

# News from Stormy the Sidewinder SSE, A Great Place to Be!

Dear Families,

We hope your New Year is off to a great start!! Kindergarten registration for the 24/25 school year is now open for SSE. Students must be 5 years of age by August 31, 2024. Registration for all other grades is also open. Please complete the Online Registration by logging into their parent portal or the district website [www.gilbertschools.net](http://www.gilbertschools.net).

## Upcoming Events:

1. Kona Ice Treat Sale at Lunch/STUCO Spirit Day (Disney Day) - March 1
2. 5th Grade Picture Makeups - March 1
3. PreK-K Field Day - March 4
4. Kindergarten Roundup #1 online - March 5 (3:00\_
5. 3-4 Field Day - March 6
6. Early Release - March 6
7. 1-2 Field Day - March 6
8. 5-6 Field Day - March 7
9. PTSO - March 7 (3:15)
10. 11:55 Release - March 8
11. Powerhouse - March 8 (9:00)
12. Spring Break - March 11-22
13. School Resumes - March 25
14. Battle of the Books 3 - March 26 (1:30)
15. 5th Grade AASA Science part 1 - March 26
16. 5th Grade AASA Science part 2 - March 27
17. Early Release - March 27
18. Optional Learning Forms Due - March 28

## AASA State Testing

AASA is fast approaching. Below is a schedule outlining all testing days at SSE. Each grade level is assigned specific days for testing. If at all possible, please try not to schedule any appointments during these times. As required by the state, if a student begins testing, they must complete the test within the school day. They are not allowed to pause the test and finish the next day. The schedule will also be posted on our school calendar. Thank you very much for your assistance.


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 <b>March</b> ..... Superstition Springs Testing Calendar				
MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
				1
4	5	6	7	8
11 Spring Break	12 Spring Break	13 Spring Break	14 Spring Break	15 Spring Break
18 Spring Break	19 Spring Break	20 Spring Break	21 Spring Break	22 Spring Break
25	26 5 <sup>th</sup> Grade AZSCI Part 1	27 5 <sup>th</sup> Grade AZSCI Part 2	28	29 Easter Break

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 <h1>April</h1> <div>Superstition Springs Testing Calendar</div>				
MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
1	2 5th Grade Writing	3 Coronado ORF	4 6th Grade Writing	5 3rd Grade Writing
8 4th Grade Writing	9 6th Grade Reading/Math Part 1	10 <u>Scherba</u> ORF	11 6th Grade Reading/Math Part 2	12 Last Day for AZSCI and Writing
15 4th Grade Reading/Math Part 1	16 5th Grade Reading/Math Part 1	17 Luke ORF	18 5th Grade Reading/Math Part 2	19 3rd Grade Reading/Math Part 1
22 4th Grade Reading/Math Part 2	23 3rd Grade Reading/Math Part 2	24 Hagen ORF	25	26 Last Day for Reading, Writing and ORF
29	30			

2024-2025 SSE Optional Learning Environment Forms are now available in the front office. Forms are due March 28, 2024.

## Social Worker

GPS Wellness Resources for Families: <https://www.gilbertschools.net/wellness>

Hello SSE Families! As the school social worker I provide several services to our families that include weekend food bags, support with resources, and school support for students. Should you have questions or need these services please contact me by phone or email.

I would like to update families on our SEL classes. In Kindergarten and 1st grade we will be finishing up our how to calm down unit and will begin our problem solving unit. In

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this unit we discuss skills that will help us be successful in the classroom. We use video clips, books and pictures to go through the unit. In 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th grade we will be continuing our problem solving unit. In our problem solving unit we discuss ways to help ourselves on the playground and/or during recess. We watch video clips, look at school pictures, and read books to go through how we can be kind and make good choices at school. In 2nd grade we will be finishing our school project of writing a book based on Champion, our school dog. We are still planning to complete this by next month! In 6th grade we will continue our digital citizenship unit. In this unit we discuss internet safety. We will also discuss getting ready for Jr High! We will have class discussion, video clips and problems to solve. I hope your students are enjoying SEL as much as I am!

Should you have any questions, need resources, or support please feel free to contact me.

Shawnda Harmsen MS, RYT, RCYT

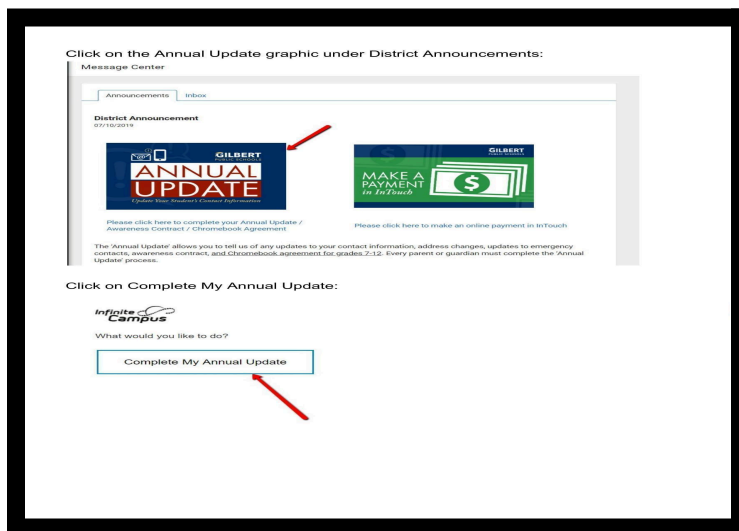
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Annual Update - please complete

Annual Update Short Video - <https://youtu.be/mIMVfKtzwI>



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## SSE Quick Links



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2023-2024 SSE Yearbook Cover Contest Winner  
Congratulations Isabella Lipert



## PTSO

Thank you for all your support. Next meeting is March 7 at 3:15

## Free and Reduced Lunch Forms

<http://gilbertschools.net/meals>

## SSE's 32B Golden Ticket Winners

Avery Taylor  
Sophie Tucker  
Brynn Burdick

Lila Cogswell  
Amelia Houtz-Murphy  
Jamal Soliman

Makayla Thomas  
Kate Tiffer  
Cade Middleton



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## SSE's 32B Character Winners

Noah Barnes  
Teagan Salter  
Riley Williams  
Vikram Bhure  
Abigail Rogers  
Ben Faust  
JJ Garcia  
Pearl McKinnon  
Parker Prescott  
Jaxson Butter  
Olivia Fletcher  
Soliman Marshall  
Declan Haun  
Ethan Towarnyckyj  
Connor Dunn  
Stevie Brown  
Michael Dorado  
Elias Beard  
Darcy Banfield  
Lincoln Gale  
Aiden Mendoza  
Ty Voss  
Lailah Cano  
Gracie Brown  
Liam Ambrosek  
Declan Lent  
Fox Ferrin  
Reed Smith  
Rigdon Moody  
Derek Dana  
Aria Hartman-Kranak  
Izabella Gudino  
Stevie Brown  
Jasper Curiel  
Gracie Graham  
Kinsley Donaldson  
Atlas Durazo

Eleilia Gowan  
Ezra Salter  
Lexi Halterman  
Daniel Lehrich  
Natalie Lilly  
Holly Sage  
Preston Williams  
Cassidy Curtis  
Alexa Romero  
Isla Heidemann  
Emma Lopez  
Dawsyn Davison  
Rowen Welsh  
Jori Comerford  
Damien Munoz  
Kenzlie Staggs  
Aubrey Labita  
Destiny O'Neal  
Cohen Cannon  
Marliegh Montoya  
Madison Townsend  
Alyssa Gomez  
Piper Durrant  
John Martinez  
Ethan Dettman  
Bennett Peterson  
Ponita Hola  
Aidan Amaya  
Levi Thorton  
Gracyn Sanchez  
Mia Mendoza  
Kaden Liu  
Safia Garcia  
Ezra Salter  
Tyler Burney  
Gracie Brown  
Holly Folger

Sonatane Alatini  
Safia Garcia  
Tyler Burney  
Ezra Salter  
Holly Starlin  
Avery Taylor  
Chloe Canonic  
Gonzalo Lopez  
Logan Wade  
Ava Witucky  
Reed Smith  
Max Baker  
Jasper Curiel  
Felix Curiel  
Selene Alvarez  
Michael Andreas  
Leah Payne  
Zackary Erwin  
Alice Harmsen  
Sadie Williams  
Makayla Norman  
Keston Williams  
Lola Mann  
Roman Martinez  
Irelynn McIlveen  
Barrette Peterson  
Neo Boyle  
Owen Siegel  
Gabby Gallegos  
Brianna Bray  
Jacob Bury  
Catherine Tracy  
Noah Frost  
Sophie Young  
Cruz Wilson  
Alyx Maya  
Mason Alyashai



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Brianna Jordan  
Dean Shepard  
Eleanor Miller  
Joaquin Christopher  
Elise Spearman  
Ty Voss  
Lincoln Gale  
Leah Payne  
Carter Jo Dingman  
Holly Folger  
Ny'ir Jones  
Iris Marion  
Zoey Abbitt  
Holly Sage  
Stephanie Herrera  
Mateo Arcos  
Naomi Graham  
Lili Martin  
Sophie Tucker  
Maggie Ambrosek  
Aiden Mendoza  
Victoria Canonic  
Parker Prescott  
Skyla Hiser  
Jack Bowen  
Bella Meyer  
Brynn Burdick  
Aria Pickering  
Lizzy Connolly  
Amelia Labita  
Zaiden Fox  
Elise Spearman  
Koston Greenhalgh  
Eliza Lewis  
Lani Alatini  
Noah Hernandez  
Rylie Vaughn  
Kalia Laker

Avery Hoskins  
Stephanie Herrera  
Alyssa Gomez  
Lydia Thorpe  
Lauren Strigen  
Jazlynn Cardenas  
Brooklyn Diaz  
Eliza Lewis  
Emmie Summerhays  
Ariana Hylton  
Doc Vann  
Levi Hawkins  
Levi Del Muro  
Bradley Skousen  
Harley Jamerson  
Paige Zehring  
Luna Hurtle  
Nolan Santana  
Jaxson Searcy  
Khloe Martinez  
Sadie Misko  
Sophie Tucker  
Averie Bendezu  
Wiley Wood  
Finn Folger  
Warren White  
Jax Cardenas  
Charlie Root  
Richie Camacho  
Parker Roberts  
Darcy Banfield  
Scarlett Schulte  
Rowen Welsh  
Matthew Corona  
Madison Wade  
Bennett Peterson  
Jodi Mista  
Amelia Aguayo

Camden Funseth  
Emily Connett  
Claire Connett  
Darcy Banfield  
Lillian Howard  
Nora Dronseiko  
Holly Sage  
Bryson Bridges  
Ava Witucky  
Liam Reidinger  
Jaxson Butter  
Derek Dana  
Ben Rivera  
Christian Kambool  
Jayce Nelson  
Neo Boyle  
Brantley Baker  
Ruby McKellar  
Blakely Weathers  
Ryan Hoopes  
Jinan Soliman  
Holly Sage  
Jackson Allen  
Charlie Montgomery  
Tabor Loeffler  
Brianna Bray  
Kiana Hartmann  
Jacob Bury  
Liam Post  
Ehsai Amaya  
Derek Towner  
Teagan Sotelo  
Liam Post  
Riley Taylor  
Wyatt Earhart  
Daisy Thorpe  
Sofia Porter  
Jaxson Searcy

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Brady Robinson  
Audrey Kepsel  
Braylynn Wood  
Isabella Mercado  
Amaia Cruz  
McKinley Searcy  
Sophie Young  
Tasiana Mista  
Roland Henson  
Rux Tucker  
Madison Wade  
Avery Turilli  
Jackson Allen  
Phoenix Centenera  
Andres DeLeon  
Michael Abril  
Josie Lilly  
Gabriel Banyai  
Kaydence Johnson  
Leandro Dizon  
Maddison Burrell  
Parker Prescott  
Jackson Hiley

Olivia Durrant  
Jade Onken  
Cannon Gardiner  
Ava Allen  
Saige Pacific  
Tyson Apple  
Jax Mansfield  
Richie Camacho  
Harrison Arndt  
Steven Chase Garland  
Victoria Garcia  
Arianna Flores  
Madison Wade  
David Tennison  
Xander Arvizu  
Monroe Summers  
Marleigh Montoya  
Hiriti Darji  
Damien Munoz  
George Garlock  
Skyler Sprouse  
Irelynn McIlveen  
Mallory Johnson  
Sisi Alatini

Ruby McKeller  
Zain Tarin  
Isabella Flores  
Sophia Flores  
Leon Munoz Olivares  
William Juarez  
Teagan Salter  
Natalie Greer  
Raena Luna  
Warren White  
Iris Marion  
Anna Ugarte  
Kasen Stanley  
Bennett Peterson  
Belle Wiederhold  
Wyatt Cala  
Logan Pratt  
Angel Martinez Diaz  
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