



JANUARY 10, 2026

# EDUPRIZE SCHOOLS

QUEEN CREEK/SAN TAN VALLEY CAMPUS NEWSLETTER



## COMMUNITY CORNER

*by Dr. Bryce Solberg*

Welcome back EDUPRIZE Families,

I hope you all had time to relax and enjoy the time off for the holidays. We are excited to begin the second semester. I wanted to take a quick moment to review procedures:

- Students should not be arriving on campus earlier than 15-minutes before their class start time.
- All visitors must sign in at the front desk and provide a driver's license.
- Please follow carpool procedures: no cell phone use, and load/unload students at the curbside only.

If you have any questions, our website offers many valuable resources for you and your family.

Thank you all for your support of EDUPRIZE and making these cool things happen!

Go EAGLES!

Dr. Solberg

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# Quick REFERENCES

## CALENDAR AT-A-GLANCE

### JANUARY 2026

1/15	Activity Group Pictures
1/15	PTO Board Meeting
1/16	100 <sup>th</sup> Day of School
1/19	NO SCHOOL - MLK Day
1/19	MLK Peace Walk
1/20	Spring Individual Pictures (PreK T-TH class & Kinder-3 <sup>rd</sup> Grade)
1/21	Spring Individual Pictures (PreK MWF Class/M-F Class & 4-8 <sup>th</sup> Grade)
1/22	School-wide Spelling Bee
1/28	Season 3 Sports Pictures
1/30	Kona Ice Visit

### FEBRUARY 2026

2/5	PTO Board Meeting
2/6	NJHS sponsored Hat Day
2/9-2/13	Parent-Teacher Conference Week
2/12	Early Release - Full Day ONLY
2/16	NO SCHOOL - President's Day
2/20	PTO Sponsored - Son's Night Out Event
2/24	Promotion Pictures: Pre-K (T/Th class) & 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade
2/25	Promotion Pictures: Pre-K (M-F, M/W/F classes) & 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade
2/26	Jr. High Eagles Expo
2/26-2/27	Band & Choir Concert
2/27	Jr. High Career Fair
2/27-3/5	Science Fair (grades 3-8)
2/27	Kona Ice Visit

### PLANNING AHEAD

3/9-3/23/26	Spring Break
5/22	PreK Promotion - AM Greenlee @ 8:00 a.m.
5/22	PreK Promotion - PM Greenlee @ 9:30 a.m.
5/22	PreK Promotion - PM Hansen @ 12:15 p.m.
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 <sup>th</sup> 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](mailto:qcpto-president@eduprize.com)
- Art Masterpiece: [www.art4eduprize.com](http://www.art4eduprize.com)
- website: [eduprizeqcpto.com](http://eduprizeqcpto.com)

## STEAM Program

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

## CONTACT US

480.888.1610

[www.eduprize.com](http://www.eduprize.com)

[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.

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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.

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**2026/2027  
Intent to  
Return Survey**

# SPRING PICTURES

## PICTURE DAY IS COMING

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### January 15th

**Thursday**

- Group Activity Pictures:
    - JH Band & Choir
    - Nerd Game Club
    - Student Council
    - Pokemon Club
    - Student Cultural Committee
    - Board Game Club
    - NJHS
    - NFL Club
    - 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Band
    - 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Band
    - Odyssey of the Mind
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### January 20th

**Tuesday**

- Pre-K (Tues./Thurs. Class) Individual Spring Pictures
  - K-3rd Grade Individual Pictures
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### January 21st

**Wednesday**

- Pre-K (Mon.-Fri. Class) Individual Spring Pictures
- Pre-K (Mon/Wed/Fri. Class) Individual Spring Pictures
- 4th-6th Grade Individual Spring Pictures
- Jr. High Individual Spring Pictures



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# SPORTS PICTURES QUARTER 3

Sports Picture Day is Coming!

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(Ya llega la fotografía de deportes! Encarga ahora en [mylifetouch.com](https://mylifetouch.com).)



**WEDNESDAY,  
JANUARY 28, 2026**

**TEAM  
PICTURE  
TIMES**

**ORDER  
ONLINE  
HERE**

# 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

In order for visitors and volunteers to be buzzed into the front office. 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 NEED YOU!**

## SPECIAL EDUCATION PARAPROFESSIONAL

**Position: Special Education Paraprofessional**

**Hours: 28-35 hours per week.**

EDUPRIZE QC/STV is now hiring special education paraprofessionals. Please turn in an application and resume to Amanda Kirkland. Support Staff applications can be found online at [eduprize.com](http://eduprize.com) or at the front desk of building one. An IVP fingerprint card will be required. For questions or to apply, please contact: [amanda.kirkland@eduprize.com](mailto:amanda.kirkland@eduprize.com)

**NO SCHOOL**



**NO SCHOOL**



**MARTIN LUTHER  
KING, JR. DAY**

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**I HAVE A DREAM**

**MONDAY, JANUARY 19, 2026**

# EDUPRIZE QC/STV'S 4<sup>TH</sup> 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.



**EDUPRIZE**  
— SCHOOLS —

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



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



# CALLING 5TH & 6TH GRADERS

## THE SPIRIT NEST

*Upcoming Events*



### WHO:

5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> 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 3 schedule:

JAN  
**16**

10:20 AM - 10:35 AM

\*December Eagles Rock winners

JAN  
**30**

10:20 AM - 10:35 AM

\*December Eagles Rock winners

FEB  
**6**

10:20 AM - 10:35 AM

\*January Eagles Rock winners

FEB  
**20**

10:20 AM - 10:35 AM

\*January Eagles Rock winners

FEB  
**27**

10:20 AM - 10:35 AM

\*All previous Spirit Nest students (Dec + Jan)

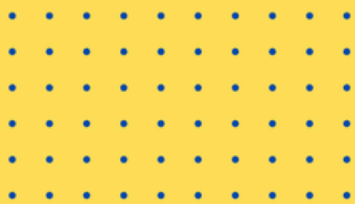
# JR. HIGH CAREER EXPO

# EDUPRIZE

## JUNIOR HIGH CAREER EXPO

### FEBRUARY 27, 2026

Building 2 Gym - During Student  
Electives



Do you have a career you want  
to share? Please sign up using  
the Sign Up Genius Link.



# SPELLING BEE



SPELLING  
BEE

Each class in grades 4-8 has conducted their classroom spelling bee. There is a classroom winner and a runner-up from each classroom. The winner will participate in the EDUPRIZE School Bee. If the winner cannot participate in the school bee, the runner up can take their place.

If you would like your child to put in some extra practice, visit [spellingbee.com](https://spellingbee.com) and click on Parents.

**The EDUPRIZE School Spelling Bee is on:  
January 22, 2026.**

## LOST & FOUND

*lost and Found*

**Check the lost and found. Items will be  
donated at the end of Quarter 3.**

## Do you have a passion for Science?

**Please sign up using this link:**

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

# EDUPRIZE QUEEN CREEK SCIENCE FAIR













# QUARTER 3 SPORTS



## EDUPRIZE QUEEN CREEK EAGLES

### Junior High Flag Football • 2025-26

#### Schedule

Date	Opponent	Result	Location	Caption
1/14/2026	@  Canyon State Academy	4:00 PM	Canyon State Academy Stadium	
1/22/2026	@  Legacy Traditional School Queen Creek	4:00 PM	Legacy Traditional School Queen Creek Field	
<b>1/23/2026</b>	<b>vs</b>  <b>Legacy Traditional School Gilbert</b>	<b>3:30 PM</b>	<b>Mansel Carter Oasis Park</b>	
1/27/2026	@  ASU Preparatory Academy Polytechnic	5:00 PM	ASU Prep Poly - Sun Devil Complex Field	
<b>2/6/2026</b>	<b>vs</b>  <b>Canyon State Academy</b>	<b>3:30 PM</b>	<b>Mansel Carter Oasis Park</b>	
<b>2/10/2026</b>	<b>vs</b>  <b>Legacy Traditional School Queen Creek</b>	<b>3:30 PM</b>	<b>Mansel Carter Oasis Park</b>	
2/12/2026	@  Legacy Traditional School Gilbert	4:00 PM	Legacy Traditional School Gilbert Field	
2/19/2026	@  Legacy Traditional School Chandler	4:00 PM	Legacy Traditional School Chandler JH Field	
<b>2/20/2026</b>	<b>vs</b>  <b>ASU Preparatory Academy Polytechnic</b>	<b>3:30 PM</b>	<b>Mansel Carter Oasis Park</b>	
2/24/2026	@  Heritage Academy Gateway JH	4:15 PM	Heritage Academy Gateway Elementary K-8 FIELD	

**GOBOUND ATHLETIC  
WEBSITE**

# 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](https://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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