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Dear Families,

The entire SSE staff would like to wish you and your family a Happy New Year!

Thank you all for your continuing support! Kindergarten registration for the 24/25 school year is now open for SSE. Students must be 5 years of age by August 31, 2024.

Please complete the Online Registration by logging into their parent portal or the district website www.gilbertschools.net.

Upcoming Events:

- 1. School Resumes January 3
- 2. 1:55 Release January 3, 10, 17, 31
- 3. School Council January 8
- 4. Battle of the Books #2 January 9 (1:30)
- 5. Club Picture Day January 11
- 6. EL Family Afternoon January 11 (3:30-5:00)
- 7. Martin Luther King Jr. Day Jan 15 (no school)
- 8. 11:55 Release January 24
- 9. 6th Grade Level Up Day January 25

Social Worker

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all the families who signed up for the SSE. Angel Tree. We are so grateful to have families like you that give and support us. All items collected went directly to the families who needed it during this past holiday season. I truly can not thank you all enough for all you have done for our SSE Families. SSE really is a great place to be as we have all these wonderful families supporting one another.

BE RESPECTFUL BE RESPONSIBLE BE KIND

I would like to update families on our SEL classes. In Kindergarten and 1st grade we are starting our how to calm down unit. In 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 continue our how to calm down unit and slowly start our problem solving unit. In this unit we discuss skills that can help us calm

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our bodies when a subject is too hard or how to help ourselves here at school when we have a big emotion. When we start 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 at school. In 2nd grade we will be continuing our school project of writing a book based on Champion, our school dog. In 6th grade we will continue our problem solving unit and start our emotional management unit. In this unit we will discuss problems that come up here at school and how we can help ourselves in solving them e.g. friendships, school work and other. In the emotional management unit we will discuss ways to help calm our bodies when school work is hard. We will use video clips, stories and complete games/activities with this unit. 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.

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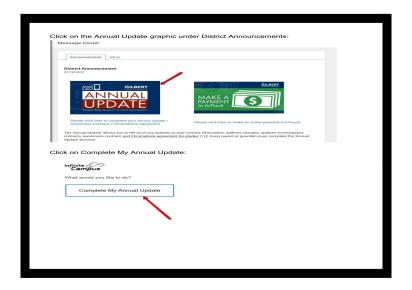
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GPS Wellness Resources for Families: https://www.gilbertschools.net/wellness

Annual Update - please complete

RE RESPONSIBLE BE KIND Annual Update Short Video - https://youtu.be/m IMVfKtzwI





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Thank you to everyone who was able to make it out to SSE's Holiday Movie Night! The movie was awesome but Buddy the Elf and Santa stole the show!



Free and Reduced Lunch Forms http://gilbertschools.net/meals

SSE's 32B Golden Ticket Winners

Kinsley Sotelo Ryland Goodwin Rux Tucker Dean Shepherd Audrina Alcantara Dominic Martinez Lila Cogswell Jinan Soliman Raena Luna

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SSE's 32B Character Winners

Harley Jamerson Shaylee Walter Sharon Alfaro De La Torre

Riley Fletcher Alexis Tarkington John Brown

Abigail Ibarra Emily Connett Scarlett Darby Zackary Erwin Morgan Henson Davis Jones

Michael Abril Jeremiah Dicker Eva Tukuafu Calvin Jones Jacob Cortes Nancy Chandler

Jacob Bury

Steven Chase Parker Prescott Riley Fletcher Richie Camacho Keston Williams Brighton Boudreaux Ethan Corona Sanchez

Vikram Bhure Piper Durrant Olive Miller Elijah Conde

Aidan Amaya

Elijah Conde Bryce Wyatt Micaela Molina

Jaxson Johnson

Sienna Ross Liam Covert Ty Voss Natalie Greer

Owen Donaldson

Hudsyn Brice Irelynn McIlveen Deya Al'deenSarama Dalton Hebner Hadley Durrant Melini Tukuafu

Rylan Gibson Avery Hoskins Leo Robinson Mia Payne Owen Covert

Luna Hurrle Dana Price

Jaxon Kargas Madison Wade Nora Dronseiko

Emily Yubeta King Jones

Alice Harmsen

Hadley Durrant Eli Folger

Calvin Jones
Parker Roberts
Roman Martinez

Siyao Lin

Allie Summerhays Jayce Nelson Madison Wade Victoria Garcia Keston Williams Oliver Alder Tamzyn Curtis Rumi Williams

Levi Del Muro

Kahlil Reid

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Brianna Jordan Laila Garcia Teagan Salter Sadie Misko Bradley McClellan **Kynlee Middleton** Richie Camacho Angelina Solis-Porras Jordyn Thomas Nora Dronseiko Dana Price Brady Robinson Tyler Ruiz Jayden Turley Sofija Leilua Emily Yubeta Cannon Gardiner Ehsai Amaya Joseph Meyer Liam Napadono-Kelling

Wyatt Cala Ethan Dettman Audrey Veeder Cash Dingman Cohen Cannon Hazel Thorpe Aiden Bentley Charlee Williams Madison Wade Anishka Hoti Olivia Durrant Elias Beard Tatum Asburry **Braxton Weathers** Cole Hagan Ava Robinson Bryce Wyatt Esme Centeno-Rodriguez **Charles Smith** Clara Weathers Jamal Soliman Grayson Cano Moses Karanja Allijah Marrujo Jaelyn Gazell Irelynn McIlveen Porter Hoffman

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Ellie Gowan - 2022 6 2022 - 2026

Alaric Baldwin

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SSE 1st Grade Music Performance

Awesome job first grade!!!! Fantastic performance!!!!





SSE Choir

What an awesome performance from SSE's Choir! Way to go!!!



