

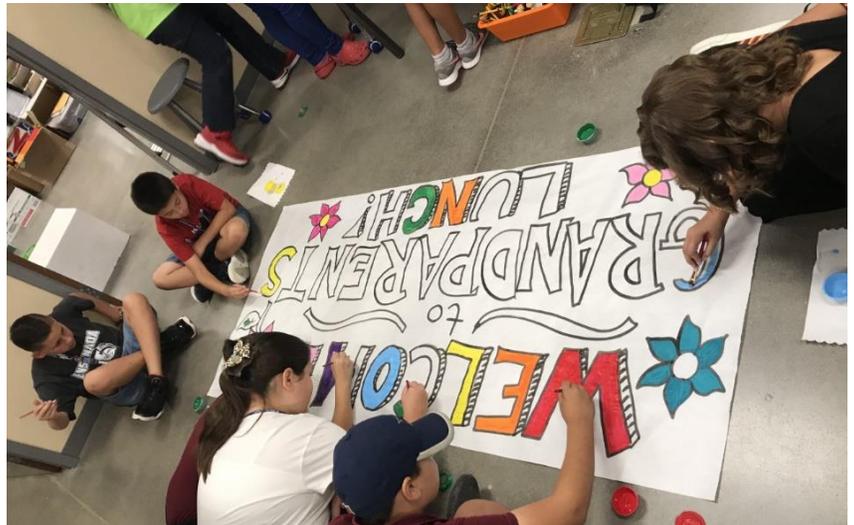


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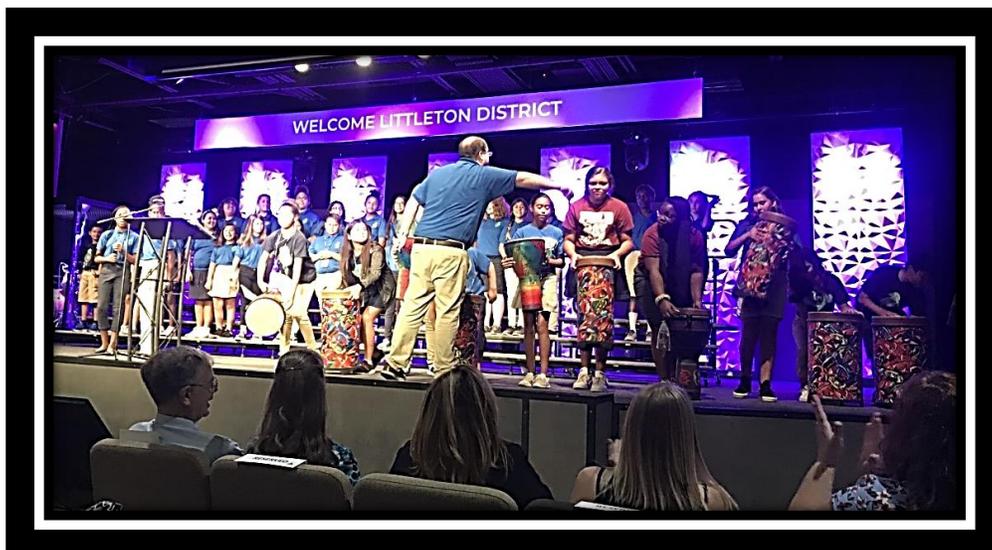
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Fine Arts Academy

Our morning Art Club is getting ready for the Grandparents Day Luncheon on September 6th. Shout out to [Ms. Michelle Walla](#) for helping them prepare this beautiful banner!



We know you were all there... but we can't help but brag about all of our incredible musicians and their performance at the Littleton District Kickoff! [Mr. Travis White](#) did amazing job preparing our students to perform for the District Kick-Off!





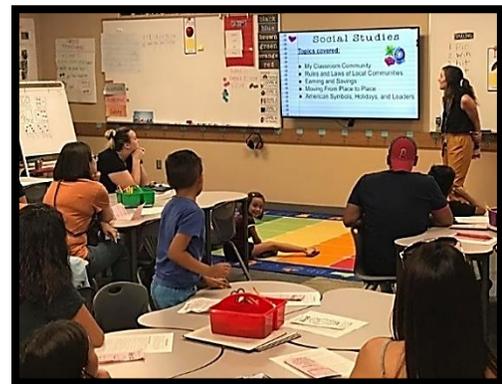
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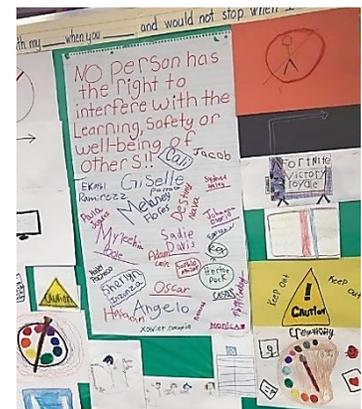
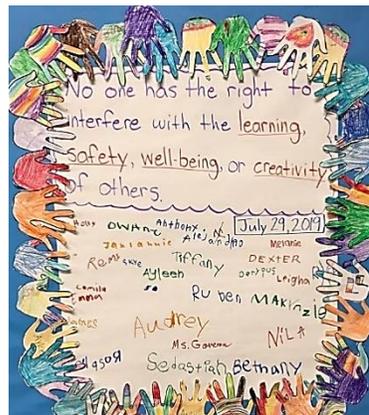
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Curriculum night was a success! It is always nice to see parents, students, and teachers working as a team to ensure all students succeed!



There is only one rule on our campus and we love that our teachers and students have embraced their creativity in displaying the rule! Here are a few of the awesome displays:





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Littleton STEM Academy

Littleton Elementary STEM Academy is committed to forging trusting relationships with our students and families. Our goal is to build partnerships with parents and families that support the optimal development and learning of each and every student who walks through our doors. Friday, August 23rd was PTA Movie Night. As a caring community of learners, we enjoyed a movie, snacks, and many laughs! We are thankful to our growing Parent Teacher Association (PTA) for bringing us together and our National Junior Honor Society (NJHS) members (lead by Ms. Balogun) for volunteering to set-up and clean up.



On Wednesday, August 21st, Littleton Elementary STEM Academy 2nd grade teachers attended Content PD in Science provided by our district office. Led by Student Achievement Coach [Kathy Larm](#), they embraced the opportunity to immerse themselves in an active learning experience framed around the new 2018 AZ Science Standards. The team now feels prepared and excited to plan engaging new experiences in science for their students!





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Office of School Support

The Technology Department is pleased to welcome *Joshua Pederson*. *Mr. Pederson* is our intern from Estrella Mountain Community College; he will be working with the department this semester. He will obtain hands on experience regarding fixing damaged laptops, learning the ticket system, help desk and the network systems.

Thank you to the Technology Team for supporting the Professional Development Day on August 29th. The team showed up early at Palm Valley Church to ensure a smooth set up. *Uriel Contreras* stayed in the booth to make sure videos and slide shows played on schedule. *Tim Turner, Alex Celestino, Brian Carey, Jaime Reyna, Anthony Musil* and *Mark Morgan* took pictures and provided support as needed during the event. From there, the team went out to the different sites to make sure all set ups were complete and running without issues, before returning to the office to participate in their own professional development.





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Instructional Quality & Staff Development Office

The Instructional Quality and Staff Development office was very busy in the month of August. We had our first Content PD day, where there was differentiated instruction going on throughout the district. Our Physical Education teachers had a real treat, with the Phoenix Coyotes organization coming out to not only deliver professional development, but also supplies for the teachers to use! It looked like a lot of fun and great learning in this PD!

The other big day, was August 29th! We had a super speaker in the morning and differentiated professional development in the afternoon. Our speaker, Erika Battle, kept us focused! She even did a session in the afternoon for about 90 employees.

Thank you to all the facilitators and staff that made these two events meaningful and successful!

