

THE MACAW

Serving the Petroglyph Community with pride for 25 Years!

Calendar of Events

December 16

Ugly Sweater Day!

December 20

Pajama Day!

December 21-January 3rd

Winter Break! **No School!**

January 4th

Professional Development for Teachers. **No School for Students.**

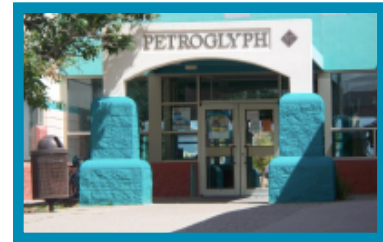
January 5th

Students return from Winter Break

January 6th

School Spirit Day! Wear school colors!

Message from the Assistant Principal



Dear Families,

Winter Break starts next week! Woo hoo! We want to wish you a wonderful holiday season filled with love, happiness, and much needed rest and relaxation. It has been a great few weeks with our students working hard and doing their best. We have had a lot of absences due to illness, so we hope the break provides our students time to get some well-deserved rest for the upcoming semester. Hopefully these awful viruses going around start to subside soon.

Before we return to school on **January 5th**, please take a few minutes to review our pick-up and drop-off procedures. It's also a good time to update your information in ParentVue if your phone number or contact information has changed.

Thank you for your support this past semester as we look forward to an even brighter second semester and new year!

Take care and enjoy the holidays! We'll see you back in **2023!**

Respectfully,

Delilah Lopez



The Macaw newsletter will be available every other week. They will be sent to you by your child's teacher, so please make sure we have your correct email address. You can access them on our Petroglyph





IMPORTANT REMINDERS

Bus Information

Please discuss with your students our expected bus behavior. Unsafe and distracting behaviors



can result in discipline referrals and/or loss of bus privileges.

APS
Transportation
transcom@aps.edu

880-3989

My Bus Stop:

mybusstop.aps.edu/

Parents may pick up their child by:

- ♦ parking in the parking lot and escorting the student to the car, using designated crossing areas, and respectfully obeying staff directions
- ♦ pulling up and moving to the north side of the designated curb in front of the school, remaining in the car, and letting the child in on the curbside door. Please do not block traffic.

Do not drop off your student in the parking lot. Students must be escorted.

DECEMBER'S ATTENDANCE CHALLENGE

DECEMBER 1ST-20TH
★ **THE CLASS WITH PERFECT OR NEAR PERFECT ATTENDANCE WILL WIN!**

1st Place: Mystery Hugger Pack & An Extra Recess in January

****If there is a tie, there will be a raffle with the top classes.***

These winners will receive 10 Macaws each & an extra recess in January.

2nd PLACE: 5 MACAWS & An Extra Recess in January

3rd PLACE: A Small Prize



Caption



The PBIS Team is so thrilled to announce the following students as the December Students of the Month for our last month of 2022!!! Please help us congratulate the following students!

| December Students of the Month: | |
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| Mason Baines | Ms. Thompson |
| Renie McHugh | Ms. Thompson |
| Jayden Rios | Ms. Diaz |
| Dominik Ortiz | Ms. Diaz |
| Theodore Dalglish | Ms. Bestelmeyer |
| Kyerie Porter | Ms. Bestelmeyer |
| Promise Stevenson | Ms. Ramirez |
| Andrea Rose Montoya | Ms. Ramirez |
| Jordan Perez | Ms. Garcia |
| Mattlyn Fjelsted | Ms. Garcia |
| Aldan Lujan | Ms. Hickam |
| Elizabeth Pearson | Ms. Hickam |
| Tanner Cannady | Ms. King |
| Liberty Money Garcia | Ms. King |
| Zoe Garletts | Mrs. Stone |
| Coral Gutierrez | Mrs. Stone |

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| Kendrix Pugh | Mr. Schneider |
| Maeve Melvin | Mr. Schneider |
| Khloe Bazan | Ms. Richardson |
| Jaxon Mathis | Ms. Richardson |
| Nathaniel Melvin | Mrs. Johnson |
| Jayden Marquez | Mrs. Johnson |
| Adrian Griego | Ms. Silecchia |
| Brooklyn Holley | Ms. Silecchia |
| Karleen Tayyar | Ms. Peralta |
| Jace Chavez, | Ms. Peralta |
| Noah Lucero | Ms. Tynan |
| Ingrid Oaxaca | Ms. Tynan |
| Olivia Maestas | Ms. Mathis |
| Jinrui Chen | Ms. Mathis |
| Robert Thorne | Ms. Dolz |
| Lilliana Vigil | Ms. Dolz |
| Audrina Romero | Mrs. Rodriguez |
| Levi Linville | Mrs. Rodriguez |

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| Micah Hooshidar | Mrs. Mendez |
| Davian Cowboy | Mrs. Mendez |
| Tiana Holler | Mrs. Boulanger |
| Mahdi Kazimi | Mrs. Boulanger |



Quick Reminders:

Wednesday—Early Release 1:00pm

*Our school hours are Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday from 8:50 am - 3:50 pm. Wednesday, we have the same arrival time, but dismissal at 1:00 pm. Students are not be left unattended at Petroglyph until staff is on duty until that time, so please do not leave your children unattended before 8:50 am.

*Just a reminder that parents/family members are not allowed in our school. We ask that if you are at Petroglyph to pick up your child at the end of the day, that you wait for them outside in the grassy area by our flag pole; or in your car while in the drop-off lane.

*** STUDENT PICK-UP AREA / PICK-UP AND DROP-OFF PROCEDURES**

- ♦ pulling up to the designated curb in front of the school, remaining in the car, and letting the child in on the curbside door

Because of the size of our school and the high volume of cars, it may take some time for cars to make the entire circuit of the parking lot. Please be patient and wait your turn to pick up your child. Cars may not park or pick up students in the fire lanes. Children will not walk between cars to get to their ride, whether or not an adult accompanies them. Parents who refuse to follow our safety standards may lose access to our campus.

Because of safety considerations, it is essential that parents observe the painted crosswalks and duty teachers' instructions when walking to parked cars. It is equally important to use only the west parking lot area (front of school) for vehicle pick-ups. There is no supervision at the base of the hill on Richmond Hills, and it is not a safe area for children.

