

THE BALDY BULLETIN

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Our Vision:

Imagine. Believe. Achieve.

Upcoming Events:

MAP Testing

Committee Chair Meeting /
PTA Meeting

PreK / EC Ice Cream Social

Hat Day / SIP Day
11:30 AM Dismissal

Picture Retake Day

Literacy / Math Parent
Education Meetings

Principal's News

Greetings from Forest Glen! It is hard to believe that we are back at school after a quick summer. The faculty and staff approach the new school year with much enthusiasm and spirit. Our students and staff have had a great start and the students are doing extremely well. Please remember that we are all here to help your child be successful. If at any time you would like to discuss topics or issues that may need clarification, please call the office or your child's teacher. Your discussions are always welcome!

Thank you to all of our families that attended our Curriculum Nights during the first few weeks of school. These evenings are important for you to begin your connections with your child's teachers. We appreciate you taking the time to attend.

This year, Glen Ellyn School District 41 will continue to use the Measures of Academic Progress (MAP) test in reading and math. Students in Kindergarten through Grade 8 will take these online tests three times this year. The fall testing window is September 7 - 23, during which your child will spend approximately two hours completing MAP tests. Results for each of your child's tests will be shared with you at fall conferences.

Please remember to review with your child how you would like them to go home each day. Whether they are a bus rider, a car rider, or a walker, you should be clear in your expectations for how you would like your child to come home. Also, please make sure that your child's teacher is aware of your preferred mode of transportation. If it is necessary to change the typical way your child will come home, please let your child's teacher know.

Teachers cannot check e-mails or voice mails when they are teaching, so if your plans change and you are unsure whether your child's teacher will receive the message in time, please call the office to let us know. Our staff wants to work closely with you to ensure that your child arrives at school safely and arrives safely to your home.

The Forest Glen staff is very excited to partner with you and your children this year. Please know that you may call us at any time if you have a comment, a suggestion, or a concern. My e-mail address is mhornacek@d41.org and my phone number is (630) 534-7350. I look forward to working closely with you to assist you in any way possible this school year.

Mary Hornacek
Principal

PTA News



Happy September Forest Glen Parents! The PTA has been busy getting so many great clubs and events ready for the school year. We know that this is a busy time of year, so hopefully you can find time in your schedule to help us out!

Clubs/Events that **NEED** help or they may have to be eliminated:

- Charity Club (Inside Out Club) - we need someone to reserve space and promote; an outside company is running the activities.
- 5th Grade Newspaper - we need someone to run this group.
- Teacher Appreciation Week - we need several people to plan, organize and run this May tradition.
- Knitting Knook - we need someone to be the communication liaison between the staff and parents.

Please contact our VPs of Committees - Krista Chase or Michele Choi - with questions - vp@forestglenpta.org

Big thanks to..

Lisa Demeris & her volunteers for the Ice Cream Social
 Susan Kim & New Friends Committee for the Kindergarten play date at Lake Ellyn
 Nicolette DiGiorgio for her coordination of the school supplies kits

What is happening @ school FOR KIDS in September:

- Chess Club - Fall Session starts 9/8. Contact Kara Nicastro or Lydia Lando for more information.
- Inside Out Club (Charity Club) - starts 9/20

What is happening @ school FOR ADULTS in September:

- 9/13 - General PTA Meeting, 7pm Forest Glen LMC (Library)
- 9/13 - Committee Chair Training, 6:30pm Forest Glen LMC

How you can give back to Forest Glen and our PTA in September:

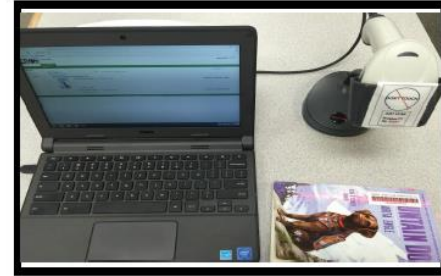
- *Restaurant Night* - 9/14, 4pm-9pm - Chipotle on Roosevelt Road, Glen Ellyn - make sure to show the paper flyer or on your phone.
- Box Tops/Labels for Education - start saving them, there will be a collection in October.
- AmazonSmile - when shopping on Amazon, choose our school via Amazon Smile - go to smile.amazon.com and choose Forest Glen PTA

Forest Glen School
LIBRARY MEDIA CENTER

September 2016

Digital Literacy Skills

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|  <p>Information Literacy (IL) Students will...</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gather, read, write, listen and speak about information • Use research skills and the inquiry process • Use presentation skills |  <p>Technology Literacy (TL) Students will...</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Navigate a variety of devices and select various tools and applications to present information |
|  <p>Digital Citizenship (DC) Students will...</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use technology and tools responsibly, respectfully, and safely |  <p>Library Skills (LS) Students will...</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Utilize the OPAC to access resources • Foster the love of reading |



Digital Media includes four areas of Digital Literacy Skills to better equip your child for 21st century learning.

All students have the opportunity to check books out at our library. We use a self checkout and check in system. We love helping your child find and check out books!

Book Circulation

For most students, book checkout is completed on a flexible schedule throughout the week. Students come to the LMC to search for books and use a self checkout system. Students may borrow up to 3 books at a time, for the duration of 2 weeks. (Some limitations are in place for Early Childhood and Kindergarten. These students may borrow 1 book at a time, for the duration of 1 week.)

Bluestem Book Lists Grades 3-5

All students in grades 3-5 are encouraged to participate in our Bluestem reading incentives program this year. There will be 3 major events for Bluestem readers throughout the year. To qualify for these events, students read award-winning books from the Bluestem book list and are required to submit a [Bluestem Review Form](#).

The Bluestem events are as follows:

- ★ February 16th, before school (read 4 and submit 4 reviews)
- ★ April 12th, at lunch (read 10 and submit 10 reviews)
- ★ May 17th, after school (read all 20 and submit 20 reviews)

New Devices & GAFE (Google Apps for Education) Accounts

District 41 has provided all students with a new device for learning. Students are now using the Dell Chromebook 11. The Chromebook is a new, faster computer. It starts in seconds and uses GAFE (Google Apps for Education) apps with unlimited cloud storage. Students can access their GAFE accounts from school and from home. Students log in using their username@d41.org and the password is their student ID number (the 2080 number). Please note that the email application is disabled, and other restrictions are applied.

Acceptable Use Policy

Easier access to technology must be paired with clear expectations for our students. Just as parents are asked to sign an Acceptable Use Policy, our students review a kid-friendly version during Digital Media class. These expectations are initially explained to all students in grades 1-5 and reviewed throughout the year.

Welcome to your Forest Glen Library Media Center!

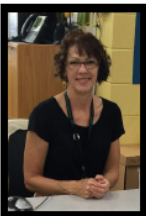
We are excited to offer many opportunities to our students. Please contact us if you have any questions, comments, or ideas for the library. We look forward to a rich year of learning in the 2016-2017 school year!



Marcie Calliccoat, Digital Literacy Specialist

mcalliccoat@d41.org 630.534.7655

Mrs. Calliccoat has taught at Forest Glen for 12 years. She loves embedding technology skills into teaching and learning at all grade levels. Mrs. Calliccoat loves providing students with activities that enhance their experiences at school.



Kathleen Hokenson, Library Media Aide

khokenson@d41.org 630.534.7347

Mrs. Hokenson has been in the LMC for 15 years. She is a Glen Ellyn resident. Her own two children attended Forest Glen! Mrs. Hokenson loves helping Forest Glen students find the "just right" book for them.

Volunteer Opportunities

We hope you stopped by the PTA booth at Curriculum Night. The library is a great place to volunteer your time for various tasks such as shelving, helping students with the self checkout system, programs/events, and displays. Please contact us directly or speak with Sue Cristiano (parent) if you are interested! *BIG thanks to Sue Cristiano for taking the lead on this for us!*



GYM SHORTS



Welcome back to Forest Glen and to PE. We have a great year of fun and fitness planned for the FG students.

The students have reviewed the Physical Education expectations for the 2016-17 school year the first week of school. As a reminder, students grades K-2 may wear athletic shoes that tie or Velcro. Grades 3-5 wear shoes that tie. Slip-on shoes, Keens, Crocs, sandals, "Mary Janes" with a strap, and elastic banded shoes may not be worn.

Have a great school year.

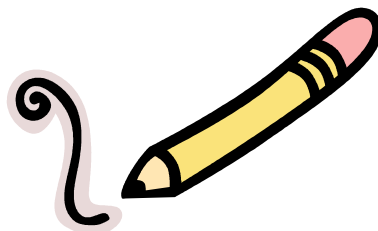
Ms. Knoebl and Mrs. LaCosse

Literacy and Math Parent Meetings

At curriculum night, you heard from your child's teacher about the new math curriculum and the new literacy resources that our teachers are implementing this school year. The district is holding special literacy and math parent meetings during the month of September. These meetings will give you information on how to support your children throughout the school year. These meetings have been scheduled for the following times:

Elementary Parent Education - Eureka Math
September 20, 2016 at 6:30 PM at Hadley
September 23, 2016 at 9:00 AM at Hadley

Elementary Parent Education - Literacy
September 14, 2016 at 9:00 AM at Hadley
September 15, 2016 at 6:30 PM at Hadley



Mark Your Calendars - Open House Dates

February 9 - 6:30 PM - Grade 2 and 7:15 PM - Grade 3
March 22 - 6:30 PM - Grade 4 and 7:15 PM - Grade 5
May 18 - 6:30 PM - Kindergarten and 7:15 PM - Grade 1

We hope you will be able to attend these events with your families!

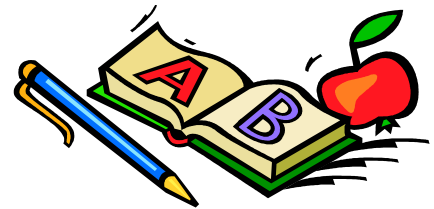


Allergen Safe Lunch Table

D41 schools offer an allergen safe table in the lunchrooms. If your child has life threatening allergies, per parent choice, the child may eat lunch at this table. Please notify the health office if you would like your child to eat lunch at the allergen safe table and also indicate what their food allergies are.

A classmate may sit at the allergen safe table with your child, however, for the safety of all the students at this table, we highly encourage the classmate have a school provided lunch (which is allergen safe). Due to time constraints and the number of students in the lunchroom, individual home lunches are not checked for possible allergens.

Thank-you for helping to keep our students safe!
Nancy Connolly BA RN IL/PEL-CSN MA
School Nurse: Lincoln, Churchill and Forest Glen



Room Parties

As part of our security procedures we allow a maximum of three parent volunteers per classroom for each of our room parties. Parents will sign up to volunteer at the parties on our curriculum nights. No other parents or visitors will be allowed to attend the Halloween, Winter, and Valentine parties. As per our wellness policy, no food and drinks may be served.

Parent Volunteer Training

This year, we will again be training all of our new parent volunteers before they volunteer in the classroom, the library, the office, and at room parties. We will welcome you as a volunteer and review the “dos” and “don’ts” of volunteering. After parent volunteers attend their training session, they will have a name tag made that can be worn each time they are in the building. Parents who were trained last year, will be asked to review the “dos” and “don’ts” of volunteering and resign their confidentiality agreements prior to volunteering this year.





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Bricks 4 Kidz® is excited to introduce our programs to Forest Glen Elementary! Our after-school enrichment classes provide an exciting atmosphere for students to build unique creations, play games, and have loads of fun using LEGO® bricks. The activities are designed to trigger young children's lively imaginations and build their self-confidence. At Bricks 4 Kidz® we are focused on introducing students to principles of science, technology, engineering, architecture and math. We promote problem solving and higher level thinking with all of our themed units.

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How would you like to turn your next LEGO® creation into a robot, programmed to do exactly what you tell it to do? Students will use our proprietary project kits and model plans to build exciting moving creations. Our one-of-a-kind models incorporate gears, axles, motors, battery packs, & remote controls! The Bricks 4 Kidz® new Jr. Robotics program offers all the fun of building with LEGO® bricks, PLUS the challenge of computer programming! Using drag and drop icon based software, WeDo software provides an introduction into the world of computer – programming and robotics that will equip children to succeed in a technology-based marketplace. This fun, action packed program combines real-life skills with real-kid fun!

Dates: (Mondays)**9/26, 10/3, 10/17, 10/24, 11/7, 11/14******NO CLASS 10/10 & 10/31******Time: 3:35PM – 4:35 PM****Rate: \$100 / 6-Week Session****Grades: 4th & 5th****Min/Max: 8/14****Betsy Russo – Managing Director****Phone: 630-448-2451****Email: oakbrook@bricks4kidz.com****Web: www.bricks4kidz.com/oakbrook**

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Forest Glen Theatre Club!



*Do you love to act out stories, tell jokes, sing and dance?
Then Theatre Club is for you!*

Theatre Club is open to all 3rd-5th graders; Maximum club size of 30 students

- Club Description:** Students will learn basic drama techniques such as stage presence, blocking, movement and singing. At the end of the fall session students will perform a short musical theatre scene in front of an audience
- Rehearsals:** **Wednesdays** from **6:30-7:30pm** in the Old Gym starting September 21st.
There will be additional rehearsals closer to performances
- Performances:** December 16th Winter Assembly and January 10th General PTA Meeting
- Dues:** \$15 per child to be turned in with Registration Form.

All students interested in joining the first ever Forest Glen Theatre Club should return the below form to the school office or your home room teacher by **September 9th**

Register Today!! We have limited capacity and the enrollment is on a first come first serve basis!

Questions? Contact Kristina Lindahl at kmlindahl@hotmail.com /708-256-1271

Theatre Club Registration Form

Student Name: _____

Grade/Homeroom Teacher: _____

Parent/Guardian: _____

Evening phone: _____

E-mail: _____

E-mail will be the primary form of communication

Please make checks payable to Forest Glen PTA in the amount of \$15.



The Kiwanis Family



Kiwanis Club of Glen Ellyn, Kiwanis Club of Central DuPage County, Key Clubs of Glenbard East and Glenbard South, Builders Clubs of Glen Crest and Hadley Middle Schools and WDSRA Aktion Club

In partnership with the Glen Ellyn Park District

is delighted to announce an expansion of the Fish Release program to include 2 locations on **October 1, 2016**:

Foxcroft Lake and *Lake Ellyn*



These waters are being evaluated by the Glen Ellyn Park District pursuant to what fish are needed to keep these waters healthy and environmentally strong. Fish will be purchased from the Kane-DuPage Department of Soil and Water Conservation.

This event will be held in the Fall on **Saturday, October 1 at 8:30AM** and replaces the Spring fish release.

Children of all ages are invited to join in the fun. Each participant is asked to bring a non-perishable food item for the Glen Ellyn food pantry. Participants are given a bucket of fish which they carry to the water's edge and release. This continues until all fish reach their new water home.

How often do all children have the opportunity to actively improve their community and the environment while having a great time?

For questions please call: Rosie Reiter (630) 529-4370

Kiwanis International is a service organization primarily serving children locally and globally. For membership information go to our website at <http://www.kiwanis.org/>

Pumpkin Parade / Fall Fest

Costume Requirements: Students may not wear masks or headgear which obscure identity or create a safety concern, costume paraphernalia, such as theatrical props, imitation or real weapons, gruesome or bloody articles, and costumes and/or make up which are considered threatening or otherwise inappropriate. Students should not wear revealing clothing articles, short skirts/shorts, spaghetti straps or halters, and should have their midriffs covered at all times. Metal, plastic, or rubber cleats, shoes with wheels, or other shoes that may damage the floors may not be worn. Scooters, skateboards, rollerblades, skates, play equipment, and electronic devices may not be used as part of a costume.

The 20th annual pumpkin parade will be held on Monday, October 31. All EC/PreK and Kindergarten students will wear their costumes for their AM or PM sessions. The AM EC/PreK / Kindergarten parades and parties will take place between 10 - 11 AM and 1:30 - 2:30 PM. Students in Grades 1 - 5 have an extended morning. Lunch will take place from 12:40 - 1:35 PM. Students should not wear their costumes to school in the morning. The Pumpkin Parade will start at 1:45 PM. Fall Fest parties will begin immediately after the conclusion of the parade and will conclude at 3:00 PM.





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NOTIFICATION:

Head lice, which is a community based childhood nuisance, has intermittently been an occurrence with our students in School District 41. With camp outs, sleep overs, family get togethers, etc., we usually noticed an increase in the number of students with head lice, especially after holiday breaks and summer breaks.

Head lice, which are found worldwide, are parasitic insects that live close to the scalp and require human blood to survive. Head lice move by crawling; they have special legs that cling to individual hair shafts; they cannot hop or fly, and are spread by direct prolonged head to head contact with the hair of an infested person. They are **rarely** spread by contact with clothing or other personal items, as they do not live off of a human host for more than 1 – 2 days. Head lice do not spread disease.

You can help stop the spread of head lice by prevention, observation, appropriate treatment, and communication.

- o Encourage your child to refrain from hugging, play wrestling, and other modes of head to head contact with other children.
- o Please check your child's head throughout the school year; especially if they are complaining of an itchy scalp. If you would like information with descriptions of what lice nits and head lice look like, call the health office at your child's school or visit the web sites listed below.
- o If you discover lice or nits (lice eggs) you can use over the counter pediculocide shampoos (Rid or Nix). It is important that you follow the directions on the container. Do not repeat the shampoo more often than recommended. Check with your pediatrician and pharmacist for guidance if you have questions about the benefits or risks of any treatments. After shampooing, you must comb the hair and remove as many nits as possible, especially ones 1/4th inch or closer to the scalp. Removing as many nits as possible will help avoid confusion as you continue to check your child's head for the next few weeks.
- o Please inform the health office staff if you detect head lice or nits so we can contact you to gather information to hopefully find out where the case of head lice may have originated. The health office maintains your child's confidentiality and is available to offer guidance in the treatment or follow-up care for the lice detection.
- o District 41 has a new lice policy in effect (located on the main web site: www.d41.org. Click on School Board, then Board Policy Manual, locate Section 7: Students and scroll down to 7:250 AP2. This updated head lice policy reflects evidence based research conducted by the CDC (Center for Disease Control), ACP (American Academy of Pediatrics), and NASN (National Association of School Nurses).
- o The health office addresses head lice in the school setting, guided by recommendations set by the above stated reputable Federal resources. We highly regard confidentiality and are committed to work closely with parents/guardians to assist in eliminating the head lice pest by providing guidance and information in a nonjudgmental manner, with the goal being to eliminate/destroy lice/nits and minimize the possibility of reinfestation.

Thank you for your help with this annoying pest. For further information, you can check the Center for Disease Control website – www.cdc.gov or the National PTA website – www.pta.org. American Academy of Pediatrics-www.aap.org.

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School Nurse: Lincoln, Churchill and Forest Glen

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Glen Ellyn School District 41, Superintendent Dr. Paul Gordon

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September, 2016

Dear Parent:

On Friday, November 11th, 2016 from 1:30pm to 3:00pm Forest Glen Elementary School **Fifth** graders will be **visited by the Robert Crown Education Center** in Hinsdale to learn about adolescent growth and development. This is a change from previous years when the students went to Robert Crown Center. The Robert Crown curriculum parallels District 41 health curriculum, and supports State of Illinois education standards in the areas of adolescent health; including adolescent health risk reduction, positive health practices, and effects of health related actions on body systems. While the general emphasis of instruction is on anatomy, bodily changes and basic hygiene, social and emotional aspects of entering puberty are also discussed. The 85 minute classes are separated by gender, with the boys attending the "Michael - Puberty Education for Boys Program", and the girls attending the "Linda - Puberty Education for Girls Program".

A Robert Crown curriculum **Parent Information Night** will be held in conjunction with all District 41 5th grade parents on **Tuesday, September, 27th, 2016 at 7:00 p.m. at the Hadley LMC (240 Hawthorne Ave.)**. **Parents (no students at this meeting)** who have questions or would like further information about the program should join us that evening. Parents may also find out information about the Robert Crown Health Education Center and the "Michael" and "Linda" programs by visiting the Robert Crown website www.robertcrown.org.

All 5th grade students will attend this event, unless a parent/guardian provides in writing to the teacher they want their child to opt out of the Robert Crown presentation.

Sincerely,

Forest Glen 5th grade Teachers

Mary Hornacek
Forest Glen Elementary Principal

Nancy Connolly BA RN IL/PEL-CSN MA
School Nurse

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September 12, 2016

Dear Parents,

Last spring, students in grades 3 - 8 took the state test, Partnership for Assessment of Readiness for College and Careers (PARCC). District results will be available at the end of October.

Your child's results will be viewable in Skyward on September 12, 2016. If you would like a paper copy of your child's results, please contact the school office.

For additional information about the PARCC test and understanding your child's results, see below.

- Score Report Interpretation Guide for Parents
<http://www.isbe.net/assessment/pdfs/parcc/2016/parcc-spring-16-score-interpretation-guide-parents.pdf>
- PARCC score results page - www.parcconline.org/assessments/score-results
- Understand the Score - <http://understandthescore.org/your-state/illinois/>

Thank You,

Mary Hornacek, Principal
Forest Glen Elementary School
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Dear Forest Glen Families:

This year, Glen Ellyn School District 41 will continue to use the Measures of Academic Progress (MAP) test in reading and math. Students in kindergarten through eighth grade will take these online tests three times a year in the fall, winter, and spring. The fall testing window is September 7 - September 23, during which your child will spend approximately two hours completing MAP tests.

The MAP Tests help determine your child's instructional level and measure academic growth throughout the school year, and from year to year. MAP tests are unique in that they are interactive, adapting to the appropriate learning level while your child is answering the questions. Therefore, the MAP test specifically measures your child's actual learning level, regardless of whether it is above or below grade level, and each student has the same opportunity to succeed and maintain a positive attitude toward testing. And MAP tests use less class time while providing detailed and accurate information to the teacher about your child's growth; usually, the teacher will have results by the following day. Results of each of your child's tests will be shared with you at fall conferences.

The MAP tests are being aligned to the Common Core State Standards in reading and math that Illinois adopted.

If you would like to learn more about MAP, visit www.nwea.org and type "Parent Toolkit" in the site search engine.

If you have any questions, please contact your child's teachers or me.

Sincerely,
Mary Hornacek
Principal

SCHOOL SPIRIT TASTES GREAT



Make dinner a selfless act by joining us for a fundraiser to support Forest Glen Elementary. Come in to the Chipotle at **695 Roosevelt** in Glen Ellyn on **Wednesday, September 14th** between **4:00pm** and **9:00pm**. Bring in this flyer, show it on your smartphone or tell the cashier you're supporting the cause to make sure that 50% of the proceeds will be donated to Forest Glen Elementary.



Gift card purchases during fundraisers do not count towards total donated sales, but purchases made with an existing gift card will count.



September

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| 1 | 6:30 PM - Kindergarten Curriculum Night 7:15 PM - Grade 1 Curriculum Night | | |
| 2 | Spirit Wear Day 2:00 PM - Eagle Assembly - Welcome Back | 16 | SIP Day - Hat Day 11:30 AM Dismissal (NOTE - Earlier Dismissal Time) No ECSE and Kindergarten Attendance |
| 5 | Labor Day - No School | 19 | Picture Retake Day |
| 13 | 6:30 PM - Committee Chair Training - LMC 7:00 PM - PTA Meeting - LMC | 20 | 6:30 PM - Eureka Math Parent Education Meeting - Hadley |
| 14 | 9:00 AM - Literacy Parent Education Meeting - Hadley Forest Glen Restaurant Night at Chipotle | 23 | 9:00 AM - Eureka Math Parent Education Meeting - Hadley |
| 15 | 6:00 - 7:00 PM - EC / PreK Ice Cream Social 6:30 PM - Literacy Parent Education Meeting - Hadley | 27 | 7:00 PM - Robert Crown Parent Informational Meeting - Hadley |



October

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| 3 | Vision and Hearing Screening 7:00 PM - BOE Meeting - CSO | 20 | 7:00 PM - Hobby Night |
| 4 | Vision and Hearing Screening | 21 | Wear Pink - Breast Cancer Awareness Day |
| 5 | Walk to School Day | 27 | 6:45 PM - FG and BF Grade 4 Orchestra Demo Concert - BF 7:00 PM - Chess Club |
| 6 | 7:00 PM - Chess Club | 28 | Spirit Wear Day SIP Day No EC / PreK / Kindergarten attendance Crazy Sock Day 11:30 AM Dismissal |
| 7 | Spirit Wear Day | 31 | Halloween 10:00 AM - EC / PreK / Kdg Parade and Parties 12:40 - 1:35 PM - Lunch 1:45 PM - Pumpkin Parade and Parties |
| 10 | Columbus Day - No School | | |
| 11 | Institute Day - No School | | |
| 13 | 7:00 PM - Chess Club | | |
| 18 | 3:40 - 4:50 PM - PTA Charity Club | | |

Student Services Parent Advisory Council (SSPAC)

SSPAC is an open group available to parents, teachers, and staff promoting awareness, education, advocacy, and acceptance of different learners within Glen Ellyn School District 41.

Please join us for our September events!

Parent Coffee - Tuesday, September 13th, 2016

**9:15-11:00 am at the Glen Ellyn Public Library - Meeting Room B,
400 Duane Street**

Parent Social following Temple Grandin Event - Wednesday, September 21, 2016

Glenbard Parent Series presents:

Temple Grandin

Different...Not Less

**3:00pm and again at 7:00pm at Glenbard East High School, 1014 S. Main St. in
Lombard**

Temple Grandin, Ph.D. is the most accomplished and well-known adult with autism in the world. Dr. Grandin is an author, animal scientist, and autism self-advocate who inspires and motivates others through her story.

<http://www.glenbardgps.org/event/different-not-less/>

***Please join us after the 7:00 pm presentation for a parent social at
Main Street Pub – 466 N. Main Street, Glen Ellyn***

Group Co-Chairs 2016-2017

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| Lisa Brooks | 630-297-2603 | lisa@thebrookshouse.com |
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How to access student Google Accounts from home



Step 1: Download Chrome to your computer.

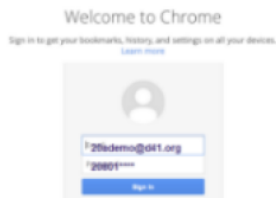


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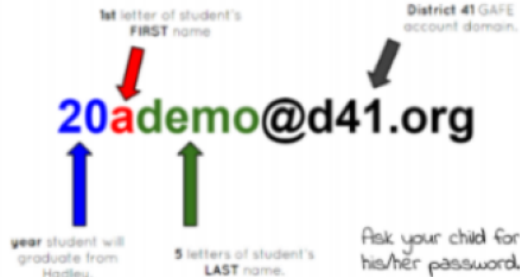
You can go to google.com and click "sign in" in the top right corner.




Step 2: Sign in to your student's account.



Student Username



Step 3: Now you have access to their Google Drive to view their work and also to see their Google Classrooms. Search Google Classroom and select the link or click the this  icon.

Now when signed in you should automatically see your child's classrooms.

