



DECEMBER 6, 2025

EDUPRIZE SCHOOLS

QUEEN CREEK/SAN TAN VALLEY CAMPUS NEWSLETTER



COMMUNITY CORNER

by Dr. Bryce Solberg

EDUPRIZE Families,

Our NJHS-sponsored Giving Tree is in full swing! Ornaments are available on the tree in the front office. If you are able to help, please take an ornament and check it out with the front desk. Your generosity is greatly appreciated.

We will be having our A+ renewal site visit on Monday and Tuesday. This process involves a team of judges visiting our campus. During the visit, they will be moving around campus and observing our day-to-day activities and meeting with various groups to gather stakeholder feedback. Once the visit is completed, they will determine if we will maintain our A+ rating for the next four years. We expect to be notified in early February to late March.

This week is a busy one, with the 4th Grade Choir Concert, JH Eagle Expo, and JH Band and Choir Concert.

Please remind your child to check the lost and found for items, as remaining items will be donated over winter break.

Go EAGLES!

Dr. Solberg

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Quick REFERENCES

CALENDAR AT-A-GLANCE

DECEMBER 2025

12/1-12	Yearbook Cover Contest
12/3-12	NJHS Sponsored Giving Tree
12/3-5	Elf Shelf Holiday Shop Event
12/11	Jr. High Eagle EXPO
12/11	4 th Grade Holiday Choir Concert @ 6:00 p.m.
12/11	Spirit Nest Meeting
12/13	School House Market
12/15-16	Cheer Tryouts @ 3:15-5:00 p.m.
12/15	Cottage Fair - AM FLEX
12/16	Cottage Fair - PM FLEX
12/16-18	CoEd Flag Football Tryouts @ 3:15-5:00 p.m.
12/16-18	Girls Basketball Tryouts @ 3:15-5:00 p.m.
12/17	Cottage Fair - Full Day
12/19	Early Release for ALL PROGRAMS
12/19	Last Day of Quarter 2
12/19	Kona Ice Visit
12/22-1/6/26	Winter Break

PLANNING AHEAD

1/22/26	Schoolwide Spelling Bee
3/9-3/23/26	Spring Break
5/26	Kinder Graduation (Kolodny, Bartling, Gloor, Foss)
5/27	Kinder Graduation (Feldes, Casey, Fernando, Petersen)
5/28	Kinder Graduation (Miller, Cortez, Taylor)
5/28	8 th Grade Promotion
5/29/26	Last Day of the 2025-2026 School Year

[2026-2027 School Calendar](#)

QUICK LINKS

WEBSITE

INFINITE CAMPUS
PORTAL

ATHLETICS



PARENT TEACHER ORGANIZATION

- qcpto-president@eduprize.com
- Art Masterpiece: www.art4eduprize.com
- website: eduprizeqcpto.com

STEAM Program

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

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[Facebook](#)



26-27 Intent to Return Survey

It is that time again! We would like to know your intentions for the 2026-2027 school year.

To secure your child's enrollment for the 2026-2027 school year, please click on the link below to complete one survey for each student who **CURRENTLY** attends EDUPRIZE in K-8. Once you submit one survey, you will be asked if you would like to submit another.

Regardless of return status, please complete the survey. Submitting your ITR survey secures your child's seat for the next year before we begin enrolling new families from our extensive waitlists. We want to ensure every current EDUPRIZE student has priority placement and the opportunity to continue their educational journey with us.

We have new schedule offerings for our 7th/8th grade students. Please be sure to read all details in the survey.

We thank you in advance for assisting us in our endeavor to properly staff, plan, and continue offering the programs your children love.

LIFE Fund and Educational Enhancement fees are not payable until July 2026.



**2026/2027
Intent to
Return Survey**

GIVING TREE

THE EDUPRIZE

Giving Tree



The National Junior Honor Society is excited to announce our tenth annual Giving Tree event to support our families in need here at EDUPRIZE Queen Creek/ San Tan Valley.

If you are interested in participating, we invite you to take an ornament from the tree located in the building one front office and purchase the items listed on the back.

Make sure to register the number on your ornament with the front desk before taking the ornament home.

NOW - FRIDAY, DECEMBER 12

**All unwrapped gifts are due to the front desk by
Monday, December 15th**

Thank you in advance for your donation(s). We greatly appreciate our exceptional community here at EDUPRIZE and are so pleased to bring another year of joy and happiness to those who need us most.

COTTAGE FAIR

Eduprize Schools

COTTAGE FAIR

Monday, December 15 @ 5:00-6:30 p.m.

Cottage Fair for:

- AM FLEX Students

Tuesday, December 16 @ 5:00-6:30 p.m.

Cottage Fair for:

- PM FLEX Students

Wednesday, December 17 @ 5:00-6:30 p.m.

Cottage Fair for:

- Full Day Students

Parents are
invited to come
celebrate the
academic
accomplishments
of their child(ren).

EARLY RELEASE

Early Release

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 19TH
ALL PROGRAMS

Full Day:

Friday Schedule

AM FLEX:

AM Kindergarten: 7:15 a.m. – 9:55 a.m.

(AM kinders with older AM FLEX siblings will be held until sibling is released.)

AM 1st-6th grade: 7:15 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.

PM FLEX:

PM Kindergarten: 10:40 a.m. – 1:25 p.m.

(PM kinders with older PM FLEX siblings will be held until sibling is released.)

PM 1st-6th grade: 10:40 a.m. – 1:40 p.m.



WINTER BREAK



**WINTER
BREAK
NO SCHOOL**

DECEMBER 22 - JANUARY 6

FIRST DAY OF QUARTER 3 IS:

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 7, 2026

**THE FRONT OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED
THROUGHOUT THE WINTER BREAK.**

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YOU'RE INVITED!

PARENT MEETING

NEW TIME!

~~4~~ 3 Options!

- ★ DECEMBER 4TH
@ 2:15 PM
- ★ DECEMBER 4TH
@ 5:00 PM
- ★ DECEMBER 10TH
@ 8:00 AM
- ★ DECEMBER 16TH
@ 11:00 AM

You spoke, we listened.

New programs are on the way!

Come to our informational meeting
to hear the plan and ask questions.



RISE for 3rd-8th Grade



Junior High **FLEX**



NEW Junior High Schedule

Join us in the
BUILDING 1
Media Center

For More Information
robin.yeargain@eduprize.com

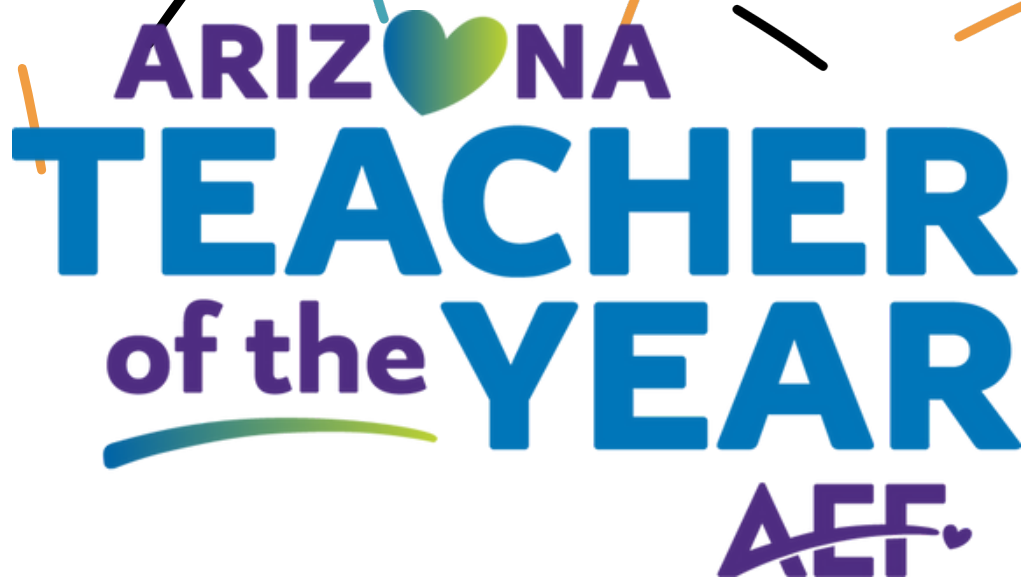
RSVP Here



[Meeting Sign Up](#)

ARIZONA EDUCATION FOUNDATION'S

TEACHER OF THE YEAR PROGRAM



The Arizona Education Foundation (AEF) honors Arizona's most dedicated educators through its **Teacher of the Year** program, celebrating teachers who inspire students and strengthen their communities.

We are proud to have truly **OUTSTANDING TEACHERS** here at **EDUPRIZE!** Show your support and nominate your favorite educators on the **AEF** website today!

Nominations close on March 1, 2026

[CLICK HERE](#)



SCHOOL HOUSE MARKET



**SCHOOL
HOUSE
MARKET**

JOIN US FOR OUR HOLIDAY SCHOOL HOUSE MARKET!

We are excited to host the first-ever
community market at EDUPRIZE in Gilbert!



1383 E Baseline Rd, Gilbert AZ 85233

Saturday, December 13th from 9AM - 3PM

Food trucks, music & local favorites!

Multiple vendors of all kinds!

Yard games & family fun for all ages!

Kids craft station & bounce house!



Let us know you are coming!

Event Page

Vendor Sign Up

QUARTER 3 SPORTS TRYOUT



Q3 SPORTS TRYOUT INFORMATION

GIRLS BASKETBALL

Dates: December 16-18
Time: 3:15 - 5:00 p.m.
Location: Bldg 2 Gym

FLAG FOOTBALL

Dates: December 16-18
Time: 3:15 - 5:00 p.m.
Location: EDUPRIZE Field

CHEER

Dates: December 15-16
Time: 3:15 - 5:00 p.m.
Location: Bldg 1 Gym

IMPORTANT INFORMATION AND REQUIREMENTS

- Open to all interested 6th, 7th, and 8th graders.
- Students must attend ALL days of tryouts.
- Students must complete and upload the following three forms in order to tryout:
 - 1 - Current CAA physical evaluation (MUST be dated on or after April 1, 2025)
 - 2 - 2025-2026 CAA consent to treat form
 - 3 - 2025-2026 EDUPRIZE liability waiver
- **IMPORTANT CHANGE THIS YEAR:** All athletic forms must now be uploaded directly to the [GoBound](#) platform and linked to your student-athlete's profile. Parents can log into the platform by first visiting the [GoBound EDUPRIZE Queen Creek](#) homepage. In the top right corner of the page, click on the "Create Account" button to begin.
- All forms must be uploaded to [GoBound](#) by **December 15th at 12:00 noon - NO EXCEPTIONS.**
- Students who submit forms after 12:00 noon on December 15th will not be permitted to tryout.
- Forms are [available online](#) and at building 2 front desk.
- Students who make the team **must pay a \$200 (\$260 for cheer) participation fee prior to the first game.**
- FEES ARE NON-REFUNDABLE.
- Tryout numbers will be passed out during lunch the day of tryouts.
- Tryouts are closed. No parents are permitted to watch.

****Don't forget to wear appropriate sports attire, and bring a water bottle.****

For more information, contact Trey Colburn, Athletic Director, at trey.colburn@eduprize.com, or visit the Canyon Athletic Association website: <http://www.azcaa.com>.

PEACE WALK

EDUPRIZE QC/STV's 4th Annual Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. *Peace Walk*

Monday, January 19, 2026

(Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday / No School)

8:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

Arrival: 8:00 a.m.

Peace Walk: 8:30 a.m.

Food Trucks & Music: 9:30 - 10:30 a.m.

Participants will meet in front of the school and walk north on Thompson Rd., head east into the surrounding neighborhood, and then loop back toward EDUPRIZE. The walk will end in the dirt lot where parking will be available for families. Food trucks will be set up in front of the school along with music to enjoy after the walk. Please bring your own lawn chairs for seating.



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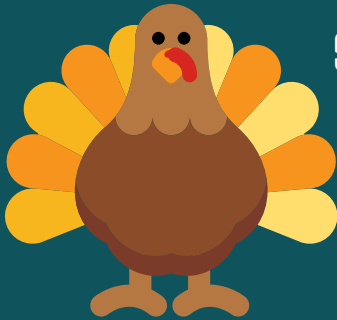
4567 W. Roberts Road
San Tan Valley, AZ 85144
Phone: (480) 888-1610



Poster Contest Winner
Zoe Jimenez, 3rd Grade, Mrs. Reading

TURKEY DRIVE WINNERS!

Thanksgiving FOOD DRIVE WINNERS!



SENDING A BIG THANK YOU TO EVERYONE WHO CONTRIBUTED
TO THE SUCCESS OF OUR TURKEY DRIVE!

THE CLASS WITH THE MOST TURKEYS DONATED WAS:
MRS. CAMPBELL'S CLASS



CALLING 5TH & 6TH GRADERS

THE SPIRIT NEST

Upcoming Events

WHO:

5th & 6th grade students who have previously won the Eagles Rock award

WHAT:

These students will get to share their ideas, give input, & work together to create our Spirit Week themes at the end of each quarter.

WHERE:

Building 2 lunch tables (they will be labeled)

Quarter 2 schedule:

OCT
31

10:20 AM - 10:35 AM

July/August Eagles Rock winners

NOV
07

10:20 AM - 10:35 AM

*September Eagles Rock winners

NOV
21

10:20 AM - 10:35 AM

*September Eagles Rock winners

DEC
05

10:20 AM - 10:35 AM

*October/November Eagles Rock winners

DEC
12

10:20 AM - 10:35 AM

*October/November Eagles Rock winners

YEARBOOK COVER CONTEST

Entries due by Friday, December 12, 2025

One winner will be selected from each grade level. One drawing will be featured on the front cover, and all other drawings will appear on the back cover. Open to all grade levels K-8th.

GUIDELINES

- ☐ Use an 8.5" x 11" blank sheet of paper, **MUST USE PROVIDED SHEET**, pick up at front desk. (available beginning 12/1/25)
- ☐ Use the paper in **VERTICAL** orientation **ONLY**.
- ☐ Design **MUST** include the school name:
EDUPRIZE SCHOOLS - QC/STV Campus
- ☐ Design **MUST** include the school year:
2025 - 2026
- ☐ Information:
School Colors: Blue and Gray
Mascot: Eagle
Theme: THRIVE: Trust Heart Respect Inquiry Value Excellence
- ☐ Your design **MUST** be in color.
- ☐ Must use provided paper, pick up at front desk of building one.
- ☐ Art must be the sole work of the student.
- ☐ Due to volume of entries student art work will **NOT BE RETURNED**.

example →



****Any art medium may be used - crayons, paints, pastels, markers, colored pencils, but NO DIGITAL OR STICKERS****

TIPS FOR A GOOD ENTRY

- ☐ Avoid leaving a lot of white or blank space.
- ☐ Mix up your mediums - combine markers and colored pencils.
- ☐ Keep your paper neat and wrinkle-free (**DO NOT FOLD**).
- ☐ Keep what is important in the design: School Name, Year, and Main Drawing

WRITE your name, teacher, and grade on the back. DO NOT write your name on the front of your entry.

TURN IN YOUR ARTWORK TO THE FRONT DESK OF BUILDING 1

SCIENCE FAIR



Attention All Students in Grades 3rd-6th!

Do you have a passion for Science?

You may be interested in competing in EDUPRIZE'S Elementary School Science Fair! Get all the information needed to compete in the presentation link. We can't wait to see what you come up with!

Please sign up using this link:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0545AEAC29A2F9C61-60378217-science>

Presentation information for everything you need to compete in the science fair:

**EDUPRIZE QUEEN CREEK
SCIENCE FAIR**

25-26 YEARBOOKS



Yearbook Photo Sharing Made Simple!

Submit your photos to be considered in the
EDUPRIZE SCHOOLS - QC/STV CAMPUS

2025-2026 Yearbook!

Use this code to upload images at: community.lifetouch.com

EAGLES-PICS-YB-26

direct yearbook URL:

<https://community.lifetouch.com/invite?code=EAGLES-PICS-YB-26>

SUBMIT PICTURES BY 03.15.2026

**Note: All photos will be reviewed by our Yearbook Advisor
and there is no guarantee that all images will be included.*

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25-26 YEARBOOKS

EDUPRIZE YEARBOOKS PRICE INCREASE ALERT!

CURRENT SALE PRICE IS AT
OUR COST \$26

PRICE INCREASES TO \$30 ON
NOVEMBER 30, 2025

ONLINE SALES ENDS APRIL 05,
2026 @ 11:59 P.M.

Visit ybpay.com to order your yearbook today
or scan the QR code

Yearbook ID Code: 12801926

