

The Eagles Nest



The Official Newsletter for The Crownpoint Elementary School
Excellence in Education . . . All Day, Every Day!

Parent-Teacher Conferences

Monday, January 06, 2023 @ 10:30 AM – 6:30 PM

No School for Students on this Day!

Greetings Eagle Families,

I hope you all enjoyed a restful, joy-filled winter break. We are excited to welcome our students back to school, and a few new faces. We had a great first day back as we kicked off Excellence in 2023!

I want to remind you of just a few things as we enter the 2nd semester of school. First, Quarter 2 report cards were mailed home Friday, January 13. For students who are below grade-level, the teacher may reach out to you and request a mid-year conference to review your child's progress. Remember, you may request a conference at any time, just reach out to your child's teacher; conferences are often held after school hours (2:45 PM – 3:30 PM).

The next 5 months are critical to your child's learning and academic success. Therefore, we encourage students to be in school on time, every day, all day! This week, students completed their mid-year Istation Diagnostic tests in Reading and Math. These tests will help us monitor their growth from beginning of the year until mid-year. Please continue to encourage your child to perform their best daily.

Next week, **K-2 students** will take their Unit 7 benchmark exams. Please be sure your student is well-rested and that you send them to school with some extra words of encouragement!

Preschool and Pre-K students will complete the mid-year ECOT assessments this week. Please be on the lookout for details from your child's teacher.

WIDA ACCESS (English Language Proficiency Assessment) testing for all identified EL students will take place the week of January 30th – February 2nd.

- Jan. 30 – 1st grade
- Jan. 31 – Grades 2, 3, 4, and 5
- Feb. 1 – Kindergarten
- Feb. 2 – 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5 grades

THANK YOU FOR ALLOWING THE CROWNPOINT ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
TO SERVE YOU!

Upcoming Events

Girls' Basketball practice, Mondays, Thursdays, Fridays
2:30PM – 5:00 PM

Boys Basketball practice, Mondays, Wednesdays
2:30PM – 5:00 PM

Parent Teacher Conferences – No School for Students,
Monday, February 6 @ 10:30 – 6:30

HOCO Basketball Game @
Crownpoint Elementary vs.
C.A. Miller,
Tuesday, January 31 @ 3:30 PM

CES Homecoming
January 23 – 31

Afterschool Program (Eagles Academy)
resumes this week –
weather permitting,
Tuesdays,
Wednesdays, &
Thursdays

SAFETY



Dear Eagle Families,

Thank you for choosing Crownpoint Elementary School to provide educational services to your child. We are proud to be able to serve you and your children and we will continually strive to provide a safe learning environment for them.

The safety of your child and all children in our school as well as the safety of the school staff and support personnel is very important to us. To maintain a safe environment for our children to study and learn, it is necessary that we practice our emergency and crisis response plans by having drills designed to exercise our procedures.

Due to the current national climate that we live in, we will be conducting various drills throughout the remainder of the school year, and each subsequent school year.

The students and staff of our school will be practicing **5 primary emergency drills** each year.

They are "FIRE DRILLS"; "LOCKDOWN DRILLS"; "SHELTER-IN-PLACE DRILLS", "SECURE DRILLS" and "EVACUATION DRILLS".

For a detailed explanation of these drills, please contact the school or visit our Facebook page.



EAGLE SCHOLARS

Each school year, New Mexico students in grades 3-5 participate in the New Mexico Measures of Student Success and Achievement (NM-MSSA) state exams.

This exam measures student's mastery of state standards in English Language Arts, Mathematics, & Science (5th grade only).

For school year 2021-2022, the following students achieved the status of "Proficient" or "Advanced" in one or all areas of the state assessment.

- Erika Begay – Mathematics
- Alexis Nelson – ELAR
- Serenity Washee – ELAR
- Neaera Ashley – Mathematics
- Ethan Begay – Mathematics, ELAR
- Myori DeGroat – Mathematics, ELAR
- Chase Livingston -- Mathematics
- Kaden Martin -- Mathematics, ELAR
- Brayden Morgan -- Mathematics, ELAR
- Deanna Shipley – ELAR
- Maxine Silva – Mathematics, ELAR
- Ivaya Succo – Mathematics, ELAR

GOOD ATTENDANCE FOR SUCCESS
Every Minute
in School Counts



Parents / Guardians:

Thank you for getting your students to school every day. Our **attendance goal this year is 95%**. Currently, we have an **89% attendance rate for Semester II**.

School doors open at 7:30 AM. Students arriving after 8:00 AM are considered late. Late arrival affects students' ability to transition into the work session smoothly without distributing the learning of others.

Additionally, the first 20 minutes of class sets the foundation for that day's learning opportunities. If you need assistance getting your child(ren) to school, please consider using GMCS bus transportation.

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