

Principal's Message

Dear EDUPRIZE Parents,

We've had a great week of learning and a great week of attendance

for parent-teacher conferences. I was able to speak to many families and more importantly, you were able to meet with your child's teacher to see how your child is progressing. Thank you for making conferences a priority so that we can work together!

Spring Spectacular is next Friday! The new ticket price is affordable to make it a family fun event! Please see the flyers below and get your tickets now...you don't want to miss it!

We value your feedback! A major component of establishing a positive learning environment is the consideration of stakeholder feedback. Please take time to complete this brief survey to help us determine ways to maintain and improve our school climate.

School Climate Survey

Thank you and have a wonderful 3 day weekend!

Kindly, Robin





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Helpful Links

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<u>K-6th Regular</u> <u>Day Calendar</u>

<u>K-6th TOPS</u> Day Calendar





<u>Website</u>

<u>PTN</u> Website <u>Facebook</u>





This Month

FEBRUARY

Remember

19th: No School Presidents' Day Holiday

22nd: Spring Pictures Regular Day & PM TOPS Students

23rd: Spring Pictures AM TOPS Students AND Sports Pictures

23rd: Spring Spectacular

27th: Campus Tour (PreK-12th Grade) 5 p.m. Bldg. 3 Lobby & Theater

Next Month

MARCH

8th: Last day of the quarter

11th-22nd Spring Break No School

25th: First day of quarter 4

29th: No School

SEL CORNER (SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL LEARNING)

Dear EDUPRIZE families,

For the next few weeks, I'd like to talk about student motivation. Does your child tell you (in words or actions) that they, "don't care"? The first step in targeting strategies you can use with your unmotivated child is to ask WHY the child appears unmotivated. Here are 3 likely causes:



Heather Vehon Dean of Students K-6th

- **Power** your child may lack the resources, the opportunity, **Dean of Stu** and/or the capability to influence the circumstances of his/her own life.
- **Models** your child may not have the background knowledge to refer to an adequate amount of examples in order to establish meaningful values, ideals, and personal standards. This means does your child actually know HOW to do the thing they are trying to do?
- **Connectedness** your child may lack a sense of belonging, closeness, or affection to people that are important to him/her.



Sincerely, Heather Vehon Dean of Students Eduprize Schools Gilbert Campus heather.vehon@eduprizeschools.net

ATHLETIC DEPARTMENT

Upcoming Week Sports Schedule At A Glance:

Please check <u>AZCAAPREPS.COM</u> for up to the date game schedule and location. ALL Athletic fees need to be paid by the first game. Unpaid fees can lead to not playing in games. All paperwork should be in for all sports at this time. Please with your coach to be sure all your paperwork is turned in.

Congratulations to Coach Ashton and the Varsity Boys' Basketball team for making it to quarter finals and finishing with a 12-7 record, Coach Green and our Girls' JV Basketball Team for their winning season of 9-2 and our JV Boys' Basketball led by Coach Brian for their 7-7 record!

** Elementary Boys Basketball Tryouts will be Monday (2/26) and Tuesday (2/27) from 3:00-5:00 in B4 (Coach Ashton will meet you in B3 and walk you over to B4)

** Junior High Boys Basketball Tryouts will be Monday (2/26) and Tuesday (2/27) from 5:00-7:00 in B4 gym (meet in B4 at 5:00)

This is the schedule for February 19th-23rd

Boys OPEN Basketball Practice Schedule: TBD by Coach Ashton

Boys OPEN Basketball GAMES: FINAL FOUR- Monday (2/19) Vs Bella Vista @7pm in B4

WEAR BLUE!! If you do not have a blue shirt, we have blue gameday shirts for \$10. See Ambos

JH Boys Flag Football Games: Monday (2/19) @ Eduprize Queen Creek @ 12:15 @ Founders Park, (22407 S Ellsworth Rd, Queen Creek) Tuesday (2/20) vs Heritage Gateway @ Home @4:00pm

Varsity Girls Flag Football Practice: Wednesday & Thursday 3:30-4:45

ALL GAME SCHEDULES CAN BE FOUND AT azcaapreps.com

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You can find all forms listed here: <u>https://www.eduprizeschools.net/gilbert-sports-and-extracurricular-activities</u> Make sure you wear proper attire and bring plenty of water. **If you have any questions please email the Athletic Director** <u>Clint.ambos@eduprizeschools.net</u> EVENTS:

**ALL of these events are <u>ONLY</u> made possible by having volunteers. Please please reach out to us at <u>ptn@eduprizeschools.net</u> to help.

Moles

Spring Spectacular – Happening on February 23rd. A family fun event! Tickets will be available soon, with adjusted prices. Tickets will include admissions and access to all the activities. With activities such as bounce houses, carnival games, face painting, a talent show, a visit from Elsa and Spiderman, raffle prizes and more!!

If you are interested in volunteering to help please click <u>HERE</u>:

If you are interested in becoming a <u>vendor</u> please email us at <u>ptn@eduprizeschools.net</u> for more information.

****Basket coordinators** are still needed! If you are interested in becoming one for your child's class please email us and we'll send you all the information to help you put together a phenomenal basket. It's easier than you think!

Yearbook – The yearbook committee needs photographs of special events & sports games for Kinder through 6th grade. If you have great photographs, please email them to <u>eduprizeyearbookchair@gmail.com</u> for a chance to have them featured in the yearbook!

Did you know you can earn money for Eduprize simply by shopping at Fry's?

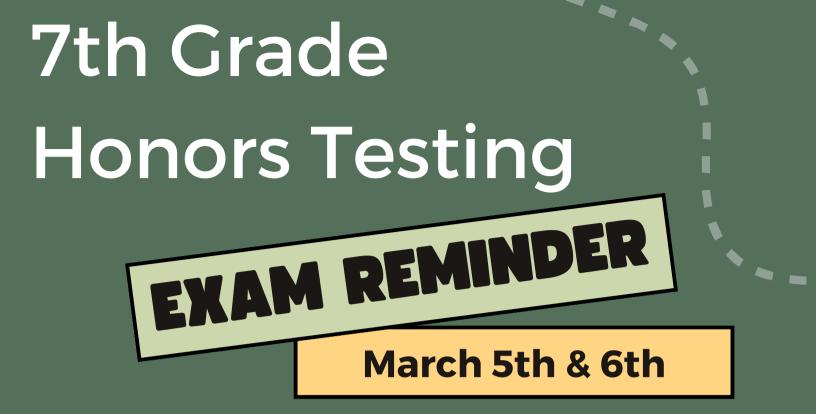
Just link your Fry's Rewards card online with Eduprize. Go to: <u>www.fryscommunityrewards.com</u> & sign in. Then click Community Rewards and find your organization (Edu-Prize Parent Teacher Organization) or enter our number: HM079.

If you are interested in getting involved with PTN and volunteering at school events,

please emails us at ptn@eduprizeschools.net







Current 6th graders, the 7th grade team is getting ready to conduct their honors testing for next year.

Testing will take place on March 5th AND 6th from 3:30-4:30 in Mrs. Aguilera's room (building 3 room 351)

One test day will be for ELA and the other day will be for math.

Students should plan to attend both days!

Have questions? Please email <u>nicole.aguilera@eduprizeschools.net</u>

Lifetouch SPRING PICTURE DAY IS COMING!

¡YA LLEGA EL DÍA DE LA FOTO DE PRIMAVERA!

Thursday, 2/22/24 & Friday, 2/23/24 EDUPRIZE School - Gilbert



Scan to order! ;Echa un vistazo para encargari



Pre-order on mylifetouch.com using your Student ID or Picture Day ID: EVTCFWD3G

How it Works:



Students are photographed on Picture Day



Orders will be sent home with your student after Picture Day

Cómo funciona: Encarga de manera anticipada en mylifetouch com usando tu ID de estudiante o la ID del Día de la Foto. Los estudiantes son fotografiados el Día de la Foto. Los pedidos serán enviados a tu casa con tu estudiante después del Día de la Foto.

Questions? Contact our Help Center at lifetouch.com/support-us. Select K-12 School Photography for assistance. ¿Preguntas? Comunicate con nuestro Centro de Ayuda en lifetouch.com/support-us. Selecciona Fotogra Back to Main Menu

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ENROLLMENT 2024-2025

Intent to Return (re-enrollment) for the 2024-25 school year is now open!

Click <u>HERE</u> to complete the form today.

Intent to Return for the 2024-2025 school year is open now until January 15th. The LIFE Fund Fee for next school year will be discounted to \$50 per returning student during this same time frame!

Please contact the enrollment office with any questions: gilbertenrollment@eduprizeschools.net or (480) 813-9537 x1030.



Kindergarten

Roundup!

Join us:

Thursday, February 29th 4:30 - 6:00 pm



LEAP into Kindergarten at our awardwinning school!

CHECK US OUT!

Bring your incoming kindergartner to participate in engaging activities featuring our amazing, hands-on curriculum and teachers. You will get a glimpse of Kindergarten life at EDUPRIZE and learn why our students SOAR!

FREE EVENT!

- Children will participate in FUN curricular stations taught by our fabulous kindergarten teachers
- Parents will receive information and guidance regarding program options and registration for the 2024-25 school year
- Open house style

EDUPRIZE Gilbert Campus Building 1 580 West Melody Avenue Gilbert, AZ 85233





OUESTIONS?

480-813-9537 x1030

gilbertenrollment@ eduprizeschools.net

Dream. Draw. Win.

Arizona K-6th graders can win \$529 towards an AZ529 Education Savings Plan.





AZ529 Future Career Art Contest!

How does your child picture their future career and the education to get there? Well, give them some paper and find out! To promote the importance of financial education and saving for future educational needs, we're holding our third Future Career Art Contest.

AZ Treasurer Kimberly Yee

Open to all K-6th grade students in Arizona, including students from district, charter, private, tribal schools, and homeschools.



One (1) original entry per person.

Have your child draw a picture of their dream job. They may use any medium they prefer, be it crayon, paint, pencil, or anything else that can be put to paper. Entry can be no larger than 8.5x11 inches.

Entries accepted through March 3, 2024, 11:59 p.m. (MST).



Upload entries at: AZ529.gov/2024ArtContest (Acceptable formats: Word, .PDF, .JPG)

Having trouble? Please call (602) 542-7880 for assistance submitting your entry.

To enter and for full contest rules, Click HERE





Health Office Updates

IMPORTANT HEALTH OFFICE INFORMATION

As illness or health situations occur throughout the school year, it may be necessary for medication to be administered at school. All prescribed AND over the counter medication (i.e. Tylenol, Ibuprofen, Benadryl, etc.) will need to be checked into the Health Office, along with a <u>Prescription and Non-prescription Medication Consent</u> form which requires a doctor's signature. These forms can be found on our website <u>www.eduprizeschools.net</u> under the Parent & Student Resources>Health Office Forms, or you can just click on any of the links provided in light blue.

- <u>HEALTH ACTION PLAN</u>: Please be aware that children who have asthma, diabetes, or seizures will need an action plan provided by their health care provider, ALONG with the signed <u>Prescription and Non-prescription Medication Consent</u> form.
- <u>ASTHMA</u>: If your child has asthma, an asthma action plan will need to be provided by your doctor ALONG with a signed <u>Prescription and Non-prescription Medication Consent</u> form.
- <u>ALLERGIES</u>: Allergies that require an EpiPen will need an <u>Anaphylaxis Management Packet</u> filled out and signed by a doctor along with the <u>Prescription and Non-prescription</u> <u>Medication Consent</u> form.
- <u>MEDICATION</u>: As a reminder, ALL medications need to be checked in at the Health Office. Students should not carry medications in their backpacks. A <u>Prescription and Non-</u> <u>prescription Medication Consent</u> form will also need to be filled out for any medications, prescription or non prescription.

We cannot accept ANY medications without these forms. Any questions can be directed to the Health Office staff at (480) 813-9537 option 7

Medication Authorization

If you would like your student to be able to access medication at school, please complete the authorization <u>FORM</u> and return to the health office.





We offer:

Competitive pay - \$20.75/hour (teacher certified) \$19.50/hour (sub certified) \$17/hour (no certification)

Flexible Schedules - Traditional day and AM/PM TOPS

Range of Classes - Grades PreK-12th grade and specialty classes like dance, PE, computers, and much more.

Incredible Community - Our staff, students, and parents are a welcoming and loving community you will enjoy being apart of.

IF INTERESTED PLEASE EMAIL

STOP NET AND JOIN OUR AIDE STAFF!

LOOKING FOR HARD WORKING PEOPLE WHO LOVE SAFETY AND WORKING WITH KIDS!

TIMES NEEDED ARE: 7:00-8:05 A.M. 10:20 A.M.-1:10 P.M. 2:30-3:40 P.M.

-GREAT FOR STAY AT HOME PARENTS, RETIREES AND COLLEGE STUDENTS OVER 21 YEARS OR OLDER.

- WE ARE VERY FLEXIBLE WITH SCHEDULES.

- FRIENDLY ENVIRONMENT

JOB TYPE: PART-TIME 19HRS A WEEK

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IF INTERESTED PLEASE CONTACT:

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