

# EAGLES EDITION



## Principal's Message

Hello Eagle Families,

Our second quarter is well underway, it's hard to believe we only have six weeks left in the semester. Please make sure you are encouraging your student(s) to attend office hours if they need extra help. Office hours are a great opportunity to support student learning. Office hours are held Monday through Thursday from 2:40 - 3:10 PM.

We are seeing an uptick in tardiness among our students. It is important for students to arrive at school on time, as the instruction missed is often irreplaceable after its given. Tardiness can also become a truancy issue and may result in negative consequences. Please continue to make every effort and encourage your student(s) to arrive on time.

EDUPRIZE is always looking for ways to improve our organization. This year we have posted the parent survey early. Please take a moment before November 29, 2024 to complete the survey. For more information please read the flier in this newsletter.

- [Parent Climate Survey](#)

The following are few important reminders:

- No school Monday, November 11, 2024 in observance of Veteran's Day
- Senior cap and gown picture retakes are on Tuesday, November 12, 2024
- Boys basketball fundraiser is on Friday, November 15, 2024

Have a great weekend Eagles!

Warm Regards,  
Dr. Jennifer L.H. Murphy



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[Gilbert's Parents Resource Page](#)



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[Website](#)

[Facebook](#)

[PTN Website](#)

[PTN Facebook](#)

# CALENDAR

## *This Month*

### NOVEMBER

**11th: No School**

Veteran's Day Holiday

**12th: Senior Retakes**

**12th: Campus Tour**

At 5pm

**12th-22nd: Thanksgiving Food Drive**

**18th: Holiday Shopping Fundraiser Kickoff**

**27th: Early Release Day**

**28th & 29th: No School**

Thanksgiving Holiday

## *Next Month*

### DECEMBER

**2nd: JH Scholastic Book Fair**

**3rd: Eagle Expo**

**6th: Winter Dance**

**13th: Breakfast of Champions**

**20th: Last Day of Quarter**

**12/23 - 1/3: Winter Break**

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# How are we doing?

WE WANT  
YOUR  
FEEDBACK!

Please share you  
opinions of Eduprize  
with us!

- Short, 10 question survey
- Takes less than 2 minutes to complete
- Feedback will be considered in future school decisions

Link [HERE](#)

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# ATHLETIC DEPARTMENT

Proud Sponsor of  
Eduprize athletics



## SPORTS INFORMATION WEEK OF 11/12-11/16

All game schedules can be found on [AZCAAPREPS.com](http://AZCAAPREPS.com)

### 24-25 Athletic [FORMS](#)

### 24-25 Athletic Physical [FORMS](#)

#### Cornhole Schedule

##### JV Boys Basketball

**Practice:** Monday & Wednesday  
from 5 - 6:30

B4 Gym

**Thursday:** AWAY game @ Canyon State  
(20061 E Rittenhouse Rd)  
At 5:00pm

**Practice:** Monday - Thursday  
from 3:00 - 4:00 PM  
B4 Gym

**Saturday:** 9 AM practice starts.  
Bags fly at 10AM Location TBD  
check Band App for updates

#### JH Softball Schedule

##### Varsity/Open Basketball

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, & Friday  
6:30 - 9:00 PM

B4 Gym

**Tuesday:** OPEN HOME Game Vs AZ  
Compass  
At 7:00pm  
B4 gym

**Practice:** Thursday 3:15 - 5:00 PM on the field

**Tuesday:** AWAY Game @ ALA at 4:00pm  
(1070 S Higley Rd)

**Wednesday:** AWAY Game @ Ben Franklin at 4:00pm  
(18864 E Germann Rd)

**\*\* EARLY RELEASE 2:15 from B4 \*\***

**Friday:** HOME Game Vs Eduprize QC  
At Freestone Park @ 4PM

#### JH Cheer Practice

**Practice:** Tuesday and Thursday 3:00 - 5:00

# CHANDLER FIRE DEPARTMENT



**HEROES ON THE COURT**



FOLLOW US ON INSTAGRAM @EDUPRIZEMBB

# EDUPRIZE BASKETBALL

1383 E BASELINE GILBERT AZ 85233

**\$10.00 ADULTS - \$5.00 KIDS (10 AND UNDER)**

PROCEEDS GO TO CFC CHARITIES BENEFIT AND EDUPRIZE BASKETBALL

**FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 15 @ 7PM**



# LET'S MAKE IT THE **MATCH UP** OF THE YEAR



**FREE Fire Truck Tours  
KONA ICE is coming!**



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**COME MARCH WITH EDUPRIZE!!**

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# **GILBERT DAYS PARADE**

**NOVEMBER 23, 2024**

**DOWNTOWN GILBERT**

**PARADE STARTS AT 8AM**

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**WE NEED YOU TO COME MARCH WITH US!  
WE ARE ALSO LOOKING FOR AN OLD STYLE  
TRUCK TO PULL THE TRAILER IF YOU HAVE ONE!**

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**THEME: GILBERT HAY CAPITAL OF  
THE WORLD**

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**SIGN UP HERE TO JOIN US**



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# ENROLLMENT

## 2025-2026

### Intent to Return is COMING!

Attention, parents! Intent to Return (re-enrollment) for the 2025-26 school year will open on Friday, November 15 and run through mid-January. This is your opportunity to secure your child's seat for next school year, so please mark these important dates on your calendars.

We will have some fun incentives for completing the form during this time, like The LIFE Fund fee for the 2025-26 school year being discounted to \$50.

Questions? Please reach out to the enrollment office NOW with any questions regarding program options or schedules for next school year, so you are ready to complete the form when it opens.

**We look forward to hearing from you!**

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# PTO

November 2024

# NEWSLETTER

## PTO NEWS



-Please consider doing some of your holiday shopping with us and earn awesome prizes (even a TV or PlayStation)! The boosterthon holiday shopping fundraiser starts Monday Nov. 18th and will end Dec 2nd. PTO will earn back an amazing 40% on each sale and will be used for our calendar of events and student enrichments! You can share this fundraiser with friends, family and coworkers. An info packet will be coming home soon... Pre-K - 12!

Robeks has partnered with us again! Their giveback to PTO will run from Nov. 1st and until Nov. 24th. 25% will be donated back to PTO. Eduprize staff will receive 10% off all year long. We appreciate your continued support in working with businesses in our community.

## 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



-Thanksgiving Food Drive is happening now, See Flyer!



-PTO General Board Meeting 11/13 @3:30pm  
B1 Media Center

-Boosterthon Holiday Shopping Fundraiser  
November 18-22nd

-Holiday Toy Drive  
info coming soon!



## PTO General Board Meeting

Wednesday, November 13th @3:30 PM

Location: B1 Library, Check in at front desk  
Join us after school to hear about how Fall fest went, PTO reports, budget + upcoming information. In person or via zoom.  
Zoom Link: [Click Here](#)



Don't have the time to volunteer or attend a fundraiser but want to make a monetary donation?  
[Click Here](#)

We appreciate you!

## Follow Us

[Facebook](#) [Website](#)  
[PTO Facebook Group](#)



# Thanksgiving Food Drive

Let's Share & Care



**November  
1st-21st**

**Please drop off or  
send items into  
classrooms by  
Nov. 21st**

**Pre-K-** Boxes of Pudding and Jello

**Kindergarten-** Stuffing Box or Bag

**1st Grade-** Tortillas & Rolls

*\*Please buy and send in fresh after Nov 18th*

**2nd Grade-** Refried Beans Can or Bag

**3rd Grade-** White Rice Box or Bag

**4th Grade-** Potatoes Box or Bag

**5th Grade-** Canned Veggies

(Corn, Green Beans, Mixed)

**6th Grade-** Gravy Packets/Jar & Cranberry Sauce

**7th & 8th Grades-** Corn Bread

**9 & 10th Grades-** Canned Pumpkin

**11th & 12th Grades-** Cake & Brownie Mix



Email Questions to PTO  
[pto@eduprizeschools.net](mailto:pto@eduprizeschools.net)

*\*Items will be bagged and donated to step up  
schools Mesa \*Please no frozen food*

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# SMOOTHIES FOR A GOOD CAUSE.



Join Robeks in supporting  
**Eduprize Schools**  
25% of sales all day 11/1 - 11/24  
will be donated to  
**Gilbert Eduprize PTO.**

Bring in this flyer, show it on your phone  
or tell the cashier you're supporting the  
cause.



1240 E. Baseline Rd.  
(Next to Crumbl)

480.306.6439



Offer valid only on the date(s) and at the Robeks location identified on this flyer. Tax, gift cards and retail sales are excluded from the donation.  
Offer valid for in-store orders only. Not valid for online orders. Offer void if the flyer is distributed in or near the restaurant. ©2024 Robeks Corporation.

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# YEARBOOK

## 2024-2025



PURCHASE YOUR 24-25 YEARBOOK [HERE!](#)

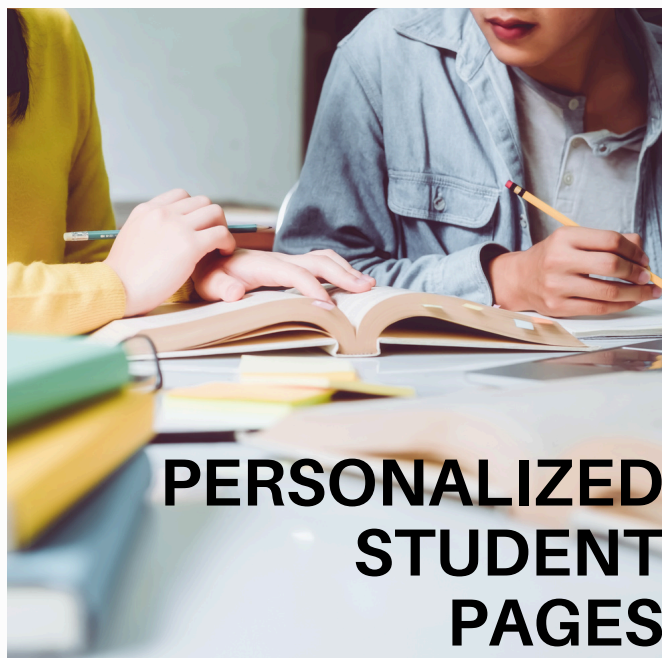
BUY BEFORE JANUARY 1ST TO GET THE DISCOUNTED PRICE OF \$45.

PURCHASES AFTER JANUARY 1ST WILL BE \$50.

IF PARENTS HAVE QUESTIONS OR WOULD LIKE TO SUBMIT PHOTOS THEY'VE TAKEN FROM SPORTING  
EVENTS OR OTHER CAMPUS ACTIVITIES, PLEASE EMAIL THEM TO

[HSYearbook@eduprizeschools.net](mailto:HSYearbook@eduprizeschools.net)

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## **PERSONALIZED STUDENT PAGES**

**PARENTS THIS IS YOUR CHANCE  
TO DESIGN A PERSONALIZED  
PAGE FOR YOUR CHILD.**

**IT'S AS SIMPLE AS UPLOADING  
YOUR OWN PHOTOS.**

**PERSONALIZE IT WITH YOUR  
OWN TEXTS AND PICTURES.  
THIS IS YOUR CHANCE TO  
SUBMIT AN EMBARRASSING  
BABY PHOTO IF THEY WANT (NO  
BARE BABY BUTT CHEEKS OF  
COURSE!)**

### **PRICING:**

**1/8 PAGE: \$30**

**1/4 PAGE: \$50**

**1/2 PAGE: \$75**

**FULL PAGE: \$100**

**ALL SUBMISSIONS DUE BY THE  
LAST DAY OF THE QUARTER  
(FRIDAY, DECEMBER 20TH).**



**ALL SUBMITTED PAGES WILL  
BE CHECKED FOR ANY  
ERRORS.**

**AN EMAIL WILL BE SENT TO  
PARENTS IF CORRECTIONS  
NEED TO BE MADE..**

**PLEASE NOTE THIS  
PERSONALIZED AD WILL BE  
PRINTED ALL YEARBOOKS.**

**IF YOU HAVE QUESTIONS PLEASE EMAIL  
[JAMIE.COXON@EDUPRIZESCHOOLS.NET](mailto:JAMIE.COXON@EDUPRIZESCHOOLS.NET)**





# *Eduprize* **FLAG LINE**

**Grades 5th-12th  
Starts November 6th  
Mondays & Wednesdays  
From 3:00-4:00**

**At B3 basketball courts  
T-shirt included  
\$150 per student for Q2-Q4**

**As a member of this vibrant team, you'll showcase your school spirit while performing in front of a cheering crowd. This is your chance to learn teamwork, develop new skills, and make lasting friendships, all while representing Eduprize with pride at the quarterly assemblies.**

**Sign up [HERE](#) and let's make this club one to remember!**

**For questions email Tracy Marshall at  
[tracy.marshall@eduprizeschools.net](mailto:tracy.marshall@eduprizeschools.net)**

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# COUNSELOR CONNECTION

Kendy Gonzalez M.S. in Psychology

**“The need for connection and community is primal, as  
fundamental as the need for air, water, and food”**

**- Dean Ornish**



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**November 8th, 2024**

 480-813-9537 ex 3150

 [kendy.gonzalez@eduprizeschools.net](mailto:kendy.gonzalez@eduprizeschools.net)

## ACT

### Ready. Set. ACT!

Whether you're preparing for college, exploring college alternatives, or want to certify your career skills, ACT is here to help you every step of the way!

### The ACT Test is Evolving

### Free ACT Test Prep

### ACT WorkKeys

ACT® WorkKeys® is a system of assessments, curriculum and skills profiling that determine, build, and measure essential workplace skills that can affect your job performance and increase opportunities for career changes and advancement. Developed with the same knowledge and research expertise responsible for the ACT® test, WorkKeys assessments and training help lead individuals and businesses to success.

### 7 Unique College Majors You Never Knew Existed

### Student Blog Guidance for Whatever Future You're After Paying for College

### **Social Emotional Learning (SEL)**

**Social Emotional Skills Create Connections and Impact**  
Recent studies show that social and emotional skills like sustaining effort, getting along with others, maintaining composure, keeping an open mind, and social connection were shown to have a consistent and positive association with students' academic and career success.

27% of students who scored high in sustaining effort met ACT's STEM College Readiness Benchmark.  
Students who participate in social emotional skills programming have an 11% gain in achievement test scores.

## University information

### Rensselaer PolyTech Tour

### University of Advancing Technology

### NAU virtual tour

### U of A virtual tour

### GCU virtual tour

### University of Texas at El Paso virtual Tour

### Colleges of Distinction

Founded on the premise that there are hundreds of remarkable colleges across the United States, each with a unique strength to offer the next generation of college-bound students. We connect these colleges to curious, talented students.

## Scholarships

### Student Scholarship

### Arizona Community Foundation

### FLINN Foundation

### First Generation College Students

### QuestBridge

connects high-achieving students from low-income backgrounds with a thriving community and transformative educational, career, and life opportunities that help propel them to lives of fulfillment, meaning, and purpose.

### Tri-University Scholarship Resources

## Reminder

**Your student's academic progress is  
available to you at your convenience through  
the Infinite Campus Parent Portal**



## Applying for scholarships just got a lot easier!

Scholarships and grants are helpful ways to fund your college education. They provide you with free money that can go towards tuition or other educational expenses.

To find and apply for scholarships, sign up for Going Merry -- it's free! Going Merry has thousands of national, regional, and local scholarships. There are also opportunities for every grade level, from freshmen to seniors.

[Click on this Link](#)

**This is Ms. Kendy's List specific to students interests**

**[Click Here to Review List](#)**



**Mesa Community College will be on  
Campus next Wednesday  
November 13, 2024**

# SENIORS

## CLASS OF 2025

You should be starting to apply for schools. It is advised to have all your information in by Thanksgiving in order for the colleges to have time to process your information.

[Your Guide to Senior Pictures](#)

[How to Find Your Path After High School](#)

Make sure you clean up your social media as recruiters use that resource to look more into their applicants.

[How to Write an Awesome College Essay](#)

[Jostens Cap/Gown & Class Rings](#)

[Important Senior Dates](#)

# 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 [Prescription and Non-prescription Medication Consent](#) form which requires a doctor's signature. These forms can be found on our website [www.eduprizeschools.net](http://www.eduprizeschools.net) 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 [Prescription and Non-prescription Medication Consent](#) form .
- **ASTHMA:** If your child has asthma, an asthma action plan will need to be provided by your doctor **ALONG** with a signed [Prescription and Non-prescription Medication Consent](#) form .
- **ALLERGIES:** Allergies that require an EpiPen will need an [Anaphylaxis Management Packet](#) filled out and signed by a doctor along with the [Prescription and Non-prescription Medication Consent](#) 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

Please review our [school health guidelines](#) to ensure you are aware of policies around kids are sick.

## 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.



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# NOW HIRING SUBSTITUTES

## 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 a part of.

**IF INTERESTED PLEASE EMAIL**

[emily.yeaman@eduprizeschools.net](mailto:emily.yeaman@eduprizeschools.net)



**WE'RE  
HIRING!!**

**COME 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**

### IF INTERESTED PLEASE CONTACT:

**TYM BRITTON**

**AIDE SUPERVISOR**

**CAR LANE COORDINATOR**

**LUNCH PROGRAM COORDINATOR**

**EDUPRIZE GILBERT**

**PHONE: (480) 813-9537 EXT.1270**

**EMAIL: TYM.BRITTON@EDUPRIZESCHOOLS.NET**

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# Add

# [www.studentinsurance-kk.com](http://www.studentinsurance-kk.com) to your school's website

Adding a link to your school's website may make it easier for parents to enroll their students in your endorsed student insurance plan. Our website, [www.studentinsurance-kk.com](http://www.studentinsurance-kk.com), provides easy online enrollment. You can choose from simply adding a simple text link or something more descriptive

## **Suggested samples for adding [www.StudentInsurance-KK.com](http://www.StudentInsurance-KK.com) to your school/district website:**

*As you select a listing from the samples below, please set up your choice with a hyperlink to <http://www.studentinsurance-kk.com>*

### **1. Simple Text Options (with hyperlink)**

*example a.* **Enroll in Student Insurance Here**

*example b.* **Quote/Buy Student Insurance Online**

### **2. Descriptive Text Options (with hyperlinks)**

*example a.* **Student Accident Insurance** and the following paragraph either directly below or as a popup option. The paragraph also contains 2 hyperlink options (in bold).

*Our school/district has selected the **Student Insurance Plan** from K&K Insurance Group to make reliable coverage available to parents. If you don't have other insurance, this plan may be a resource to consider. Additionally, even if you have other coverage, this plan can help fill expensive "gaps" caused by deductible and co-pays. Coverage may be purchased at any time during the school year by visiting [www.studentinsurance-kk.com](http://www.studentinsurance-kk.com).*

*example b.* **Student Accident Insurance** and the following paragraph either directly below or as a popup option. The paragraph also contains 1 hyperlink option (in bold).

*Our school/district has selected the **Student Insurance Plan** from K&K Insurance to make reliable coverage available to parents. Coverage may be purchased at any time during the school year by visiting [www.studentinsurance-kk.com](http://www.studentinsurance-kk.com).*

If you do not have the ability to add links to your website, simply pass this sheet along to the technology team responsible for your school/district website. You may encourage individual schools to add this to their own sites as well. If you need additional assistance, please send an email to [info@studentinsurance-kk.com](mailto:info@studentinsurance-kk.com).