Eldorado PK-8

October 14, 2022

The Feather

OUR PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE
Halloween Parade

We are encouraging our students to wear their costumes to school on Monday, October 31st. **Our Halloween Parade will be at 3pm!**

Our elementary students will first head upstairs where they will be greeted by our ML students, then they will come downstairs and out the front doors. At that point, parents, you can line yourselves up from the front door around the school on the sidewalk toward the gym doors on the south side of Eldorado. Students will follow the sidewalk to the gym doors, and then back into the school. We appreciate your flexibility and willingness to help make this parade a success! ML will not participate in the parade, they are just watching!

Elementary teachers will communicate with you about their individual classroom parties and needs around Halloween.

Costume Expectations

- No gore
- No Fake **Blood**
- No Weapons
- No Masks
- Cannot be offensive to others
- School appropriate

**INFORMATIONAL LINKS:**

*Destination Imagination!*

*Pumpkin Tower STEM Challenge-DI*

*Halloween STEM Challenge- Candy Corn!*

**BVSD BOND INFORMATION**

*Website link*
COFFEE CHAT

Join us on Wednesday, October 19th from 10-11am in the cafeteria to hear from Erica Chapman, our literacy tutor about Dyslexia!

ELDORADO SPELLING BEE 22-23
INFORMATION & INTEREST SIGN-UP

The Bee's purpose is to help students improve their spelling, increase their vocabulary, learn concepts and develop correct English usage that will help them all their lives. 3rd through 8th graders compete at preliminary School Bees, sending their champions to the Boulder Valley Regional Event sponsored by BVSD. The winner of the Regional Event advances on to the 2023 Scripps National Spelling Bee in May, 2022.

Please [click here for more information on the Eldorado Webpage](https://mail.google.com/mail/u/0/?ik=aad6064504&view=pt&search=all&permthid=thread-f%3A1746702130603172634&simpl=msg-f%3A1746702130603172634)

LIBRARY UPDATES

It's been busy here in the Eldorado Library recently! Check out what is going on [here](https://mail.google.com/mail/u/0/?ik=aad6064504&view=pt&search=all&permthid=thread-f%3A1746702130603172634&simpl=msg-f%3A1746702130603172634)

PICTURE DAY ORDERING REMINDER

For parents still wishing to order pictures from your first picture day, they may visit [mylifetouch.com](https://mail.google.com/mail/u/0/?ik=aad6064504&view=pt&search=all&permthid=thread-f%3A1746702130603172634&simpl=msg-f%3A1746702130603172634) and order using the Student ID#. Specific picture codes are no longer needed for late orders! Orders placed online after picture day will be shipped to the parents' homes. Families need to type in School name exactly as: Eldorado PK-8.

Picture retake day is Friday November 4th

BVSD IMMUNIZATION COMPLIANCE
During the month of October, BVSD will be sending frequent reminders to families who have students with non-compliant immunization statuses. If you receive a reminder, please consider reaching out to our health room staff for help getting your student in compliance.

We can help you find vaccination resources such as the two special back-to-school clinics happening next week - Boulder County information and Broomfield information, how to complete an exemption certificate or help answer questions on what’s required when.

You can check the immunization status of your child in the IC Parent Portal under Health.

We want to keep all students in school, healthy and ready to learn!

OCTOBER PTO NEWSLETTER

ELEMENTARY NEWS

Kindergarten Class Notes
Yearbook Cover competition! Kindergarten Class Notes

1st Grade Class Notes
NCAR Virtual Field Trip! 1st Grade Class Notes

2nd Grade Class Notes
Glow stick dance parties! 2nd Grade Class Notes

3rd Grade Class Notes
Halloween! 3rd Grade Class Notes

4th Grade Class Notes
What region do we live in! 4th Grade Class Notes

5th Grade Class Notes
Conferences and Club Time! 5th Grade Class Notes.
Elementary Counselor Corner
Updates from Ms. Gonzales here

ELD Notes
Turn over a new leaf! Walker Friday Letter

MIDDLE LEVEL NEWS

We want your child to be successful in school, and that means supporting and encouraging their whole development. While excelling in academic classes is important, students also need skills for learning challenges, making good decisions, handling strong emotions, and getting along with others. This year, we are using the Second Step® Middle School, a research-based social-emotional learning program designed to improve students’ social-emotional skills, such as emotion management, impulse control, problem solving, and empathy. Second Step skills and concepts are designed to help students both in and out of school.

These include:

Mindsets and Goals: Students learn how to develop a growth mindset and apply research-based goal-setting strategies to their social and academic lives. Recognizing Bullying and Harassment: Students learn how to recognize bullying and harassment, stand up safely to bullying, and respond appropriately to harassment.

Thoughts, Emotions, and Decisions: Students learn how to recognize strong emotions and unhelpful thoughts, and apply strategies to manage their emotions and reduce stress.

Managing Relationships and Social Conflict: Students learn strategies for developing and maintaining healthy relationships, perspective-taking, and dealing with conflict.

We are starting the Bullying and Harassment Unit in November. Please see the grade level appropriate letter for more detailed information about what your child will be learning.

6th Grade Letter
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This week I'm excited to share with you some information on a couple of amazing author visits we have coming up in November:

Boulder Valley School District (BVSD) would like to continue connecting with you via email. To set preferences for which types of messages are sent to your email address, activate your free InfoCenter account. If you prefer to stop receiving emails from BVSD, follow this link and confirm: Unsubscribe. Please note that if you unsubscribe, your email address will be placed on the “blocked list” for the remainder of the current school year and will no longer receive BVSD school or district emails that are distributed through our SchoolMessenger service.

SchoolMessenger is a notification service used by the nation’s leading school systems to connect with parents, students and staff through voice, SMS text, email, and social media.