



February 7, 2025

School Quality Survey

The annual Kyrene School Quality Survey for families is open. Your voice is critical to your children's education, the future of Kyrene School District, and Mariposa. That's why we need to hear from you! Share feedback on academic preparation, student support, safety and behavior, family involvement, and school leadership in Kyrene. The results will inform targeted action plans each school develops annually to make sure our schools are places where every student can thrive. Parents should check their email for an invitation sent on February 5th, or visit kyrene.org/parentsqs to take the survey. The survey is offered in English and Spanish. All responses are confidential and shared aggregated.

2024-25 School Quality Survey now open!

Survey is available Feb. 5th to 19th

Feedback helps support your school's annual action plans and goals.

Three ways to find the survey:

1. Email Invitation

From: "Kyrene School District", or research@kyrene.org

Subject line: Take the Kyrene Annual Parent Survey!

Sent On: 2/5/2025

Check spam or "other" folder (those using a system that prioritizes emails)



2. Website Link

www.kyrene.org/parentsqs



3. QR Code



SCAN ME

**Scan to find the
School Quality Survey.**

Need help? Email: research@kyrene.org

Note: if you take the survey through the open link or QR code, you may still receive email reminders. Just ignore these.

PTO

This week's PTO reminders:

1. Sweetheart Family Dance:

- Saturday, Feb. 22nd, from 5 to 7 p.m. in the Mariposa MPR
- \$5 per person. A chaperone for children is required.
- Donate sweet treats or gift cards to purchase supplies and sign up to volunteer: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0E4EAF62AA1FBC52-54447416-family>
- Purchase your tickets in advance: <https://www.zeffy.com/en-US/ticketing/sweetheart-family-dance-2>

You're Invited to Mariposa PTO
Sweetheart Family Dance

Unicorns, fairies and rainbows oh my...

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 22
5-7 PM
MARIPOSA MPR

COME BE PART OF THE MAGIC!

♥ PHOTOS WITH UNICORNS & FAIRIES
♥ 50/50 RAFFLE
♥ SWEET TREATS

\$5 per person

This is a family event, all students welcome.
Sign up to volunteer or donate treats.

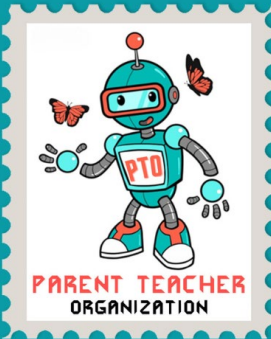
Chaperone for children required




**JOIN US
AT OUR
MONTHLY
PTO MEETING**

Monday, Feb. 10
5:30 - 6:30 p.m.

Library or
Virtual via Google Meet



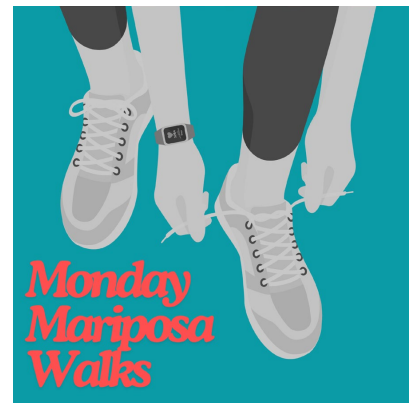
2. PTO Monthly Meeting:

- Monday, Feb. 10, 5:30-6:30 p.m. in the Mariposa Library or via Google Meet: <https://meet.google.com/yma-iehu-imk>

3. NEW PARENT/GUARDIAN WALKING GROUP!

Join us Monday mornings for this new activity,
Monday Mariposa Walks.

- Every Monday, we meet in front of the school at 7:30a.m. to head out for a 20-30-minute casual walk to start our week on the right foot. This is open to anyone who wants to join, so put on some walking shoes and join us every Monday in 2025!



4. NEW EVENT: Trivia Night! Saturday, April 11th

- Learn more and purchase your tickets for this new event to raise crucial funds for our school:
<https://www.zeffy.com/en-US/ticketing/17c2736f-8dbc-42e6-9b54-ff1e39f8f2>

Connect with us to stay up-to-date:

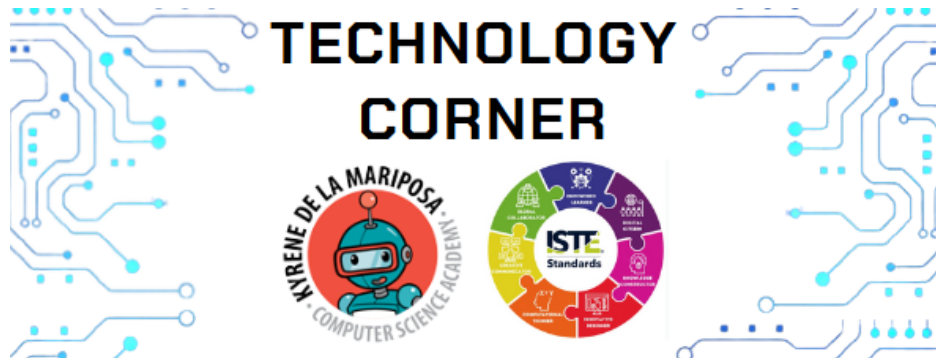
Instagram: [instagram.com/kyrenemariposapto/](https://www.instagram.com/kyrenemariposapto/)

Facebook: [facebook.com/mariposapto](https://www.facebook.com/mariposapto)

Website: <https://sites.google.com/view/kyrenemariposapto/home>

Donate to Mariposa PTO:

<https://www.zeffy.com/en-US/fundraising/4180f8ce-4a33-4fe5-a632-6221fe792882>



Empowered Learner

The empowered learner standard requires students to take an active part in their

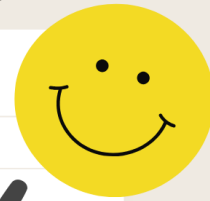
education. To fulfill this standard, students need to:

- Set and work toward specific learning goals
- Build networks and customize their learning environments
- Seek feedback using classroom technology
- Understand how technology operates

These tenets are fulfilled when students set up individual learning goals and customize their learning environments to achieve those goals. Then, students get feedback on what they've done. This lets them refine their goals and environment to achieve the best results. Finally, students show that they understand the fundamental principles of modern technology and how to troubleshoot it for common problems. They also show that they can apply these concepts to emerging technologies so they can stay at the forefront of the technology industry.

Chip's Cheer Winners

K	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th
Kaeley	King	Asher	Melody	Austin	Audrey
Natalie	Alejandro	Charlotte	Mateo	Oliver	Londyn
Juliette	RJ	Nina	William	Finley	Navy



KYRENE
COMMUNITY EDUCATION

Presents...

SATURDAY ACADEMY

Enrolling Now!

Join us on Saturdays for the whole month of April
for an awesome selection of Youth Enrichment
classes!

Vendors include B.E.S.T., Bricks 4 Kidz, Reach
Basketball, and Young Rembrandts!

Choose any 3 classes to build a fantastic Saturday
morning of fun!

Dates: April 5, 12, 19, and 26

Time: 9am - 12pm

Location: Kyrene Traditional Academy

Grades: 1st - 5th

Tuition: \$230

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<https://kyrene.ce.eleyo.com>

(480) 541-1500



REPEAT INFORMATION

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YEARBOOK CONTEST

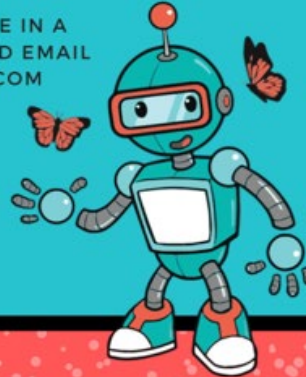
DUE
FEB
10TH

ATTENTION ALL 5TH GRADERS!

IT'S TIME FOR OUR ANNUAL
YEARBOOK COVER CONTEST WHERE
YOU HAVE THE CHANCE TO DESIGN THE
COVER FOR OUR SCHOOL YEARBOOK!

GUIDELINES:

- USE 8.5X11 UNLINED PAPER AND MAKE SURE ITS VERTICAL
- MUST HAVE THE YEAR '2024-2025' AS PART OF THE DESIGN OR WE CANNOT ACCEPT
- YOU MAY USE CRAYONS, MARKERS, PAINT, COLORED PENCILS, OR ANY OTHER MEDIUM TO DRAW AND COLOR
- FILL UP THE ENTIRE PAGE, TRY NOT TO LEAVE WHITE SPACE
- SHOULD USE YOUR OWN ORIGINAL ARTWORK
- INCLUDE YOUR NAME AND TEACHER'S NAME ON THE BACK
- PLEASE TURN INTO FRONT OFFICE IN A SEALED ENVELOPE, OR SCAN AND EMAIL TO PHOTOS4MARIPOSA@GMAIL.COM
- DUE FEBRUARY 10TH
- NO LATE SUBMISSIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED





Be in the Know: Substance Use Prevention

Participants will learn facts, trends, signs of use, causes of death, and resources for preventing and intervening.

Presenter: Stephanie Siete

Date and Time: February 12th, 6:00-7:00pm

Location: Zoom [Registration & Zoom Link](#)

In partnership With: Tempe Coalition

KYRENE COMMUNITY EDUCATION

SPRING BREAK NON-SCHOOL DAYS

MARCH 10 - 24

KIDS CLUB @ MANITAS AND ESPERANZA
7AM - 6PM

PRESCHOOL @ MANITAS
7AM - 6PM



MARCH 10 - 14

KYRENE ADVENTURE TOURS @ MANITAS
7am - 4pm

Visit exciting AZ locations each day!

**VOLLEYBALL & BASEBALL/SOFTBALL
MINI SPORTS CAMPS @ KMS**
Times vary by age group



WWW.KYRENE.ORG/NONSCHOOLDAYS COMMUNITYEDUCATION@KYRENE.ORG
480-541-1500

School Store

Our school store needs your help!

We reward our students twice a month with a school store where they can exchange their Chip's Cheers coupons for prizes.

It's a lot of fun, and we really appreciate your help!

Sign up here:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0A4DA9AB2DA0F5CF8-54123704-mariposa>

Mariposa Poetry Contest



KYRENE DE LA MARIPOSA

POETRY CONTEST

Poems must be turned in to
Mrs. Languren or Ms. Bustamante
by **Wednesday, February 12, 2025**

Contact
Mrs. Languren or
Ms. Bustamante
with any questions

**FOR GRADES
K-5**

HOW TO SUBMIT

1. Create a Google Document and "Share" it with the poetry coordinators. (lissettebustamante@kyrene.org OR clanguren@kyrene.org) The document will need the following information on the second page
 - a. first and last name
 - b. grade level
 - c. homeroom teacher
- OR**
2. Drop off the paper copy to the front office
 - d. student names, grade level and homeroom teacher must be on the back of the paper, written in pencil

POEM REQUIREMENTS

- All poems must be typed and have a title. Use Calibri or Arial fonts for printing purposes. Bold is fine too.
- No student name on the front page of the poem.
- Write the name of the student, grade level, homeroom teacher, and school on the back of the poem (in pencil on the lower right corner)
- Illustration must be in black and white clipart or thick black marker



Raising A Reader

Free Early Literacy Workshops For Your Family

Tuesdays 4:30-5:30
January 14 - March 5, 2025

Kyrene District Office
8700 South Kyrene Road
Tempe, AZ 85284



Contact Karla to sign up!
(602) 384-0443
kcarmona@swhd.org



Raising A Reader is a national program designed to educate parents and caregivers about the importance of early literacy skills and how they can help build these skills in their young children to help them enter school ready to learn.

Parents attend eight weekly early literacy workshops with their children 0-5 years-old. Families who participate in the program receive 12 high-quality children's books to build their home libraries and are connected to local resources!

Southwest Human Development coordinates Raising A Reader through schools, community centers, libraries, apartment communities, and other convenient locations. All interested parents and caregivers are encouraged to learn more and sign up today!



swhd.org/rar



[Flyer in Spanish](#)

Text Messages

If you are not signed up for text messages from the District, you are missing out on extremely useful information! It just takes a minute to opt in! Text YES to 67587.





Support *Our* School!

Tax Credit Donations

Your donation directly supports Kyrene students!

- ☒ Educational field trips
- ☒ School programs
- ☒ Extracurricular clubs
- ☒ And so much more!

DONATE



Donate up to \$200 for individuals and \$400 when filing jointly.

Learn more at kyrene.org/taxcredit

[DONATE ONLINE](#)

Interested in Working at Mariposa?

Kyrene de la Mariposa Elementary School
Computer Science Academy



WE'RE HIRING!

If interested, please visit kyrene.org/careers




[Mariposa Job Openings](#)



Contact Us

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Tempe, AZ 85284

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Fax: 480-541-3810
Attendance: 480-541-3801

School Hours: 7:30 am - 2:15 pm

 Early Release Wed: 12:15 pm

 Office Hours: 7:00 am - 3:30 pm 

Wednesday: 7:00 am - 1:30 pm



ADAPTABLE LEARNER • SELF-ADVOCATE • COMMUNITY CONTRIBUTOR
COMMUNICATOR • CRITICAL THINKER • PROBLEM SOLVER • COLLABORATOR
READY FOR THE FUTURE. HIGH SCHOOL. COLLEGE. CAREER. LIFE.

A+ School of Excellence™



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