



# Puma Press

Linking Learning to Life



## Principal's Message

Puma Families,

What a great month we just completed! With parent teacher conferences, awards assemblies, Love Our School Day, and Trunk or Treat, there were a number opportunities for our community to engage with our school.

Thank you to everyone who offered their input on the mission and vision of our school at Love Our School Day. Your feedback will help to shape the future of Tres Ríos Service Learning Academy.

I encourage each of you to check out our calendar of events for November and attend whenever possible. We love showcasing all the wonderful things happening here at Tres Ríos!

Respectfully,

*Steve Richert*

## Important Information

**Safety Tip:** Student safety is our top priority in the Littleton Elementary School District, which is why we ask that all students who attend sporting events on any Littleton ESD site come with a parent or guardian. Students will not be able to enter any sporting events without a parent/guardian.

**MYD TIP:** In order to ensure success of students with the Make Your Day (MYD) Program our staff spends a good chunk of time reviewing the Make Your Day Program philosophy and components with students after long breaks such as Fall Break, Winter Break and Spring Break, and of course at the beginning of the school year. During the past MYD reset, we focused on accountability. Our students hold themselves accountable by calling the points they have earned for following expectations, holding themselves accountable for the choice/behavior.

**Technology Tip:** Having a computer and internet service at home is no longer a luxury—it is often a necessity. Cox understands this new reality and works in the communities they serve to provide affordable Internet to low-income students and their families through the Connect2Compete program. Take a minute to check it out!

**School Wellness:** The weather is finally beginning to cool down and with the falling temperatures comes flu season. If you send your students to school in jackets and sweaters to help them stay warm, please remember that outerwear is not allowed to be worn inside the classrooms. In addition, all sweaters must be one of the school colors and have no logos.

**Kids at Hope:** Kids at hope is about seeing children at hope rather than at risk. It includes three research based beliefs. We Believe, We Connect and We Time Travel. We believe- Children succeed when they are surrounded by adults who believe they will succeed. This is why we say the Kids at Hope pledge daily and believe that each of our student can be successful!

## Our School Focus

This month our 8th grade students have completed their motivational quotes. They will begin painting the bathroom stalls next week for all grade levels to read and remind them how important they are.

The first grade garden is off to a great start! Our peas, arugula and broccoli have all sprouted. Our 5th graders are preparing to complete daily self-care tasks to promote positive self care to all grade levels.

## Dates to Remember

- 11/1 K @ H assembly in Café      11/21/19 Thanksgiving lunch cafe
- 11/6-Veterans Day Variety Show Café 5:30 pm
- 11/7 Peter Piper Night 99th & McDowell @ 4:00 pm
- 11/11 Veterans Day No School      11/25-11/29 Thanksgiving Break No School
- 11/12 Governing Board Meeting ULC- A District 6 pm

### Stay Connected

Phone: 623.478.6300

Website: [www.tres.littletonaz.org](http://www.tres.littletonaz.org)

Facebook: [facebook.com/TresPumas](https://facebook.com/TresPumas)



We practice and believe the Kids @ Hope Philosophy...All Children are capable of success.  
**NO EXCEPTIONS!!!**