

EAGLES EDITION

Gilbert School News | PreK-6th



Principal's Message



Robin Yeargain

Dear EDUPRIZE Parents,

We've had a great week, with lots of learning, including a couple of field trips, which is very typical in Q3! All classes are marching along with the curriculum, both with whole and small group instruction, to meet the different needs within the classroom. Our commitment to academic excellence is always a priority, ensuring every student receives high-quality instruction aligned with rigorous teaching standards. These standards guide our curriculum and classroom activities, providing a strong foundation for academic skills while fostering critical thinking and a love for learning.

This quarter has quite a bit coming up, so please keep an eye on the calendar. Here are some of the significant events:

- In two weeks, we will have our Q3 conferences, which are crucial for you to attend. Teachers are excited to meet with you and share specifics about your child and his/her learning progress. At this conference, you can expect a clear picture of how your child is doing with meeting state curriculum standards. The sign-up genius goes out tonight, so don't miss signing up! Conference week is February 10-14th.
- Our Sweethearts Dance is on Friday, February 7th. PTO has brought back this special event, which allows parents and children to have a special night! It will be a night to dress up and dance the night away! There are limited spots, so please purchase tickets early.
- Project Exploration, a trip to California with 5th and 6th grade students, takes off on February 14th-16th. This trip is always a ton of fun for all!
- Spring Pictures are on February 26th. They are optional and need to be prepaid. Flyers will be coming home.
- Kindergarten Roundup on February 27th—This night, parents and incoming kindergarteners can come to see how amazing learning can be. Do you have a neighbor or friend? Invite them to come check us out. If you refer them and the student enrolls, you will earn a special monetary credit to your account to use for the Life Fund or lunches.
- Boosterthon is the last two weeks of quarter 3, our biggest and best fundraiser for the school! We want to raise \$60,000 for Technology Updates and Student Enrichment! Booster will officially start on Tuesday, February 25th, but there will be a special early registration with a fabulous prize that you won't want to miss out on!

Thank you for your ongoing partnership. Together, we make EDUPRIZE great!

Have a wonderful weekend!

Kindly,
Robin



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CALENDAR

Next Month

FEBRUARY

3rd: Project Exploration Chaperone Meeting

5:00pm B2 Rm. 59

7th: Valentine's Dance

B3 Gym - 4:30-6:30pm

10th-14th: Conference Week

Grades K-6th

13th: Early Release

K-6 regular day students only

13th: Board Meeting

1:00pm B1 Media Center

14th: Student Council Meeting

12:00pm-1:00pm B2 Rm. 54

14th: Project Exploration Departure

1:00pm B3 Gym

17th: No School

Presidents Day Holiday

18th: Campus Tour

5:00pm in B3 Theater

26th: Elementary Spring Pictures

Pre-K - 6th grade students

***Must pay for a package ahead of time**

27th: Kindergarten Roundup

4:30pm-6:00pm B1 Lobby

28th: Student Council Meeting

12:00pm-1:00pm B2 Rm. 54

28th: Q3 Assembly

10:45am B4 Gym

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JANUARY

24th: SignUpGenius goes live

K-6 conferences

27th: Campus Tour

5:00pm in B3 Theater

31st: Student Council Meeting,

12:00pm-1:00pm B2 Rm. 54

Kindergarten

Roundup!

Join us:

Thursday,
February 27th
4:30 - 6:00 pm



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***LEAP* into
Kindergarten
at our award-
winning 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 2025-26 school year
- Open house style
- Scan to RSVP:



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

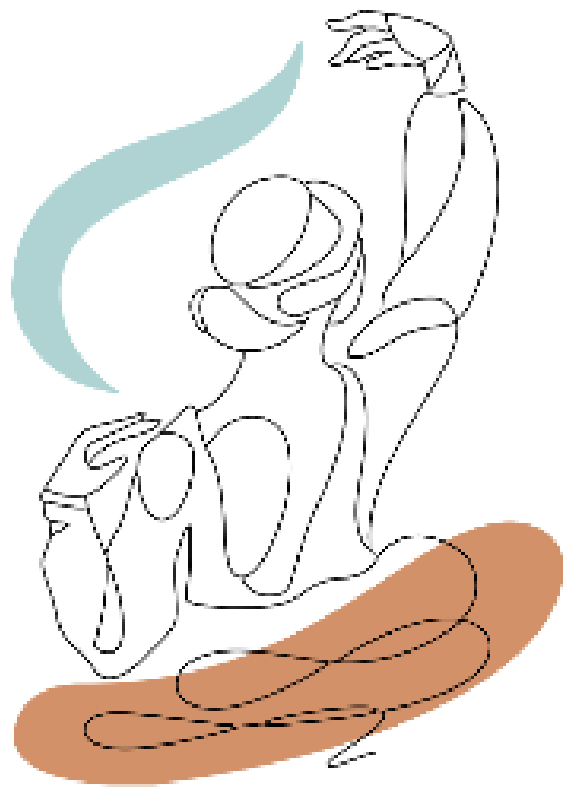
QUESTIONS?

480-813-9537 x1030

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

www.eduprize.com





EDUPRIZE

DANCE TEAM

2025 Q3&Q4

SIGN-UP
HERE

- Every Thursday from 3:00-4:00 PM
 - January 23-May 22nd
- 3rd-6th graders only
- Available for AM TOPS, and Regular day!
- Students will learn basic dance skills and dance terminology
- Perform at the assembly
- 20 spots open
- The club fee of \$70 will include a t-shirt to wear to practice and the performance!

If you have any questions contact Coach Sydney
sydney.stegall@eduprizeschools.net

SCHOOLS OUT

BUT WE'RE IN!

Presidents Day, Half day Open Gym /
Camp

Feb 17th, 8am-12:pm @ B4

1st Child \$25, 2nd Child \$20, Each additional Child \$10
(Children must be siblings in the same household)

To Register or For More Information,

Email: eduprizebasketball@gmail.com

Activities include; supervised open gym,
table games & craft

Snack included

HOSTED BY EDUPRIZE BASKETBALL

Help your local shelter animals!!

*PRE-K/KINDERGARTEN - CANNED
KITTEN FOOD*

1ST GRADE - CANNED CAT FOOD

2ND GRADE - CANNED PUPPY FOOD

3RD GRADE - CANNED DOG FOOD

4TH GRADE - DRY KITTEN FOOD

5TH GRADE - CAT LITTER

6TH GRADE - COLLARS/LEASHES

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BRING IN BY FEB. 7TH!!

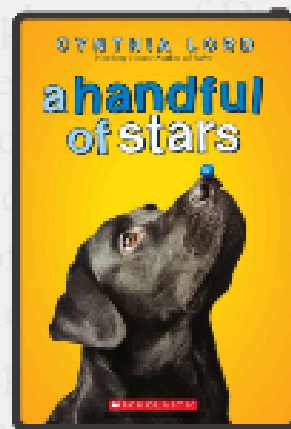
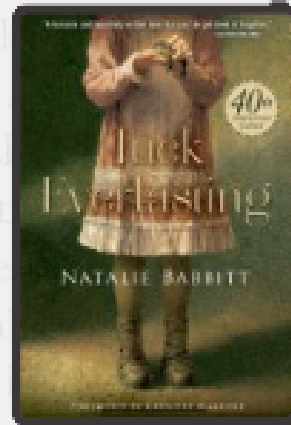
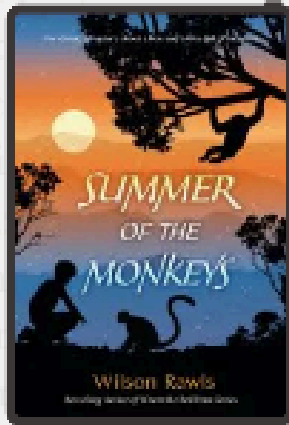
**CLASS WITH MOST DONATIONS WINS A
PIZZA PARTY SPONSORED BY NJHS & NHS!**

BATTLE OF THE BOOKS- BATTLE #2

APRIL 23, 2025

3:45, MEDIA CENTER

ARE YOU READY TO BATTLE?!



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CREATE YOUR TEAMS NOW!!!

TEACHERS WILL BE SENT A GOOGLE FORM TO INPUT TEAMS ON MONDAY, JANUARY 20TH.

15 TEAMS WILL BE CHOSEN TO COMPETE ON WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 22!
TEAMS MAY THEN STOP BY RM 52 AND PICK UP BATTLE BAGS. FIRST COME, FIRST SERVED AND BOOKS ARE LIMITED.

Fine print: Teams not chosen last round will be given 1st choice at competing this round and are automatically chosen as part of the 15.

PROJECT EXPLORATION: UNIVERSAL CAREER BUILDER

FEBRUARY 14-16, 2025



COUNTDOWN TO PROJECT X: 21 DAYS

PREPARING FOR THE TRIP:

- **CHAPERONES**: PLAN TO ATTEND THE MEETING ON 2/3 AT 5:00 PM IN ROOM 59 (B2).
- PROJECT EX STUDENTS **MUST** ATTEND SCHOOL ON 2/14 TO GO ON THE TRIP.
- DON'T FORGET TO BRING A **SACK DINNER** AND **MEDICATIONS IN ORIGINAL BOTTLES/PACKAGING** ON 2/14.
- JOIN CLASS DOJO TO GET TRIP PICTURES AND UPDATES!

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PTO NEWSLETTER

January 2025

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**Dance Tickets
On Sale Now**

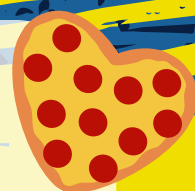
[CLICK HERE
FOR PTO
WEBSITE/
TICKETS](#)

Elementary and Jr High dances are happening Friday, February 7th! See Flyers for times, details and to purchase tickets. Please note... Elementary must pre-purchase to attend and tickets may sell out due to space!

Save the date!



Peter Piper Pizza we love our school night! Enjoy heart shaped pizza, play games and celebrate Valentine's Day! 20% of your orders will help pay for water day and other student enrichments. See flyer for details! THANK YOU!



NEWSFLASH

Welcome KARLA COOMBS!
The PTO's new treasurer!

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.



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

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[PTO Facebook Group](#)

PLEASE JOIN US
FEBRUARY 7TH, 2025

HOSTED BY THE GILBERT EDUPRIZE PTO

\$10 PER 1
ADULT/CHILD
COUPLE
(REQUIRED)
\$5 EXTRA CHILD



Eduprize Valentine's Dance

K-6 Elementary Dance 4:30-6:30 pm

**PURCHASE
TICKETS
HERE**



DANCING, PHOTO AREA, FOOD TRUCKS

Limited Tickets Available

GILBERT EDUPRIZE

**B3 GYM, GATE
ENTRANCE**

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- ALL ELEMENTARY TICKETS MUST BE PRE-PURCHASED
 - ONE ADULT PER FAMILY IS APPRECIATED DUE TO SPACE AND REQUIRED FOR A CHILD TO ATTEND, NO DROP OFFS!
 - PLEASE READ DETAILS ON TICKET LEAP WEBSITE BEFORE PURCHASING TICKETS AND FOR MORE INFO
 - NO TICKETS WILL BE SOLD AT THE DOOR FOR ELEMENTARY DANCE
 - JR HIGH HAS A SEPERATE TICKET LINK

PTO Website: eduprizegilbertpto.com

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AND RAISE SOME DOUGH

20% of all food, beverage and funpass game credit sales benefit

Eduprize

"We Love Our School Night"

Date: Monday, February 10, 2025

Time: 3:00 PM - 8:00 PM

Place: Peter Piper Pizza at
Gilbert
2122 E. Baseline Road, Suite D
MESA 85204

CAN'T MAKE IT OR IN A HURRY?

You can still donate by ordering online or through the app.

1. Order at peterpiperpizza.com or through our app on the fundraiser date
2. Select the restaurant hosting the fundraiser
3. Enter the promo code **FRESHDOUGH** at checkout for donation contribution



scan QR code
to download
our new app!



Present this flyer to the cashier when ordering | ©2022 Peter Piper, LLC

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SEL CORNER

(SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL LEARNING)

Dear EDUPRIZE families,

This week and next week, I would like to share a few tips about encouraging gratitude at home, submitted by our amazing Reading Interventionist, Ms. Runyon.

Gratitude is a powerful tool to enhance our emotional well-being and strengthen relationships. Some of the benefits of practicing gratitude include:

- Improving mood and reducing feelings of stress.
- Enhancing relationships by fostering a sense of connection.
- Encouraging a positive outlook and resilience in facing challenges.

Here are 2 some simple ways to incorporate gratitude into your family's daily routine (more next week):

- **Gratitude Journals:** Encourage your child to keep a gratitude journal. Each day, they can write down three things they are thankful for. This practice helps shift focus from challenges to positive aspects of life.
- **Thank You Notes:** Help your child write thank you notes to friends, family, or teachers. This not only expresses appreciation but also reinforces the importance of acknowledging others' kindness.



Heather Vehon
Dean of Students K-6th

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



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ATHLETIC DEPARTMENT

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SPORTS INFORMATION WEEK OF 1/25-1/31

All game schedules can be found on AZCAAPREPS.com

24-25 Athletic [FORMS](#)

24-25 Athletic Physical [FORMS](#)

****HS Girls Flag Football Info Meeting will be held on Monday, January 27 from 3-3:45. Tryouts will begin the following day and the rest of the week.**

**** HS Boys Volleyball will start tryouts on JANUARY 29th from 3- 4:30 in the B4 Gym**

**** Fellowship of Christian Athletes (FCA) on Thursday, February 6th at 3 PM in the B4 Gym. It is open to any student that would like to attend.**

JV Boys Basketball

Practice: Monday & Wednesday
5:00-6:30 in B4 Gym

Tuesday: AWAY at Premier Prep Tucson
(5901 S Santa Clara Ave, Tucson)

*****EARLY RELEASE @ 1pm from B4*****

Friday: AWAY at Heritage Maricopa at 4pm
(41000 W. Heroes Way, Maricopa)

Varsity/Open Basketball

Check with Coach Ashton for Practice Schedule

Monday: OPEN AWAY at PPH at 7pm
(4600 E Cotton Gin Loop)

Tuesday: Varsity & OPEN AWAY at Premier Prep
Tucson

Varsity at 5:30pm & OPEN at 7pm
(5901 S Santa Clara Ave, Tucson)

Thursday: Varsity HOME Vs South Pointe High 7PM in
B4 Gym

Be sure to bring water to your practices!
Questions, please email the Athletic Director
Clint.ambos@eduprizeschools.net

Jr High Girls Basketball

Practice: Tuesday (B4) & Wednesday (B3)
3:00 - 4:45

Monday: AWAY at ALA Anthem South at 4:30pm
(8450 W Franklin Rd, Florence)

Thursday: AWAY at Champion at 4:30pm
(250 S McQueen Rd)

Cornhole Schedule

Practice: Tuesday - Thursday
from 3:00 - 4:00 PM
B4 Stage

Saturday (1/25): At Synergy School Gym
(2701 W. Bethany Home Road, Phoenix, 85017)
Van will leave Eduprize at 8:30
The tournament will start at 10

State Tournament will be Feb 1st @ EDUPRIZE

JH Cheer Practice

Practice: Tuesday from 3:00 - 5:00

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Eduprize Gilbert (PreK-6)

STAY CONNECTED AND DON'T MISS OUT
ON YOUR **2024-2025 YEARBOOK!**



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Buytheyearbook.com

Enter School ID #724709
to find your school faster!

Only \$35 until March 8, 2025!

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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 [Prescription and Non-prescription Medication Consent](#) form which requires a doctor's signature. These forms can be found on our website 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



**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 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, 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 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.*

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.*

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.