

Elk Meadows

DECEMBER NEWSLETTER

Holiday Singing for Families

We are excited to welcome you into our school for a holiday performance. This year, each grade level, along with our Elk Meadows choir will be singing a few numbers they have learned for the holidays. On December 19th starting at 9:15 we will have each grade level sing for you!

The performance order will be as follows:
Kindergarten, 4th, 2nd, choir, 3rd, 5th, 1st, 6th

Each grade level will take 5-10 minutes to perform their songs. This special performance will take place in our gym. Hope to see you there!!!

Cereal Drive for Utah Food Bank

Each year Elk Meadows students participate in a boxed cereal drive for the Utah food bank. We culminate this activity with a huge cereal box dominoes that goes around the entire school. Bring your unopened boxes to your class now through Dec 15th. Your donations are appreciated!!!

Hats and Gloves

One of my favorite Elk Meadows traditions is collecting hats and gloves for a title 1 elementary school right here in Jordan School District. Starting Dec 4th place your new hats and gloves under our front office tree! ✨

From the desk of Mrs. Smith

Some personal news of mine that I'm excited to share, we are adding to the Smith family. We will be welcoming a baby girl into our family at the end of February. I appreciate all of the kind wishes I have received from students already! I will be taking some time off to enjoy my new baby and am leaving you in great hands. Kyle Hansen, a veteran principal from Jordan School District, will be here while I am on maternity leave. Mrs. Morgan our amazing assistant principal will also be here to take care of you. I know this school will welcome Mr. Hansen while I am gone. I am planning on returning and I will be anxious to introduce my new addition to all of my Falcons!

From Mrs. Morgan, our Assistant Principal

As the cold sets in I would like to remind you now is a great time to ensure your child has their name on their coat, hat, and gloves that they bring to school. Fresh air and exercise is very important and our School Community Council has set the outside temperature at 21 degrees. If it is 21 degrees or warmer we still hold outside recess.

Please be sure you are sending your child to school equipped for outside recess. If they were to lose an item outside it helps us return it when there is a name inside! As a reminder, there is no throwing snow allowed on the Elk Meadows campus. Thanks for your support!

"I can overcome disappointment and embarrassment."

Each month we focus on a social skill that helps us be successful at school. Talk with your children about ways you overcome disappointment and embarrassment.

Social Skill for December

Construction on 9800 S

I have been meeting with UDOT as we approach the construction window for the underpass on 9800 S. I understand that the timeline for taking down the pedestrian bridge will be mid-March. More info to come about shuttles that will run to take student across Bangerter.

UPCOMING EVENTS IN DECEMBER

- Dec 14. Holiday Orchestra School and Parent Performance at 2:30 and 6:00 PM
- Dec 15. End of cereal, hat and glove drive
- Dec 19. Holiday Grade Level and Choir Performance for families 9:15
*see schedule above
- Dec 20. Holiday Class Parties
- Dec 21. Pajama Day and Short Day
- Dec 22-Jan 1. Winter Break
- Jan 2. Teacher Work Day-No Students