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EDUPRIZE SCHOOLS

QUEEN CREEK/SAN TAN VALLEY CAMPUS NEWSLETTER



COMMUNITY CORNER

by Dr. Bryce Solberg

EDUPRIZE Families,

We had a fantastic back to school Luau organized by our Parent-Teacher Organization (PTO). Without the support of this amazing organization, we would not be able to build such a positive community culture.

Carpool News

We are observing more aggressive driving on Roberts Road. PCSO is aware and will be sending a Deputy if they are free. Let's not have an accident take place to engage change. Parents need to follow the traffic laws on Roberts Road and the carpool process while on campus. If everyone does their part, we are able to clear the lanes (accident free) in less than 10 minutes.

Remember:

- Drop off students no earlier than 15 minutes prior to their start time.
- Arrive at pick up no earlier than 5 minutes before dismissal time.
- While in carpool, do not back up your vehicle. There are many moving parts to the success of dismissal and by backing up you are placing students, staff, and other parents at risk (especially if you are near the crosswalk).
- Unload on curbside (not street side).
- Place carpool tags in window.

Go EAGLES!

Dr. Solberg

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CALENDAR AT-A-GLANCE

AUGUST 2025

8/18	College Shirt Monday
8/25	College Shirt Monday
8/25-29	Parent-Teacher Conference Week
8/28	Early Release for FULL Day students only
8/29	Kona Ice Visit

SEPTEMBER 2025

9/1	NO SCHOOL - Labor Day
9/5	NJHS Hat Day
9/9	Fall Individual & Class Pictures (Kinder-3rd grade, Pre-K T/TH class)
9/10	Fall Individual & Class Pictures (4th-6th grade, Pre-K MWF & M-F classes)
9/16	Jr. High Panoramic Group Picture
9/17	Quarter 1 Sports Pictures
9/18	Jr. High Eagle EXPO
9/22	Cottage Fair: Full Day Students @ 5:00 p.m.
9/23	Cottage Fair: AM TOPS Students @ 5:00 p.m.
9/24	Cottage Fair: PM TOPS Students @ 5:00 p.m.
9/25	Sandra Day O'Connor Day
9/26	Last Day of Quarter 1
9/26	Kona Ice Visit
9/29-10/14	Fall Break

OCTOBER 2025

10/15	1st Day of Quarter 2
10/15-16	Q2 Sports Tryouts @ 3:15-5:00 p.m. (Boys Volleyball/ Girls Softball)

PLANNING AHEAD

12/22-1/6/26	Winter Break
3/9-3/23/26	Spring Break
5/29/26	Last Day of the 2025-2026 School Year

QUICK LINKS

[WEBSITE](#)[INFINITE CAMPUS
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PARENT TEACHER NETWORK

- qcptn-president@eduprize.com
- [PTN Website](#)
- Art Masterpiece: www.art4eduprize.com
- School Apparel: [ORDER HERE](#)

STEAM Program

- For sign-up information and STEAM calendars please email Mrs. Larson at: qc.steam@eduprize.com

CONTACT US

480.888.1610

www.eduprize.com

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EARLY RELEASE

Early Release

THURSDAY, AUGUST 28TH

FULL DAY STUDENTS ONLY

Full Day Students:

Friday Schedule

AM TOPS Students:

Normal Schedule

PM TOPS Students:

Normal Schedule



NO Kinder
Plus/Extended
Programs

No AM/PM Regal
Eagle Program

PARENT-TEACHER CONFERENCE WEEK

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AUGUST 25TH - 29TH

- Schedule your parent-teacher conference with your child's teacher.
- Remember to bring a valid photo ID to check in at the front desk during school hours. Every adult will need an ID, not one per family.

2025/2026 L.I.F.E. FUND

DUE

LIFE Funds are due **September 1, 2025** in order for students to participate in their class field trip this school year.

If you have not already done so, please pay LIFE Funds through your Infinite Campus parent portal.

Lab Instructional Field Experiences (L.I.F.E.) provide 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.



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Price:

\$26 until Nov. 29th then

\$30 until Mar. 30th



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encargar hoy!*

BIG-E LITTLE-E

Mentoring Program



✱ Big E / Lil E Mentoring Program – Helping Students THRIVE! ✱

We're excited to launch the Big E / Lil E Mentoring Program—a unique way to connect EDUPRIZE junior high “Big E” mentors with elementary “Lil E” students for positive, supportive relationships. This program reflects our core THRIVE values: Trust, Heart, Respect, Inquiry, Value, and Excellence.

How it works:

- Lil E students gain academic and social support from caring junior high role models.
- Big E mentors develop leadership, empathy, and communication skills.
- Matches last for a Semester, with approved activities like sports, reading, tutoring, board games, and creative projects.

Expectations for Mentors:

- Maintain 70% or higher in all classes
- Show positive character traits
- Complete all program forms
- Participate in a final self-reflection

Celebrating Success:

At the end of each semester, we'll host a celebration ceremony to honor the achievements of our mentors.

We believe this program will have a lasting impact on both younger and older students—and help them truly THRIVE!



DID YOU KNOW...

CARPOOL REMINDERS

PARENT PORTAL HELP

SIMPLE WAYS TO GIVE BACK

STUDENT ACCIDENT INSURANCE

REMINDERS FROM THE NURSE

HOW TO MAKE PAYMENTS

PARENT PORTAL

ABSENT/TARDY STUDENTS

Please remember to call EDUPRIZE and leave a message if your child is going to be absent.

Attendance line:
(480) 888-1610, ext. 1200

All students arriving tardy must be signed in by an adult at the front desk of building 1 to receive a late pass. If a student arrives late and is not accompanied by an adult, the student will be asked to call their ride to return.

VISITORS/VOLUNTEERS

A visitor's purpose will be verified prior to receiving permission to enter the front office. While on campus, parents and volunteers will be required to leave a valid photo ID at the front desk and wear a lanyard at all times.

If you need to verify that you are on a teacher's volunteer/visitor calendar, please reach out to your child's teacher via email.

WE ARE HIRING

Carpool/Lunch Aide

Position: Part-time aide position
(19 hours/week)

- PM Positions 10:15-1:00 p.m. and 2:30-3:50 p.m.

Please turn in an application and resume to Mrs. Chow. Support Staff applications can be found online at eduprize.com or at the front desk of building one. An IVP fingerprint card will be required.

Questions: sami.chow@eduprize.com

Special Education Administrative Assistant

Job Summary: The Special Education Administrative Assistant provides comprehensive administrative support to the Special Education (SpEd) Supervisor/Director, school psychologists, and various staff. This position is responsible for managing a wide range of tasks, including scheduling meetings, maintaining student files, coordinating departmental activities, and supporting the efficient operation of the SpEd department.

[Key Responsibilities/ Qualifications](#)

This role requires a dedicated, organized, and proactive individual to ensure the smooth functioning of the Special Education department while providing critical support to the team and the students they serve.

Please email resumes to amanda.kirkland@eduprize.com as soon as possible. Thank you!

QUARTER 1 SPORTS



EDUPRIZE QUEEN CREEK EAGLES

Junior High Baseball • 2025-26

Schedule

Date	Opponent	Result	Location	Caption
8/19/2025	vs  Rim Country MS	4:30 PM	Circle Cross Ranch K-8	
8/21/2025	@  American Leadership Academy Gilbert North	4:00 PM	American Leadership Academy Gilbert Baseball Field	
8/29/2025	vs  Benjamin Franklin Charter	4:30 PM	Benjamin Franklin Charter Baseball Diamond	
9/2/2025	vs  Heritage Academy Gateway JH	4:30 PM	Circle Cross Ranch K-8	
9/4/2025	@  American Leadership Academy Ironwood	4:00 PM	American Leadership Academy Ironwood Baseball Field	
9/9/2025	vs  Legacy Traditional School Gilbert	4:30 PM	Circle Cross Ranch K-8	
9/11/2025	@  Heritage Academy Gateway JH	3:00 PM	Arizona Athletic Grounds Field	
9/16/2025	@  American Leadership Academy Queen Creek	4:00 PM	American Leadership Academy Queen Creek Baseball Field	
9/23/2025	vs  Legacy Traditional School Chandler	4:30 PM	Legacy Traditional School Chandler JH Field	
9/25/2025	@  Legacy Traditional School Chandler	4:30 PM	Legacy Traditional School Chandler JH Field	

**GOBOUND ATHLETIC
WEBSITE**

QUARTER 1 SPORTS



EDUPRIZE QUEEN CREEK EAGLES

Junior High Girls Volleyball • 2025-26

Schedule

Date	Opponent	Result	Location	Caption
8/19/2025	vs  American Leadership Academy Queen Creek	4:30 PM	EDUPRIZE Queen Creek Building 2 Gym	
8/21/2025	vs  American Leadership Academy Ironwood	4:30 PM	EDUPRIZE Queen Creek Building 2 Gym	
8/26/2025	vs  ASU Preparatory Academy Polytechnic	4:30 PM	EDUPRIZE Queen Creek Building 2 Gym	
9/2/2025	@  EDUPRIZE Gilbert	4:00 PM	EDUPRIZE Gilbert Gym Building #4	
9/3/2025	@  ASU Preparatory Academy Polytechnic	5:00 PM	ASU Prep Poly - Sun Devil Complex Gym	
9/4/2025	@  American Leadership Academy Queen Creek	4:30 PM	American Leadership Academy Queen Creek Gym	
9/12/2025	vs  EDUPRIZE Gilbert	4:30 PM	EDUPRIZE Queen Creek Building 2 Gym	
9/15/2025	vs  Legacy Traditional School Chandler	4:30 PM	EDUPRIZE Queen Creek Building 2 Gym	
9/18/2025	@  American Leadership Academy Ironwood	5:00 PM	American Leadership Academy Ironwood Gym	
9/23/2025	vs  Legacy Traditional School Gilbert	4:30 PM	EDUPRIZE Queen Creek Building 2 Gym	
9/24/2025	@  Benjamin Franklin Charter	5:00 PM	Benjamin Franklin Charter Gym	

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