



AUGUST 8, 2026

EDUPRIZE SCHOOLS

QUEEN CREEK/SAN TAN VALLEY CAMPUS NEWSLETTER



COMMUNITY CORNER

by Dr. Bryce Solberg

EDUPRIZE Families,

We are excited for our Back to School Night 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 available. 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 on the dashboard window.

Go EAGLES!
Dr. Solberg

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CALENDAR AT-A-GLANCE

AUGUST 2026

8/14	Welcome Back Carnival (VOLUNTEERS NEEDED)
8/17-20	Cheer Tryouts
8/24-28	Parent-Teacher Conference Week
8/27	Early Release - For Full Day Students ONLY
8/28	Kona Ice Visit

SEPTEMBER 2026

9/4	Hat Day
9/7	No School - Labor Day
9/8	Fall Individual/Class Pictures for Pre-K (T/TH class) & K-3 grades
9/9	Fall Individual & Class Pictures for Pre-K (M-F & M/W/F class) & 4-6 grades and individual pictures for 7-8 grades
9/15	Jr. High Group Picture
9/16	Quarter 1 Sports Pictures
9/17	Jr. High Eagle EXPO
9/18	PTO Restaurant Night @ Red Robin
9/21-23	Scholastic Book Fair
9/21	Cottage Fair for Full Day Students
9/22	Cottage Fair for AM FLEX Students
9/23	Cottage Fair for PM FLEX Students
9/25	Last Day of Quarter 1
9/25	Kona Ice Visit
9/28-10/13	No School - Fall Break

OCTOBER 2026

Mondays	Wear Pink for Breast Cancer Awareness
Wednesdays	Wear Blue & Yellow for Down Syndrome Awareness
10/14	First Day of Quarter 2
10/21	Individual Picture Retakes
10/30	Literature Parade
10/30	Kona Ice Visit

[2026-2027 School Calendar](#)

QUICK LINKS

WEBSITE

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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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WELCOME BACK CARNIVAL

VOLUNTEER HERE



WELCOME BACK CARNIVAL VOLUNTEERS



VOLUNTEERS
NEEDED!

AUGUST 14TH



CHEER TRYOUTS

EDUPRIZE CHEER Tryouts!

OPEN TO
5TH - 8TH
GRADERS!

TRYOUT DATES	TIME	PLACE
AUGUST 17 TH - AUGUST 20 TH	 3:30 - 5:00 PM	 BUILDING 1 GYM



COST: \$500 FOR THE YEAR
INCLUDES A CUSTOM UNIFORM!

REGISTER ONLINE!

Scan the QR Code or visit the link below
to register through Bound.

<https://www.gobound.com/az/schools/eduprizequeencreek>



Scan the QR Code.
Click the
Registration
tab (web).



CURRENT PHYSICAL REQUIRED

A current physical must be completed and
uploaded during registration.

*Let's bring the
spirit and **SOAR!***

**BRING YOUR ENERGY, TEAM SPIRIT,
AND EAGLE PRIDE!**



SOAR TOGETHER. BE AN EAGLE.

HAT DAY

EDUPRIZE NJHS PRESENTS

Hat Day

Let's raise some money!



September 4

★ \$1 ★

Wear your favorite hat!

All proceeds will go to a special EDUPRIZE family.

TARDY STUDENTS



Oops, You're late...

FRIENDLY REMINDER:

ALL STUDENTS ARRIVING TARDY MUST CHECK IN AT THE FRONT DESK OF BUILDING 1 TO RECEIVE A LATE PASS. ANY STUDENT ARRIVING MORE THAN 15 MINUTES PAST THEIR START TIME MUST BE SIGNED IN AT THE FRONT DESK BY AN ADULT TO RECEIVE A TARDY PASS.

THANK YOU FOR HELPING US KEEP EVERYONE ACCOUNTED FOR!

INDIVIDUAL, CLASS AND Q1 SPORTS PICTURES

PICTURE DAY IS COMING

September 8th

Tuesday

- Pre-K (Tues./Thurs. Class) Individual & Class Pic.
- K-3rd Grade Individual & Class Pictures

September 9th

Wednesday

- Pre-K (Mon.-Fri. Class) Individual & Class Pic.
- Pre-K (Mon/Wed/Fri Class) Individual & Class Pic.
- 4th-6th Grade Individual & Class Pictures
- Jr. High Individual Pictures
 - (JH Class Picture will be on Sept. 15th)

September 15th

Tuesday

- Jr. High Panoramic Picture (Group Picture)

September 16th

Wednesday

- Sport Pictures for Girls' Volleyball & Boys' Baseball



CLASS/IND. PICTURES

Jr. High Class

Sports

Order before Picture Day at
mylifetouch.com with Picture Day ID:



- **EVT6DVNSC:** Individual Picture ID Pre-K-8th
- **EVTJCJZ9Q:** Class Picture ID
- **Code TBA:** Jr. High Panoramic Picture
- **EVTJBRKWG:** Sport Pictures

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Stay connected
and join our
community for the
latest updates,
events, and
educational
insights! Follow us
on our social
media platforms:



ECA TAX CREDIT

THERE IS STILL TIME TO GET UP TO
\$400 BACK
ON YOUR 2024 TAX RETURN

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ECA TAX CREDIT DONATION

Do not miss the opportunity to direct your tax money and have a positive impact on EDUPRIZE Schools – Queen Creek/San Tan Valley. Each year, single-parent households are allowed to donate up to \$200 and two-parent households are allowed to donate up to \$400 in ECA money. Families are then allowed to take the ECA tax credit on their Arizona State taxes and get a dollar-for-dollar credit. This money goes to our extracurricular activities, which include sports, after-school support programs, and LIFE fund. Laws have been changed and you can now make an ECA donation any time before April 15, 2027, and still receive the credit on your 2026 Arizona State taxes.

Payments can be made through the Infinite Campus Parent Portal or the Public School Store.

[PARENT PORTAL](#)

[PUBLIC SCHOOL
STORE](#)

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 check in at the front desk of building 1 to receive a late pass. Any student arriving more than 15 minutes past their start time must be signed in at the front desk by an adult to receive a tardy pass.

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.

OPEN ENROLLMENT

EDUPRIZE ensures that it complies with all open enrollment requirements per state law. EDUPRIZE uses a lottery system for filling openings and no tuition is required.

DESTRUCTION OF RECORDS: PUBLIC NOTICE - RETENTION OF SPECIAL EDUCATION RECORDS

In accordance with ARS §41-1351, the retention period is four (4) years for special education records. EDUPRIZE Schools LLC will destroy special education records of dismissed students or students withdrawn from any EDUPRIZE location for four (4) years or more from the current academic year.

Prior to the destruction of records, you have the right to review the records and obtain copies of any information. To obtain records you must be the parent or the legal guardian of the student or the student (age 18 or older). Please indicate your request by contacting the Special Education Department of the campus the student attended before December 31st.

If you do not contact the Special Education Department on or before December 31st, we will destroy all records four (4) years older than the current academic year. We store current records electronically. Contact the Special Education Department in Gilbert at 480-813- 9537 ext 2810 or in Queen Creek at 480-888-1610 ext 1414 to get a copy.

F.E.R.P.A.

Per The Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (F.E.R.P.A) requirements, parents and students 18 years of age or older have rights to their student's records and files. Please contact the school with any questions or requests.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING

Board of Directors meetings are generally held every month and the dates, locations, and times are posted on our website. The meeting agenda is posted on the business bulletin board on-site and online on the school website.

<https://www.eduprize.com/board/>

WEBSITE

Our webpage contains important information such as parent notices, dates of our Board meetings and budgets, and important ECA programs and tax credit information.

POLITICAL ACTIVITIES

EDUPRIZE ensures that it does not use its forum or student base to promote any political activities or position.

QUARTER 1 SPORTS



EDUPRIZE Queen Creek Eagles

Junior High Baseball • 2026-27

Schedule

Date	Opponent(s)	Result	Caption	Location	Transportation
8/18/26	vs  American Leadership Academy Ironwood	<u>4:30 PM</u> PT 		American Leadership Academy Ironwood Baseball Field	
8/21/26	@  Heritage Academy Gateway JH	<u>4:30 PM</u> PT 		Frontier Family Park Baseball Diamond Field 1	
8/28/26	@  Rim Country MS	<u>3:30 PM</u> PT		Payson High School Baseball Field	
9/1/26	vs  American Leadership Academy Queen Creek	<u>4:30 PM</u> PT 		American Leadership Academy Queen Creek Baseball Field	
9/4/26	vs  ASU Preparatory Academy Polytechnic	<u>4:30 PM</u> PT 		ASU Prep Academy Polytechnic (High School) Field	
9/8/26	@  East Valley Athletes for Christ	<u>5:00 PM</u> PT 	FIELD 1	Snedigar Baseball Complex	
9/10/26	@  Legacy Traditional School Chandler	<u>4:30 PM</u> PT 		Legacy Traditional School Chandler JH Field	
9/15/26	vs  American Leadership Academy Gilbert North	<u>4:30 PM</u> PT 		American Leadership Academy Gilbert Baseball Field	
9/17/26	@  Sonoran Trails MS	<u>5:00 PM</u> PT		Cactus Shadows High School	

GOBOUND ATHLETIC
WEBSITE



QUARTER 1 SPORTS



EDUPRIZE Queen Creek Eagles

Junior High Girls Volleyball • 2026-27

Schedule

Date	Opponent(s)	Result	Caption	Location	Transportation
8/17/26	vs  American Leadership Academy Mesa North	<u>4:30 PM</u> PT 		EDUPRIZE Queen Creek Building 2 Gym	
8/18/26	@  Heritage Academy Gateway JH	<u>5:30 PM</u> PT 		Heritage Academy Gateway Elementary K-8 GYM	
8/20/26	vs  BASIS Ahwatukee	<u>4:30 PM</u> PT 		EDUPRIZE Queen Creek Building 2 Gym	
8/25/26	vs  American Leadership Academy Mesa North	<u>4:30 PM</u> PT 		EDUPRIZE Queen Creek Building 2 Gym	
9/2/26	vs  Heritage Academy Gateway JH	<u>4:30 PM</u> PT 		EDUPRIZE Queen Creek Building 2 Gym	
9/3/26	@  American Leadership Academy Mesa North	<u>5:00 PM</u> PT 		American Leadership Academy Mesa North Gym	
9/4/26	vs  ASU Preparatory Academy Polytechnic	<u>4:30 PM</u> PT 		EDUPRIZE Queen Creek Building 2 Gym	
9/14/26	vs  Champion Schools Chandler	<u>6:00 PM</u> PT 		EDUPRIZE Queen Creek Building 2 Gym	
9/16/26	@  ASU Preparatory Academy Polytechnic	<u>5:00 PM</u> PT 		ASU Prep Poly - Sun Devil Complex Gym	
9/17/26	@  BASIS Ahwatukee	<u>6:00 PM</u> PT		Kiwanis Recreation Center Gym	
9/21/26	vs  EDUPRIZE Gilbert	<u>4:30 PM</u> PT 		EDUPRIZE Queen Creek Building 2 Gym	
9/23/26	@  Legacy Traditional School Chandler	<u>4:30 PM</u> PT 		Legacy Traditional School Chandler JH Gym	

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QUARTER 1 SPORTS



EDUPRIZE Queen Creek Eagles

Elementary Girls Volleyball • 2026-27

Schedule

Date	Opponent(s)	Result	Caption	Location	Transportation
8/18/26	vs  Leading Edge Academy Maricopa	4:30 PM PT 		EDUPRIZE Queen Creek Building 2 Gym	
8/26/26	vs  Val Vista Academy	4:30 PM PT 		EDUPRIZE Queen Creek Building 2 Gym	
9/2/26	@  BASIS Mesa	4:30 PM PT		BASIS Mesa	
9/10/26	vs  EDUPRIZE Gilbert	4:30 PM PT 		EDUPRIZE Queen Creek Building 2 Gym	
9/14/26	vs  Leading Edge Academy Mountain View	4:30 PM PT 		EDUPRIZE Queen Creek Building 2 Gym	
9/21/26	@  EDUPRIZE Gilbert	4:30 PM PT 		EDUPRIZE Gilbert Gym Building #3	

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2026/2027 L.I.F.E. FUND DUE

LIFE Funds are due **September 1, 2026** 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.



CLICK HERE

For instructions
on how to make
payments via
Infinite Campus

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PORTAL**

Click on "School Store" in the Menu

2026-2027 YEARBOOKS



ORDER YOUR YEARBOOK TODAY!

Don't miss out! EDUPRIZE does NOT order extra yearbooks to sell after April 2027. All sales must go through [Life Touch](#).

ORDER NOW!

\$27 from now until November 27th

ORDER TODAY

Yearbook ID CODE: 12801927

SAVE THE DATE

Eduprize Queencreek PTO CALENDAR OF EVENTS 2026-2027



August

8/4 - 8/5 Curriculum Nights
8/13 Board Meeting
(In-person)
8/14 Welcome Back
Carnival



September

9/15 Muffins Mania
9/18 Red Robin
Restaurant Night
9/21 - 9/23 Bookfair
Cottages



October

10/8 PTO Board Meeting
10/23 Trunk or Treat
Papa John's Night
10/26 NJHS Boo-gram Drive



November

11/4 Boosterthon Kick-off
11/12 Fun Run
11/13 Color Run (Junior High)
Boosterthon Ends



December

12/4 Panda Express
12/10 PTO Board Meeting
12/11 Staff Holiday Party
12/14-12/18 Natalies Elf Shop



January

1/6 New Year Coffee Cart
1/15 Literacy Night
1/18 MLK Celebration



February

2/11 PTO Board Meeting
2/12 NJHS Gram Drive
2/19 Daddy Daughter Dance



March

3/8 PTO Board Meeting
Red Robin
Restaurant Night
3/10 Spring Break Gram
Fundraiser



April

4/1 Chalk the Walk
State Testing Ice
Breaker
4/2 Mother-Son Dance
4/9 Bahama Buck's
Restaurant Night



May

5/3 Texas Roadhouse
Restaurant Night
5/3-5/7 Teacher
Appreciation Week
5/10-5/14 Cottages
BOGO Book Fair



June

6/4 Chick fil A
Restaurant Night

MORE DETAILS >

