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Franklin Elementary

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BOYS & GIRLS CLUBS OF UTAH COUNTY

The mission of the Boys & Girls Clubs of Utah County is to inspire and enable all young people, especially those who need us most, to realize their full potential as productive and responsible citizens and leaders.

Happy Birthday



11/7 - Barbra
11/9 - Zoe
11/20 - Yahir
11/27 - Kolene

UPCOMING EVENTS

11/2 Fire Drill

CLUB CLOSED

11/13 Staff Training day
11/25 - 11/27 Thanksgiving Break
Fridays



Get To Know Our Americorps!



Hi! I am Andrew Perez Alvarado. My ethnicity is half Guatemalan and half Mexican. I play lots of sports including basketball, golf, soccer, bowling etc. I also love being outside and less inside so hiking, and running!

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PARENT RESOURCES

Parent Handbook
Membership Handbook

Project Learn

Mondays and Wednesdays 3-6 Tuesdays and Thursdays K-2

Project Learn gives students the opportunity to strengthen their reading, writing, and math skills through fun, interactive activities and HYLA's (High Yield Learning Activities). For more information about this month's activities, please visit our Project Learn description page.

STEM Labs

Mondays and Wednesdays K-2 Tuesdays and Thursdays 3-6

STEM allows students to explore engineering concepts through hands-on EiE (Engineering is Everywhere) kit challenges where they design, test, and problem-solve like real engineers. This month, students will be finishing our **[Insert EiE Kit Title Here]** and continuing to build creativity, teamwork, and critical-thinking skills. This past month students have worked their way up to 5 lessons into the 12-19 lesson series. For more information about this month's STEM activities, please visit our STEM description page.

Enrichment

Mondays and Wednesdays 3-6 Tuesdays and Thursdays K-2

Now that we finished or Art Theme with our Art showcase we are moving on to our text topic which is [new topic]! For more information about this month's Enrichment activities, please visit our Enrichment description page.

Social Emotional Learning

Mondays and Wednesdays K-2 Tuesdays and Thursdays 3-6

SEL helps students build important skills such as self-awareness, emotional regulation, positive decision-making, and building healthy relationships. For more information about this month's SEL lessons, please visit our SEL description page.

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Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
2 Fire Drill ***Specialty Clubs*** Circle Up Enrichment (3-6) SEL (K-2) Feeling Good About Your Body and Your Mind Project Learn (3-6) STEM (K-2) - [New EiE topic] Lesson 6	3 ***Specialty Clubs*** Circle Up Enrichment (K-2) SEL (3-6) Feeling Good About Your Body and Your Mind Project Learn (K-2) STEM (3-6) - [New EiE topic] Lesson 6	4 ***Specialty Clubs*** Circle Up Enrichment (3-6) SEL (K-2) What Your Body Needs To Thrive Project Learn (3-6) STEM (K-2) - [New EiE topic] Lesson 7	5 ***Specialty Clubs*** Circle Up Enrichment (K-2) SEL (3-6) What Your Body Needs To Thrive Project Learn (K-2) STEM (3-6) - [New EiE topic] Lesson 7	6 **Closed – No Programs**
9 ***Specialty Clubs*** Circle Up Enrichment (3-6) SEL (K-2) What To Eat Project Learn (3-6) STEM (K-2) - [New EiE topic] Lesson 8	10 ***Specialty Clubs*** Circle Up Enrichment (K-2) SEL (3-6) What To Eat Project Learn (K-2) STEM (3-6) - [New EiE topic] Lesson 8	11 ***Specialty Clubs*** Circle Up Enrichment (3-6) SEL (K-2) The Sugar Blues Project Learn (3-6) STEM (K-2) - [New EiE topic] Lesson 9	12 ***Specialty Clubs*** Circle Up Enrichment (K-2) SEL (3-6) The Sugar Blues Project Learn (K-2) STEM (3-6) - [New EiE topic] Lesson 9	13 **Closed – Staff Training Day**
16 ***Specialty Clubs*** Circle Up Enrichment (3-6) SEL (K-2) Avoid It Like The Plague Project Learn (3-6) STEM (K-2) - [New EiE topic] Lesson 10	17 ***Specialty Clubs*** Circle Up Enrichment (K-2) SEL (3-6) Avoid It Like The Plague Project Learn (K-2) STEM (3-6) - [New EiE topic] Lesson 10	18 ***Specialty Clubs*** Circle Up Enrichment (3-6) SEL (K-2) Refuse To Abuse Project Learn (3-6) STEM (K-2) - [New EiE topic] Lesson 11	19 ***Specialty Clubs*** Circle Up Enrichment (K-2) SEL (3-6) Refuse To Abuse Project Learn (K-2) STEM (3-6) - [New EiE topic] Lesson 11	20 **Closed – No Programs**
23 ***Specialty Clubs*** Circle Up Enrichment (3-6) SEL (K-2) A Head Start On Health Project Learn (3-6) STEM (K-2) - [New EiE topic] Lesson 12	24 ***Specialty Clubs*** Circle Up Enrichment (K-2) SEL (3-6)A Head Start On Health Project Learn (K-2) STEM (3-6) - [New EiE topic] Lesson 12	25 **Closed – Thanksgiving Break**	26 **Closed – Thanksgiving Break**	27 **Closed – Thanksgiving Break**
30 ***Specialty Clubs*** Circle Up Enrichment (3-6) SEL (K-2) The Power to Move and Groove Project Learn (3-6) STEM (K-2) - [New EiE topic] Lesson 13	1 ***Specialty Clubs*** Circle Up Enrichment (K-2) SEL (3-6) The Power to Move and Groove Project Learn (K-2) STEM (3-6) - [New EiE topic] Lesson 13	2 ***Specialty Clubs*** Circle Up Enrichment (3-6) SEL (K-2) Beware of the Burn Project Learn (3-6) STEM (K-2) - [New EiE topic] Lesson 14	3 ***Specialty Clubs*** Circle Up Enrichment (K-2) SEL (3-6) Beware of the Burn Project Learn (K-2) STEM (3-6) - [New EiE topic] Lesson 14	4 **Closed – No Programs**

Daily Schedule			
Specialty Classes: Robotics Sports Club (Basketball) Program Activities: Enrichment : Around the world STEM Net Positive (Last week of the month) SEL	Specialty Schedule: 3:20 PM - 3:35 PM: Snack 3:35 PM - 3:50 PM: Introduction 3:50 PM - 4:35 PM: Main Activity 4:35 PM - 4:40 PM: Reflection 4:40 PM - 4:45 PM: Clean up and go home/Back to programs	Mondays and Wednesdays: 3:20 PM - 3:35 PM: Snack and Check in 3:40 PM - 3:55 PM: Circle Up 4:00 PM - 4:45 PM: Enrichment 3-6 / SEL K-2 (Net Positive) 4:50 PM - 5:20 PM: STEM K-2/Project Learn 3-6 5:20 PM - 5:30 PM: PM Snack and Go Home	Tuesdays and Thursdays: 3:20 PM - 3:35 PM: Snack and Check in 3:40 PM - 3:55 PM: Circle Up 4:00 PM - 4:45 PM: Enrichment K-2/ SEL 3-6 (Net Positive) 4:50 PM - 5:20 PM: STEM 3-6/Project Learn K-2 5:20 PM - 5:30 PM: PM Snack and Go Home

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November Club & Activity Details

Message to Parents:

A Season of Gratitude! 🍂

Can you believe we're already heading into our fourth month of the school year? Time is flying by, and we have had such an amazing time getting to know your children, watching friendships grow, and seeing their confidence shine! Each month brings new opportunities for learning, creativity, and fun, and we are so excited to continue building on everything we've accomplished together.

As we enter November, we want to take a moment to express how **truly thankful we are for our Club families**. Thank you for trusting us with your children each day and allowing us to be part of their lives. It is such a privilege to watch them discover new interests, overcome challenges, build friendships, and grow into their own unique personalities. These are the moments that make our work so meaningful!

This month, we are excited to continue offering engaging activities through our clubs, STEM, Project Learn, Enrichment, and SEL. With November being a season of gratitude and giving back, we will also be encouraging students to practice kindness, show appreciation for others, and understand the importance of being part of a supportive community.

We also want to thank everyone who joined us for our **October Parent Night & Art Showcase!** It was wonderful having the opportunity to celebrate our students' creativity and share the hard work they put into their projects over the past two months.

As always, if you have any questions, suggestions, or ideas, please don't hesitate to reach out. We love hearing from our families and finding new ways to make our program even better!

Thank you for being part of our Franklin Boys & Girls Club family. We are so grateful for each and every one of you, and we can't wait for another wonderful month together!

Snack and Check in/Out - Each day, students are served a **Super Snack** during the first 15 minutes after school. Our Super Snack typically includes five components: a **grain, dairy, protein, fruit, and vegetable** to help students refuel after their school day.

Later in the afternoon, before dismissal, students will also receive a **PM Snack**. This is a lighter snack that typically includes **two components**, such as a **grain and a fruit** or a **grain and a vegetable**, to help keep students energized until they get home.

If your child attends the program for snack, please note that **all snacks must be eaten on-site**. After receiving their snack, students will sit at their assigned table to eat. We also have a **Share Bin** where unopened, unwanted snack items are placed. If your child is still hungry after finishing their snack, they are welcome to choose an item from the Share Bin.

Before receiving their Super Snack, students will be **checked into the program**. Once checked in, they will place their backpacks in their designated grade-level bins before lining up to receive their snack.

For your child's safety, **all students must be checked out before leaving the program**. Students may only leave with an approved adult listed on their registration form or with someone you have added to their authorized pick-up list by contacting me.

If your child is an **approved walker**, they may leave independently only if we have received prior authorization from a parent or guardian. Students enrolled in the full afterschool program may be approved to walk home before our regular dismissal time of **5:30 PM**. Students who are enrolled **only in a Specialty Club** may be approved to walk home at **4:45 PM**, following the conclusion of their club.

Circle Up

- Circle Up is held **every day for the first 15 minutes after snack** and is the first activity we do as a program. It gives students and staff an opportunity to come together, review the day's schedule, and prepare for a successful afternoon.

This month, our Circle Up activities will focus on **leadership, communication, teamwork, and building a positive Club community**. Students will participate in fun group games and discussions such as **Would You Rather, This or That, Four Corners, Team Building Challenges, Silent Line-Up, Human Bingo, and Compliment Circle**. We will also continue reinforcing our **Big 5 Expectations** while recognizing students who demonstrate kindness, responsibility, and respect. Circle Up is a great way to help students build confidence, strengthen friendships, and start each day with a positive mindset!

Enrichment

- Our Enrichment Activity takes place **Mondays and Wednesdays for grades 3–6 and Tuesdays and Thursdays for grades K–2, from 4:00–4:45 PM**. During this time, students are grouped by age (K–2 and 3–6) to ensure activities are developmentally appropriate, engaging, and allow every student the opportunity to participate.

This month, Enrichment will continue focusing on **creative arts and movement**, giving students the opportunity to explore different forms of art while building confidence and creativity. Students will participate in hands-on art projects, movement-based activities, and creative challenges that encourage self-expression, teamwork, communication, and problem-solving.

SEL (Social Emotional Learning)

- While one group participates in Enrichment, the other group will engage in our **SEL (Social Emotional Learning)** activities. SEL takes place **Mondays and Wednesdays for grades K–2 and Tuesdays and Thursdays for grades 3–6, from 4:00–4:45 PM**. Students will continue learning the same concepts across age groups while participating in activities designed to be developmentally appropriate for their grade level.

This month, students will be concluding **Unit 1: Philosophy and Thoughts–Actions–Feelings Circle**. Through lessons such as **How To Be Happier, Feeling Good and Feeling Good About Yourself, Why Feeling Good About Ourselves Matters, To Choose or Not to Choose, Being A Good Egg, Holding It Together, and Believing We Can Do More, Be More**, students will continue exploring self-awareness, positive thinking, emotional regulation, and the power of their choices.

These lessons are designed to help students recognize their strengths, build confidence, understand their emotions, and develop the skills needed to make positive decisions and build healthy relationships with themselves and others.

Net Positive - Net Positive is a course taught **Twice a month**, where our Net Positive specialist comes in to lead lessons with our students. These sessions typically take place during the **First** and **Third Wednesday** of each Month and will temporarily replace Enrichment activities while they are being held.

Net Positive focuses on **online safety and digital responsibility**. Students learn how to stay safe while using technology, how to protect themselves online, and what to do if they encounter situations such as cyberbullying or unknown individuals trying to contact them.

As technology continues to grow in our everyday lives, these lessons help students build the tools and confidence they need to make safe, responsible, and informed choices online.

STEM - STEM will take place from **4:50–5:20 PM**, with **K–2 on Mondays and Wednesdays and grades 3–6 on Tuesdays and Thursdays**. This is part of our **12–19 lesson EiE (Engineering is Everywhere) series**, which gives students the opportunity to explore engineering concepts through hands-on challenges and real-world problem-solving.

This month, students will continue to work on **[Unit Title Pending: Please update once info is available] of the EiE**. Students will explore how engineers use creativity, testing, and problem-solving to design tools that can make everyday tasks easier. Through these challenges, students will practice the engineering design process by creating, improving, and reflecting on their designs while building skills in teamwork, communication, and critical thinking.

We are excited to see our students continue experimenting, designing, and discovering new ways to think like engineers!

Project Learn - Project Learn takes place from **4:50–5:20 PM**, with **grades 3–6 on Mondays and Wednesdays** and **K–2 on Tuesdays and Thursdays**. Project Learn is a dedicated time where students strengthen their reading, writing, and math skills through engaging activities, HYLA's (High Yield Learning Activities), and hands-on learning experiences.

This month, students will focus on **storytelling, creativity, and critical thinking** through activities designed to build reading comprehension, vocabulary, and writing skills. Students will participate in activities such as **Mystery Reader, Character Detective, Compare and Contrast Stories, Book Reviews, Spooky Story Writing, Create Your Own Character, and Comic Strip Creation** to encourage imagination and strengthen their storytelling skills.

For math, students will continue building confidence through activities like **Math Scavenger Hunts, Measurement Challenges, Pattern Challenges, Logic Puzzles, and Math Games**. These activities will help students practice problem-solving, teamwork, and applying math skills in creative ways.

Project Learn is all about helping students discover that learning can be fun while building skills they can use every day!

Specialty Clubs - Our Specialty Clubs take place during regular program hours from **3:20–4:45 PM**. Students will arrive and have snack as usual, and then transition into their assigned club. At 4:45 PM, students who are enrolled only in Specialty Clubs will be picked up or may walk home if they are approved walkers. Students enrolled in the full afterschool program will join us after clubs end.

Below is a list of our Specialty Clubs:

Robotics: Robotics Club is open to all ages and is designed to support both beginners and students with prior experience. We offer **K–2 on Tuesdays and Thursdays** and **3–6 on Mondays and Wednesdays**.

Due to high interest from students—including many younger siblings—we have created a **Junior Robotics option** to introduce younger students to the basics of coding and engineering. This helps prepare them for more advanced robotics as they get older.

This week, students will focus on foundational robotics skills appropriate to their age group, and next week they will begin hands-on work with our robotics kits.

Sports Club (Basketball): Sports Club is offered for **K–2 on Mondays and Wednesdays and grades 3–6 on Tuesdays and Thursdays**. This term, students have been building their skills through Flag Football while learning the importance of teamwork, sportsmanship, communication, and discipline in a fun and supportive environment.

This Term we are focusing on **Basketball!**. No prior experience is needed—students of all skill levels are welcome and will have the opportunity to learn, practice, and grow.

Sports Club is all about staying active, building confidence, and learning how to work together as a team. We are excited to continue introducing students to new sports and skills throughout the year!