (1) 1 inch plastic view binder w/ pockets
- (1) pencil pouch to insert in binder
- (2) Mead spiral notebooks preferably **without** easy tear pages (**70 pages or more**)
- (1) ruler with inches and centimeters clearly marked
- (1) box of **Crayola** colored pencils **or** (1) box of **Crayola** crayons (**24 count**)
- (1) box of **Crayola** bold markers
- (1) personal pencil sharpener with shavings catcher
- (3) highlighters (yellow, green, pink)
- (1) set of headphones or earbuds for Chromebooks
- (4) plastic pocket folders with 3-ring brads (1 each of: green, red, yellow, orange)
- (1) box **PRE-SHARPENED** yellow pencils
- (3) glue sticks
- (1) package **fine tip (skinny)** dry erase markers



Optional items

- disinfectant wipes
- ream of white copy paper
- package **fine tip (skinny)** dry erase markers
- ream of wide ruled lined paper
- paper towels
- a rectangular box of tissues

WISH LIST: The items below are extra that we can always use in the classroom. Anything that you can donate will be much appreciated. Thank you!

- pencil top erasers
- Flair pens
- lots of skinny dry erase markers
- reams of bright colored copy paper
- Ziploc bags (any size)
- black Sharpie markers - fine and ultra fine point
- classroom snacks (goldfish, crackers, etc)
- dollar store items for the class store (slime, balls, cool pens/pencils, balloons, jolly ranchers, etc.)
- extra disinfectant wipes, paper towels, and kleenex
- extra pre-sharpened pencils
- extra glue sticks