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DISCOVERY Knight News

NOVEMBER & DECEMBER

From the PRINCIPAL

Thank you to everyone who attended Parent-Teacher Conferences as we end our first trimester! As schoolwork ramps up, students can easily feel overwhelmed. Remember Henry Ford's reminder: "Nothing is particularly hard if you break it down into small jobs."

You can support your child at home by setting a routine, building in study breaks, and using a calendar to manage deadlines. Never hesitate to reach out to their teacher if they need extra guidance.

I feel so fortunate to be principal of this wonderful community.

Wishing you and your family a peaceful and relaxing holiday break!

~Mrs. Douty

SAFETY Reminders



As we head into the busy holiday season, we appreciate our Discovery families helping us keep drop-off and dismissal running smoothly. Please do not park along Luna Rd. during dismissal. Our Sheriff's Department SROs have identified this as a safety concern and will be issuing citations in posted "No Parking zones."

Please use the crosswalks at Luna/Amethyst or Luna/Dos Lomas, where crossing guards are present. In the parking lot, please use the Parent Drop-Off Area only. Do not unload in parking lot, double park, or park in No Parking zones. Please remember to avoid blocking crosswalks with your vehicle.

Thank you for helping us keep arrival and dismissal safe and smooth for everyone!

~Mr. Graham

SHIELD FOCUS

November - Honor - I will demonstrate honor by being kind, polite, and respectful to all people at all times. I will follow directions, work quietly, not disturb others, and listen courteously when others are talking.

December - Integrity - I will demonstrate integrity by being truthful and honest at all times with all people. I will maintain integrity while using all forms of technology.

REMEMBER TO Carry Your SHIELD!

S.E.L. Gratitude & the Gift of Kindness!

The holiday season is a wonderful time to help children practice gratitude and kindness. Encourage your child to notice the little things they appreciate while finding simple ways to spread kindness to others. These small moments can help build connection, empathy, and a positive mindset.

Try asking your child:

🍁 What made you smile today?

🧡 What or who are you thankful for?

🎁 How did you show kindness today?

✨ How can you make someone smile this week?

🏡 Family Challenge: During dinner or before bedtime, have everyone share one thing they are grateful for and one kind thing they did or could do for someone else. Remember, even the smallest acts of kindness can make a BIG difference!

This season, let's celebrate the gifts that don't come in a box: gratitude, kindness, connection, and time together. 🍂✨

Here at Discovery, we are grateful for our amazing families who partner with us to support their children's academic, behavioral and social-emotional development!

THANK YOU



A HUGE thank you to all of our Discovery families for supporting our School Book Fair!

Your support helps put more books into the hands of our students and allows us to continue growing and updating our library collection.

As the weather gets cooler and the holidays approach, November and December are wonderful months to slow down and enjoy a good book together. Even 10-15 minutes can make a big difference!

Thank you for helping us create a school where reading is celebrated! 📖✨

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EPSGI PTO NEWS

EPSG will be hosting a 'Whoville's Holiday shop' on campus for students to shop for their families.
Dates: December 14th-17th
We are looking for A LOT of volunteers for this event. Be on the look out at Parent Square to Sign up as a Volunteer!
More details and information coming soon!





Happy & Blessed Holidays From your EPSG/PTO Board!
Next meeting: November 13th at 9:00am
December: No meeting

UPCOMING EVENTS

NOVEMBER

6th - Red/White/Blue Day-Spirit Day
9:00 am Donuts w/Douty
11th - Holiday-NO SCHOOL
12th - *3:15-4:15 School Site Council*
13th- Western Day-Spirit Day
9am EPSG Meeting
19th-*6:00pm 3rd/4th Character Matters Play*
20th- Food Day-Spirit Day
9:00 ELAC
23rd-27th - Fall Break-NO SCHOOL

DECEMBER

4th - Twin Day-Spirit Day
10th - 6:00pm 5th/6th Performance
11th-PJ's Day Spirit Day
7:15 am Parent Volunteer Training
18th - Ugly Christmas Sweater or red/green -Day Spirit Day
21st-Jan.4th - Winter Break-back to school on Tuesday, Jan. 5





Attendance

Planning ahead for an upcoming absence? Call the front office right away to request Independent Study (IS). As long as the IS form is signed by 10:00 AM, your child can complete their classwork at home and get full credit for the day! Students can use up to 15 Independent Study days this school year to prevent unexcused absences.

Warm wishes for a wonderful, relaxing holiday season!
~Mrs. Perez