

# EAGLES EDITION



## Principal's Message



Robin Yeargain

Dear EDUPRIZE Parents,

What a GREAT first full week! Drop-off, school day and carpool continue to run smoothly... thanks to our knowledgeable teachers and staff, understanding parents and hardworking students. I thoroughly enjoyed visiting every classroom this week where I was able to see the students fully engaged in learning! I saw cooperative groups working on tasks, lots of problem solving--individual and as a group, the beginning of great stories being written, and even some science experiments. There are a lot of great things going on at EDUPRIZE!

Next week we have Curriculum Night for all grade levels. This night is VERY important for parents to attend so that you are familiar with our expectations and our procedures. Ms. Vehon and I will start each presentation addressing core topics and new updates to the school, and then you'll follow your child's teacher back to the classroom for more specific grade level information. The schedule for curriculum night is below. Don't miss it!

We are in need of outside aides to assist with drop off and pick up (we call that carpool), lunch and recess duties. Who wouldn't want to stand out in the intense heat and direct traffic? Seriously, we really rely on these extraordinary people to keep our students safe and to keep the school systems running smoothly. Come and be a part of the team. Even if you can only do mornings or just afternoons, we would love to have you a part of our staff. It's a great job, as your schedule will follow your child's schedule and you never work holidays!

Have a wonderful weekend and I hope to see you at Curriculum Night!

Kindly,  
Robin



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# CALENDAR

## *This Month*

### AUGUST

**6th - 8th: Cheerleading Tryouts**

3:00-5:00 pm B3 Gym

**6th: Curriculum Night**

Kinder at 5:00 pm B3 Gym first

1st Grade at 5:00 pm B3 Theater first

2nd Grade at 5:30 pm B3 Gym first

3rd Grade at 5:30 pm B3 Theater first

**7th: Curriculum Night**

4th Grade at 5:00 pm B3 Gym first

5th Grade at 5:00 pm B3 Theater first

6th Grade at 5:30 pm B3 Gym first

**9th: Sign Up Genius goes live**

K-6 Conferences

**13th: PreK Curriculum Night**

At 5:00 pm B1 Rm. 2

**16th: Sign Up Genius goes live**

Kinder TOPS Conferences

**19th: Campus Tour (PreK-12 th Grade)**

5:00 p.m. B3 Lobby and Theater

**21st: Fall Pictures**

PreK & K-6 Regular Day Students

**22nd: Fall Pictures**

PreK & K-6 TOPS Students

**26th-30th: Conference Week**

Kinder - 6th Grade

**29th: Early Release**

K-6 Regular Day Students Only

## *Next Month*

### SEPTEMBER

**2nd: No School**

Labor Day Holiday

**27th: Last Day of Quarter**

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# SEL CORNER

## (SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL LEARNING)

Dear EDUPRIZE families,

Have the Olympics sparked your child's interest in pursuing or continuing to pursue a sport? If so, that's great! There are tons of social and emotional benefits to both individual and team sports. According to Scripps Medical Center, some of the benefits of youth participation in sports include:

- **Improved physical health** - participating in sports when children are young often sets up a lifelong commitment to exercise and physical fitness.
- **Improved mental health** - exercise reduces levels of cortisol, the hormone associated with stress. It also releases endorphins, the "feel-good" hormones produced by the body, and increases serotonin, a chemical that plays an important role in mood.
- **Improved social connection** - kids make new friends when they have a common interest in something like being on a baseball team together.
- **Improved academics skills** - Studies [show](#) participation in youth sports is linked with higher levels of academic achievement and creativity. It also helps improve educational qualities such as critical thinking and determination.
- **Many other life lessons** - such as: discipline, dedication, personal responsibility, self-control, goal setting, time management, and leadership - as well as the ability to bounce back from a loss.
- [Check out the full article here.](#)



**Heather Vehon**  
Dean of Students K-6th

Sincerely,  
Heather Vehon  
Dean of Students  
Eduprize Schools  
Gilbert Campus

[heather.vehon@eduprizeschools.net](mailto:heather.vehon@eduprizeschools.net)



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# ATHLETIC DEPARTMENT

Proud Sponsor of  
Eduprize athletics



## 24-25 SPORTS INFORMATION

Fee to play is \$200 and is ECA Tax-allowable

Athletic forms for the 24-25 school year can be found [HERE](#):

**Students have to have a sports physical and other documents completed and turned in PRIOR to trying out.**

### 24-25 Athletic Physical:

#### JV Volleyball Practice

Monday - Thursday from 3:15 - 5:30 in B4 Gym

**\*\*Wednesday (8/7)** practice will be cut short to watch a mandatory concussion video from 4:30 - 5:30 in RM 403

**\*\* Thursday (8/8)** There will be a parent meeting following practice in B4 Gym at 5:45

#### Junior High A Practice

Tuesday & Thursday from 3:15 - 5:30 in B4 Gym

**\*\* Tuesday (8/6)** following practice players will watch a mandatory concussion video from 5:30 - 6:30 in RM 403

**\*\* Thursday (8/8)** There will be a parent meeting following practice in B4 Gym at 5:45

#### Junior High B Practice

Monday & Wednesday from 3:15 - 5:30 in B4 Gym

**\*\* Monday (8/5)** following practice players will watch a mandatory concussion video from 5:30 - 6:30 in RM 403

#### Elementary Volleyball Practice

Monday 3:15 - 5:15 in B3 Gym

**\*\*Wednesday (8/7)** players will watch a mandatory concussion video from 3:10 - 4:30 in B3 Theater. **The parent meeting will follow at 4:30 in B3 Theater**

#### Varsity Boys Flag Football Practice

Tuesday & Wednesday from 3:10- 4:30 on B3 Field

**\*\*Parent meeting will be on 8/14 at 4:45 location TBD**

#### COED Jr High Soccer Practice

**\*\*\*WE ARE STILL LOOKING FOR A FEW MORE PLAYERS IF INTERESTED COME OUT ON MONDAY! ALL PLAYERS REPORT ON MONDAY\*\***

Monday & Thursday 3:15 - 4:30 on B3 Field

**\*\* Wednesday (8/7)** report to room 303 from 3:10 to 4:30 to complete a mandatory concussion course

**\*\* Parent meeting will be on 8/13 at 4:45 in room 303**

Be sure to bring water to your practices!

If you have any questions please email the Athletic Director

[Clint.ambos@eduprizeschools.net](mailto:Clint.ambos@eduprizeschools.net)

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# Eduprize Cheerleading

## Full Year Commitment

\$500 per student

Grades 5-8

Practices on Tues./Thurs.

3-5pm B3 Gym

## Tryouts: August 6th-8th

3-5pm in B3 Gym

Must have physical prior to tryouts.

Athletes **must** come to tryouts in athletic clothing and shoes.

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Come and try out for our official **EDUPRIZE Cheerleading Team!** We will be learning all the fundamentals of cheerleading including: motions, jumps, stunts, and cheers/chants in preparation to cheer at our schools' football and basketball games this year!

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Additional cheerleading requirements: white athletic shoes, white socks, soffe shorts, black briefs and a water bottle. Specific links will be sent if your child makes the team.

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Please click the following (3) links to complete and turn in on the first day of tryouts:

[Physical Form](#)   [Athletic Liability Waiver](#)   [Code of Conduct](#)

For questions, please email Mrs. Soliven at: [gillian.soliven@eduprizeschools.net](mailto:gillian.soliven@eduprizeschools.net)

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# PTN NEWSLETTER

AUGUST 2024

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## PTN NEWS

### Back to School FROYO Fundraiser

A back to school froyo fundraiser is happening in one week on Friday, August 9th! Please see flyer for details and Diamondback tickets giveaway info. This fundraiser is to help raise funds for Fall festival! The festival will be open to grades K-12 this year with activities for all!

### PTN welcomes new committee chairs!

Volunteer Committee Chair- Chrissy Jeziorski  
Scholastic Committee Chair- Jill Colgan  
PTN Committee Chair- Tamara O'Connor

## LOOKING FORWARD

-Zoyo frozen yogurt fundraiser Friday, August 9th 3-7pm (see flyer)

-Upcoming general board meeting Thursday, August 22nd at 5pm in the Building I Library. Everyone is welcome!

-Fall Fest Friday, October 25th, K-12 - Save the date!

-Scholastic Flyers are back for grades k-6 and will be sent home soon!

## PTN General Board Meeting

Our first PTN general board meeting of the new academic year will be held Thursday, August 22nd at 5pm in the building I library. Everyone is welcome to attend. We will put out a zoom link soon for those who are unable to attend in person.

# MEET THE PTN

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JULY 2024



**President**  
*Sam Watters*



**Vice President**  
*Shyann Montgomery*



**Secretary**  
*Michelle Smith*



**Treasurer**  
*Hannah Gilmore*

**Position available!**  
**-Volunteer  
Coordinator**

**Please email us if  
interested in  
applying or  
volunteering for  
events!**

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





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# BACK TO SCHOOL FROYO FUNDRASIER

Eduprize Gilbert PTN is raising funds for our Fall festival! Anyone can help just by eating FROYO! Once you order you can enter to win 4 FREE Arizona Diamondbacks tickets! No additional purchase necessary! Please spread the word, anyone can order on fundraiser night! We appreciate you!



**WIN DIAMONDBACKS TICKETS!**

**WHEN: Friday, August 9th 3-7PM**  
**WHERE: Zoyo Frozen Yogurt**  
**1958 E Brown Rd Mesa**

Please mention Eduprize Gilbert before you pay and then you can fill out your raffle ticket.  
\*See next page for drawing details.





# WIN FREE TICKETS!

- One raffle ticket per yogurt cup, info must be on each ticket being entered. Blank tickets won't be valid.
- 4 Diamondback tickets will be given away to one winner
  - Premium Seating  
(Usually section 125 or 126, seats 24-26)
- Dates for tickets will be for one game August 27th-29th playing against New York or Monday, September 23rd against San Francisco
- Winner will be drawn within two days and will be contacted via phone and or email
- Tickets have to be claimed within 10 days after drawing
  - Please have proof of purchase when claiming tickets that you ordered Zoyo on fundraising night

**We appreciate you helping raise funds for Fall Fest!**

-Eduprize Gilbert PTN

You can contact us at [ptn@eduprizeschools.net](mailto:ptn@eduprizeschools.net)

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# 2024-2025

# L.I.F.E. FUND DUE

LIFE Funds are due September 1st, 2024 in order for students to participate in their class field trips this school year. If you have not already done so, please pay LIFE Funds through you Infinite Campus parent portal.

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

[Directions on how to pay L.I.F.E. Fund](#)

[Infinite Campus Portal](#)

[Directions on how to Review Payment History](#)

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# Campus Students & Campus Parents

## Logging into the App

1. Download the app at the [App Store](#) or [Google Play](#).
2. Search for your District Name (Eduprize) and State. Select your district from the list.
3. Enter your Username and Password. (If you haven't create an account, please email: [april.talley@eduprizeschools.net](mailto:april.talley@eduprizeschools.net))
4. Click Log In!

## Logging in from a Web Browser

1. Visit <https://eduprizeaz.infinitecampus.org/campus/portal/parents/eduprize.jsp>
2. Enter your Username and Password. (If you haven't create an account, please email: [april.talley@eduprizeschools.net](mailto:april.talley@eduprizeschools.net))
3. Click Log In!



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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](http://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

## 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 apart of.

**IF INTERESTED PLEASE EMAIL**

[emily.yeamen@eduprizeschools.net](mailto:emily.yeamen@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**

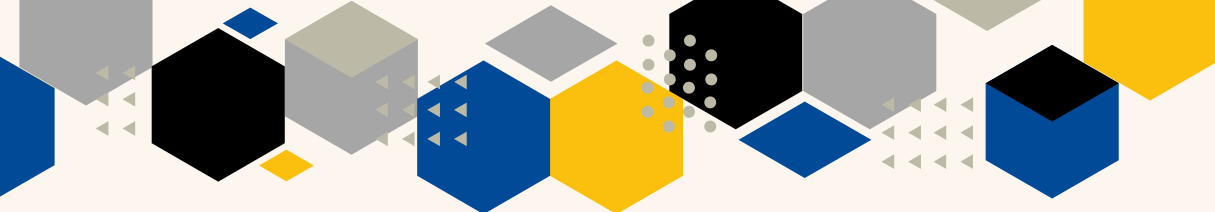
**LUNCH PROGRAM COORDINATOR**

**EDUPRIZE GILBERT**

**PHONE: (480) 813-9537 EXT.1270**

**EMAIL: TYM.BRITTON@EDUPRIZESCHOOLS.NET**

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### **Child Find**

EDUPRIZE will ensure that all children with disabilities attending EDUPRIZE, including children with disabilities who are children or youth in transition or wards of the State, and who are in need of special education and related services are identified, located and evaluated (§300.111).

### **Special Education Services**

EDUPRIZE School provides special education services to all students who qualify.

### **Special Education Policies and Procedures**

EDUPRIZE School's Special Education Policies and Procedures are available for review. If you wish to review them, you may inquire at either front desk or speak with Maria Rosetti, Director of Special Education at the Gilbert campus, at 480-813-9537 ext. 2820 or Amanda Kirkland, Special Education Supervisor, at the Queen Creek campus 480-888-1610 ext. 1128.

### **Special Education Law**

Please check weekly Newsletters for updates and more information regarding your rights and policies for Special Ed.

### **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.

### **Special Education Procedural Safeguards**

Special Education Procedural Safeguards may be read at:

English - <https://cms.azed.gov/home/GetDocumentFile?id=54e3b6e7aadebe0f1845df44>

Spanish - <https://cms.azed.gov/home/GetDocumentFile?id=54e3b887aadebe0f1845df4d>

### **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 31.

If you do not contact the Special Education Department on or before December 1, 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.

