

# Eagle Kidge



## Principals NOTE

This week Muscogee County will be participating in The Great Kindness Challenge. The Great Kindness Challenge was founded in 2011 when a global, nonprofit organization called Kids For Peace was asked to help create a more positive, unified, and respectful school environment. The heart of the challenge is the simple belief that we can grow kindness to help our schools, communities, and even our world become a more compassionate place for all. We will have daily challenges to encourage students to complete as many acts of kindness as possible! Together we can show the world that kindness matters!

-Amy Parker, Principal

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Menu items are subject to chanae

Monday	
Cheeseburger	
Potato Wedges	
Fruit	

Tuesdav **Beef Nachos** Beans Fruit

### Wednesday

Chicken Noodle Soup Squash Fruit

Thursday **BBQ** Chicken

Sandwich Fries Cole Slaw

Friday Pizza

Green Beans/Garden Salad

### Week of: January 27th

### MPORTANT information...

- This week January 27<sup>th</sup> January 31<sup>st</sup>, ERA will be participating the Great Kindness Challenge. This is one week devoted to performing as many acts of kindness as possible at our school. For our weekly schedule of activities and dress up days, please see page 3.
- ERA PTO is sponsoring a Valentine's Day Candy Gram Fundraiser during February 6<sup>th</sup> – 11<sup>th</sup>. Each Candy Gram is \$1.00. For more information, please see page 4.
- Stay tuned for more information about our annual ERA PTO Fun Run! Our goal is to raise \$20,000 for school enhancements and to strengthen our school community. This fundraiser will take place February 19<sup>th</sup> – 27<sup>th</sup> with the run held on February 27<sup>th</sup>.
- On Monday, January 27th, ERA's Pre-K and Kindergarten classes will be celebrating our 100<sup>th</sup> Day of School. Some ideas to celebrate this day could be creating a t-shirt or dressing like you are 100 years old!
- YEARBOOKS ARE NOW ON SALE!! See page 5 for more details.

### Jatecto REMEMBER

January 27th -31st Great Kindness Challenge

February 14th Teacher Planning No School for Students

February 6th-11th

Valentine's Day **Candy Gram Sales**  President's Day No School

February 7th **Progress Reports** 

February 7th PTO Meeting @ 1:00 February 17th

### Don't **FORGET**

- As a reminder, students must be fever free for 24 hours before returning to school.
- For safety purposes, parents please stay off your cellphones in car rider line, (officers will issue tickets).
- Transfer any outside food into a generic bag before entering the cafeteria.









# Eagle Ridge Academy School Counselor Connections

Ms. Bray

7576 Raider Way, 706-569-3746

January 2025

Notes from Ms. Bray

During January 27nd - 31st, ERA will participate in the Great Kindness Challenge! Our theme this year is Kindness Moves! The GKC is a proactive and positive SEL-focused bullying prevention program that improves school climate and Increases student engagement. This is one week devoted to performing as many acts of kindness as possible at our school By using the kindness checklist, students will accept the challenge and show our community - and the world - that here, at ERA, KINDNESS MOVES!

Career **Clusters/Pathways** 

Manufacturing; Transportation, Distribution & Logistics



### **Core Curriculum** Classes

Social Emotional

Learning -

Kindness

SMART Goal

Setting

Great Kindness

Challenge

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Character Word for January -Kindness Kindness - Being gentle, willing to help, friendly, courteous, and considerate. Showing positive regard for others in manners, 7 speech, behavior, etc.



### **Affirmations** for January

Good manners can open closed doors. Bad manners can close open doors.

Only by giving are you able to receive more than you already have. It's not only what you say, it's also how you say it.



# WEEKLY SCHEDULE OF ACTIVITIES JANUARY 27 – 31st, 2025 THEME: KINDNESS MOVES!

### Monday

Spirit Day: Team ERA – wear your favorite Eagle Ridge Academy shirt!

Daily Challenge: Say THANK YOU to Admin today when they say Good Morning!

Kindness quote: "Let today be a day to let Kindness rule all your actions." (Jonathan Lockwood Hui)

Kindness Video: "Kindness by the Juicebox Jukebox"

### Tuesday

Spirit Day: Team USA – wear your favorite Red, White and Blue shirt!

Daily Challenge: Help our playground/school grounds – pick up 5 pieces of trash and throw away!

Kindness quote: "A warm smile is the universal language of kindness." (William Arthur Ward)

Kindness Video: "The Kindness Song"

### Wednesday

Spirit Day: Team Holiday – wear your favorite holiday (Christmas, Valentine's, Halloween, etc.) shirt!

Daily Challenge: Give A High Five to 5 different people today!

Kindness quote: "Happiness is not a station you arrive at, but a manner of traveling. (Margaret B. Runbeck)

Kindness Video: "It's Easy to be Kind Song"

### Thursday

Spirit day: Color the world with Kindness – wear your favorite COLOR shirt!

Daily Challenge: Use PLEASE and THANK YOU when you go through the cafeteria line!

Kindness quote: "Be kind whenever possible. It is always possible." (Dalai Lama)

Kindness Video: "Sprinkle Kindness Everywhere"

### Friday

Spirit day: Team Superhero - wear your favorite Superhero shirt!

Daily Challenge: Stay off social media and video games after school! Give your brain a break!

Kindness quote: "Every time you smile at someone, it is an action of love, a gift to that person, a beautiful

thing." (Mother Teresa)

Kindness Video: "Thankful by the Juicebox Jukebox"



Valentine Gram fundraiser!

Each candy gram is \$1.00 (CASH ONLY) and you can send as many as you'd like.

Candy Grams are ONLY sold at drop off from 7am-7:40am in the school lobby from February 6th through February 11th.

Candy grams will be delivered to classrooms on



# DON'T FORGET TO PURCHASE THE

# EAGLE RIDGE ACADEMY YEARBOOK!

### **BEFORE THE DEADLINE!**

To purchase your yearbook go to:

Treering.com



### **Regular Price:**

\*Does not include sales tax, if applicable

\$35.00

To Purchase Your Yearbook, Use The QR Code Below, or:

Must be a parent or student 13 years or older.

1 Go to: www.treering.com/validate

2 Enter your school's passcode: 1016950614284793

Deadline: Apr 25







### BIRTHDAY GREETING PTO FUNDRAISER

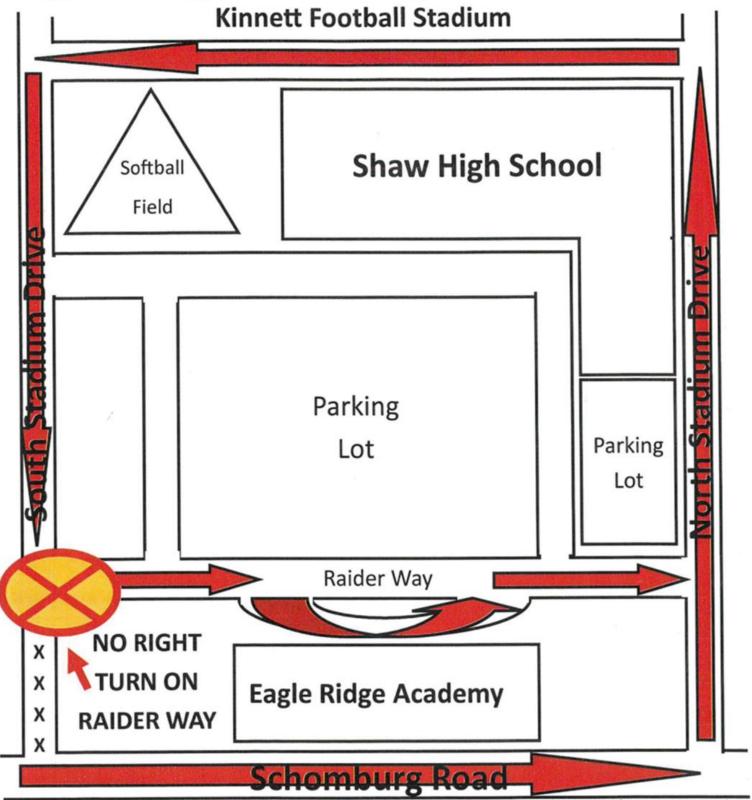
Have your child's birthday announced on our electronic sign!!
The birthday greeting will run for the entire week of your child's birthday. Complete the PTO form below, attach your \$10 CASH ONLY donation and return to your child's teacher or to the school office.

Thank you for participating in Eagle Ridge Academy Birthday Greetings! You may send the completed PTO form and donation in advance, and we will ensure the message runs on the appropriate month.

Student's Name:	
Parent's Name:	
Parent's Phone Number: _	
Student's Birthday:	
HR Teacher:	

This form must be completed and returned by the 25th of the month (except September 2024 birthdays) to guarantee your space on our digital sign.

# Eagle Ridge Academy Traffic Pattern



Please remain aware of the MCSD traffic initiative for Eagle Ridge Academy. We strive to ease the traffic by following the above designated pattern. We appreciate your support and compliance with our efforts.

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