

Principal's Message

Dear EDUPRIZE Parents,

Robin Yeargain

It was wonderful to see so many parents on campus for conferences...thank you for taking the time to establish this partnership. At conferences, you receive a lot of information, including baseline data and a picture of how your child is doing right now, as well as some of the expectations for growth. This can be overwhelming and may even seem like there is too much to do. We know that families are busy and that life is very full. We also know that how children do in the elementary years is a great predictor of future years. So now what? The most important thing you can do to help your child is set a time each day to:

- ASK about the day--what was a struggle or an accomplishment
- Complete homework...there is always math, math facts, and spelling
- READ...20 minutes a day will help with fluency and comprehension, PLUS earn Water Day in May!

This interest in your child's work shows value and purpose for learning.

If setting a routine of completing school work hasn't been something you've done in the past, go for the gold (our theme this year) and start by following the few suggestions listed above!

Some items I've noticed lately that I would like to address are:

- Drive Lanes are used for ALL students to be dropped off and picked up. Students should never be dropped off in the parking lot or expected to walk across the parking lot. You may drop off in any lane, but you need to use your assigned lane for pick-up. Please take the extra few minutes to drop off/pick up the correct way. Model integrity, which is doing the right thing, even when no one is looking.
- Drive lanes are 10-15 MPH, please watch your speed.
- Respect for the aides...these wonderful staff members are there for the safety of our children. If you are asked to move up or come
 back around because you are too early, please show respect and follow their directions. Their intentions are kind and are aimed at
 efficiency.

Thanks again for your continued support and commitment to your child and education.

With Labor Day on Monday, it reminds us that we (including your children) have worked hard, and we celebrate our achievements from the past and look forward with excitement to what we can do in the coming year.

I wish you a wonderful, fun, and relaxing 3-day weekend!

Kindly, Robin

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This Month

SEPTEMBER

2nd: No School

Labor Day Holiday



3rd-6th: Conference Week

Kinder TOPS

5th: Board Meeting (QC Campus)

At 9:00 a.m.

23rd-27th: Spirit Week

24th: Cottage Fair (5:00-6:30pm)

K-3 Regular Day & K-6 PM TOPS

25th: Cottage Fair (5:00-6:30 p.m.)

4-6 Regular Day & K-6 AM TOPS

27th: Last Day of Quarter

9/30-10/14 No School

Fall Break

Next Month

OCTOBER

9/30 - 10/14 No School

Fall Break

15th: First Day of Quarter 2

SEL CORNER (SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL LEARNING)

Dear EDUPRIZE families,

This week's tip comes from Sue Everheart, our Logic specialist and Reading Interventionist - it is about the importance of "crossing the mid-line." According to Sensational Kids, "The body's mid-line is an imaginary line down the center of the body that divides the body into left and right. Crossing the body's mid-line is the ability to reach across the middle of the body with the arms and legs. This allows children to cross over their body to perform a task on the opposite side of their body."



Heather Vehon
Dean of Students K-6th

"Crossing the body's mid-line is an important developmental skill needed for many everyday tasks such as writing, reaching towards your foot to put your shoes and socks on with both hands and being able to complete puzzles when the puzzle is placed on the other side of the body." Some activities your child can do to practice crossing the mid-line include:

- Jumping and skipping
- Riding a bike
- Catching a ball
- Beating a drum
- Doing buttons
- Tying Laces
- Threading Beads
- Cutting with a Scissors

Check out the full article here

Sincerely,
Heather Vehon
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ATHLETIC DEPARTMENT



SPORTS INFORMATION

Athletic forms for the 24-25 school year can be found <u>HERE</u>:

Students need a sports physical and other documents turned in PRIOR to trying out.

24-25 Athletic Physical:

All game schedules can be found on AZCAAPREPS.com

Athletic Payments need to be made on Infinite Campus by Monday or Athletes playing time will be affected.

JV Volleyball Schedule

Tuesday: Practice 3:00 - 5:30

in Room 53 to watch the game film

Wednesday: Practice 3:00 - 5:30 - B4 Gym

Thursday: Practice 3:00 - 5:30 - B4 Gym

Junior High A Schedule

Tuesday: HOME Game Vs Champion

At 4:30 PM - B4 Gym

Thursday: Practice 3:15-5:30 - B4 Gym

Junior High B Schedule

Tuesday: HOME Game VS Ben Franklin

At 5:30 PM - B4 Gym

Wednesday: HOME Game VS Wells Middle

School

At 5:30 PM - B4 Gym

Elementary Volleyball Schedule

Wednesday: Practice 3:15-5:15 - B3 Gym

** Sports pictures will be on Friday 9/6 starting at 12:45 in B4 gym**

Varsity Boys Flag Football Schedule

Tuesday: HOME Game VS PS Academy

At 4:00 PM & 5:00 PM on field

Wednesday: Practice 3:15 - 4:30 on Field

Thursday: HOME Games VS EVAC At 4:00 PM & 5:00 PM on field

COED JH Soccer Schedule

Monday: HOME Game VS EVAC

At Eagle Sports Complex

(828 E Broadway Rd) @ 4:30 PM

Wednesday: Practice 3:15 - 4:30 on field

JH Cheer Practice

Tuesday & Thursday 3:00 - 5:00 - B3 Gym

Be sure to bring water to your practices!

Questions, please email the Athletic Director

<u>Clint.ambos@eduprizeschools.net</u>

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AUGUST 2024

NEWSLETTER

PTO NEWS

Last weekend for the Robeks fundraiser. Ends September 2nd! We appreciate all of your support and help spreading the word!

ATL Wings Fundraiser all day Sept 8th! It's the first NFL Sunday of the regular season! *see flyer





Thank you to the volunteers who helped PTO deliver snacks to all of our amazing teachers! Teachers, we appreciate your extra hard work during conference week! Thank you for all that you do and thank you teacher helpers!

The PTO would also like to say a special thank you to admin for making the new boards transition so easy! We appreciate all that you do and supporting us!

PTO Calendar

Click here to see volunteer opportunities and view the PTO calendar.

TEACHER & STAFF FAVORITES

Click here to see the list!

Can be used for bdays,
holidays or appreciation



UPCOMING

-Scholastic Book Club Flyers
K-6 due by September 6th
-Student of the month and reward
drawings will be created and sent out
to teachers soon!



-ATL Wings Fundraiser 9/8, First NFL Sunday of the regular season! *see flyer

> -Fall fest talent show auditions September 16th-18th *see flyer

-Eagle Expo grades 7-12, September 17th, stop by the PTO table for a treat/prize once you've finished the expo! The grade with most student attendance will win a popsicle day! (JH + HS separate)

-Parkour Academy Fun + Fundraiser Event Friday, Sept 27th \$2 off for Eduprize families *see flyer

FALL FESTIVAL

When: Friday, October 25th 5-9pm
Where: Eduprize Gilbert, B3 gate entrance
Pre-K-12th, lots of activites, food and more!

Basketball Boosters Haunted House, Food Trucks, Spider Man + Elsa, Bounce Houses, <u>Talent Show</u>, Basket Raffle, Pumpkin Carving Contest, Fall themed Games, Corn Hole, Vendor Shopping, Fall Photo Booths Click <u>HERE</u> to help or volunteer at the festival! We need you!

Class Basket Coordinators Needed! Click here for Flyer!

Don't have the time
to volunteer or
attend a fundraiser
but want to make a
monetary donation?
Click Here
We appreciate you!

Links to follow the PTO

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

<u>PTO Facebook Group</u>



FALL FEST TALENT SHOW AUDITIONS

SEPT 16TH, 17TH & 18TH

B1 Media Center • 3:00-4:00pm

Open to K-12 students • Must sign up to audition See details + sign up <u>HERE</u>

Email pto@eduprizeschools.net with any questions!

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FALL FESTIVAL Basket Raffle

Fall Fest is October 25th, 5-9pm

Class Basket Coordinators Needed!

Coordinators do not volunteer during the festival.

WHAT COORDINATORS DO:

-Come up with a basket theme (games, movie night or bigger)!

-Set up an email to all parents in class, let them know about basket and kindly ask for donations. A sign up genius can be made for physical items or you can ask for monetary donations. The raffle is an annual tradition.

- -Ask if parents have a business that can donate (tax deductible) or if they know businesses who can donate items or make a monetary donation
 - -Check in with local businesses yourself. Get creative and look up ideas online!

-Keep in touch with the PTO for tax donation forms if needed

and let us know what your class basket theme will be. We are here to help!

-Classes that have a basket are entered to win a pizza party with a movie or games!

-Receive free raffle tickets just for being a basket coordinator!

BASKET TRAINING AVAILABLE • PTO CAN ANSWER ANY QUESTIONS
LET YOUR TEACHER KNOW RIGHT AWAY IF YOU ARE WILLING TO HELP YOUR CLASS!



EMAIL: PTO@EDUPRIZESCHOOLS.NET

September Fundraisers







Find a
fundraiser that
may work for
your family! We
appreciate your
support!

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Theme: *
Go For The Gold!

Please turn illustrations in at Bldg. 2 front desk by Wednesday, November 27

Who can enter: Any Eduprize student in grades K-6th

The winning illustration will be featured on the cover of the '24-'25 Elementary Yearbook!

2024-2025 L.I.F.E. FUND DUE

LIFE Funds are due September 1st, 2024 in order for students to participate in their class field trips this school year. If you have not already done so, please pay LIFE Funds through you Infinite

Campus parent portal.

Lab Instructional Field Experiences (L.I.F.E.) provides special opportunities and presentations on and off campus. We aim to bring the highest quality of experiences, therefore, L.I.F.E. Fund fees are used to cover the cost. Please click on the instructions below on how to pay this fee via your parent portal.

Directions on how to pay
L.I.F.E. Fund

Infinite
Campus
Portal

Directions on how to Review
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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.

- HEALTH ACTION PLAN: 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 .
- MEDICATION: As a reminder, ALL medications need to be checked in at the Health Office.
 Students are not allowed to carry any medication in their backpack unless the parent and
 Dr have signed a self carry medication consent in addition to the medication consent form.
 A Prescription and Non-prescription Medication Consent 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 FORM 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

emily.yeaman@eduprizeschools.net



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



IF INTERESTED PLEASE CONTACT:

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