



Emmett School District 221
True North Prep & Patriot Center — Monthly Update
Report to the Emmett School Board
Prepared by: Stephen R. Joyner, Principal
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1) Enrollment (as of November 2025)

- True North Prep: 68
- Patriot Center: 32
- Total: 100

2) Average Daily Attendance (October 2025)

- True North Prep: 85.93%

- **Patriot Center:** 100.00%
 - **District Program Average (weighted): 90.43%**
Note: Weighted by program enrollment.
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3) Culture & Expectations — True North Prep Creed

- **Be Respectful** to all people and the school.
- **Be Responsible** for yourself and others.
- **Be Here** mentally and physically.
- **Be Appropriate** in language, behavior, and dress.
- **Navigate** your own path.

Families can view additional updates on ParentSquare.

4) Behavior, PBIS, & Professional Learning

- **February PD (Secondary Schools):** Our True North mentor, **Bonnie Sewall**, will facilitate training on the **RULER** approach.
 - **Semester 2 Book Study (Secondary):** *Permission to Feel* (2019) by Marc Brackett—establishes why emotions matter and provides a shared framework (RULER) to build emotionally intelligent school cultures.
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5) Staff Highlight — November

Hannah Groom, Navigation Point Coordinator

- Organizes and facilitates all **District Discipline Reviews**.

- Collaborates closely with mentors and administrators across secondary schools to ensure consistent processes and supports.
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6) Community School Update (SY 2025–26)

- **After-School Clubs (launched):** Robotics and functional 3D printing at True North Prep.
- **Community Wellness: Zumba** is offered twice monthly in the Butte View Complex cafeteria.

Grant-Aligned Focus Areas (This Year):

- **Academic Growth**
 - **Math Tutor:** Increase ISAT math scores by **5%**.
 - **Art Teacher:** Expand elective offerings to support **attendance** and **graduation** rates.
 - **Family & Student Engagement**
 - Clubs offered **twice per week** (Robotics, 3D Printing, Book Club).
 - Hands-on family engagement events (e.g., community demos: tire change, taxes, applications, CPR, babysitting classes).
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7) Recent Events & Activities (October 2025)

- **“Socktober” Drive:** Yearbook collected new socks and donated to the Friendship Coalition for the Christmas drive.

- **Vive18 Assembly (Oct 22):** Jake White presented on drug-prevention with SEL-aligned programming (assemblies, curriculum, peer clubs, and partnerships).



- **Parent-Teacher Conferences (Oct 15, 4–8 pm):** Arena-style in the Butte View cafeteria with pre-scheduled time slots—**increased family participation** reported.
- **Student-Led Displays:** After-school club projects showcased during conferences; mini pumpkins donated for family decorating.
- **Halloween Week:** School-wide ghost find, **Halloween Carnival**, and a staff group costume (“All Mr. Joyner”).



- **After-School Club Field Trip (Oct 31):** Visit to the Reuseum.



- **Holiday Supports:** **40 families** registered for food boxes; students completed **Christmas wish** forms.

8) Key Dates (Upcoming)

- **Nov 18, 2025:** Thanksgiving Feast
- **Nov 19, 2025:** Parent-Teacher Conferences
- **Dec 18, 2025:** End of 2nd Quarter

Respectfully submitted,
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