

EKAPS NEWSLETTER

NOVEMBER 18–21, 2025

Reminder

NO SCHOOL– *Next week*
11/24/25 – 11/28/25
Thanksgiving Break

Wonderland Grams

- ✦ Wonderland Grams are back!
- ✦ Surprise your student with a special goody bag that includes a cute stuffed animal, candy, and small toys.

Quantities are limited — order yours today before they're gone!

Fun Food Wednesdays

Taco Bell – 12/10

**All orders must be placed
no later than noon on 12/5**

Upcoming Event

Chuck E Cheese
Fundraiser

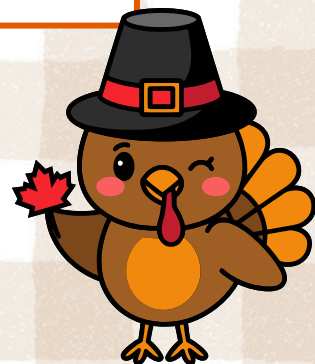
Friday Dec. 5, 2025

Upcoming Field Trip

Bodies the Exhibition for 6th-grade students on Friday, January 23, 2026. Click on the link to sign up your student.

[Permission slips and payments](#) are due by noon on January 16thst.

Limited Seats Available!





"Stay in the Loop"

Use your student's EKAPS email and password to access Google Classroom and quickly review assignments and announcements together. Don't have the login? Email parentportal@ekacademy.org with your student's name and grade.

OPEN Enrollment – 2026–2027 School Year
NOW Available

Please log in to your EKAPS Parent Portal (Infinite Campus) and complete your student's [2026–2027 re-registration under More → Online Registration PARENTS ONLY](#). Be sure to select the [2026–2027 application](#). All students must re-register to hold their seat; if this isn't submitted before October 15 (when enrollment opens to the public), your student may be placed on a waiting list. You can add new sibling students during OLR by selecting Add Student when prompted. If your address has changed, please submit proof of address before completing registration by emailing it to rwalls@ekacademy.org.





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Contact Us

EKAPS Teacher & Staff Emails

HELPFUL LINKS

[Explore More After-Care Registration](#)

[Payment: Explore More After-Care Program](#)

[Pre-Arranged Absence Form](#)

[Absence Note](#)

[EKAPS Attendance Policy](#)

[Family Handbook of EKAPS Policies](#)

[EKAPS Events Calendar](#)

[EKAPS Swag](#)

[Better Lunch](#)

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December
2-12

Wonderland
Grams
K-12



Goody Bag - \$5

Buy with cash at lunch or on the
EKAPS webstore



THE DRAMATIC DRAGONS PRESENT

WINTER'S MOST



WANTED

DECEMBER 10, 2025 @ 4:30

Tickets: \$5

EKAPS students and children under 5 attend free
Order tickets online or pay cash at the door





Join us for the 2025

PRESIDENT'S HOLIDAY VILLAGE



Hosted by UNLV in partnership with United Movement Organized Kindness and the Las Vegas Metropolitan Police Department

BOUNCE HOUSES - HOLIDAY CHARACTERS - TOUCH-A-TRUCK
FACE PAINTING - BALLOON ARTISTS - FARM ANIMAL YARD

FREE HOLIDAY GIFT FOR YOUTH (18 YEARS & YOUNGER)

RESOURCE AND ACTIVITY FAIR FOR ALL AGES AND STAGES

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 13, 2025

10 AM - 1 PM | UNLV LOT R

920 COTTAGE GROVE AVE, LAS VEGAS

FREE EVENT - REGISTRATION REQUIRED



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or SCAN QR CODE TO REGISTER



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EMPOWERING MINDS

A FAMILY GUIDE TO THE 7 MINDSETS

WE ARE CONNECTED

The We Are Connected Mindset encourages a sense of connectedness to others. It shows us that life is happier and more meaningful when we build good relationships. This mindset teaches students to be kind, work well with others, and appreciate friendships. It also helps them see that they're never truly alone—friends, family, teachers, and their community are always there to help. Research shows that students who have supportive relationships are healthier, both as they grow up and later in life.



PRACTICAL TIPS FOR YOUR FAMILY

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- **Model and Celebrate Kindness:** Show your child how to care about others and appreciate what makes them unique. Encourage and support your child to be kind and celebrate their compassion.
- **Build Community Connections:** Do activities together as a family, such as volunteering or going to community events to meet people. These shared experiences will show your child how to create strong relationships.
- **Inspire with Purpose:** Teach your child to build friendships by helping others—whether it's including someone in an activity at school or helping a sibling at home. By seeing how even small acts of kindness can make a big difference, children will feel proud and find purpose in their relationships.

MINDSET MATTERS

Here are ways we want to support your child:

- **Embrace Everyone:** Teaching your child to embrace everyone encourages acceptance and kindness, showing them the value of kindness and the unique qualities each person brings.
- **Maximize Positive Relationships:** Helping your child build and focus on positive relationships helps them feel supported and encourages a life full of trust and happiness.
- **Build Your Dream Team:** Encouraging your child to surround themselves with people who inspire and support them builds a foundation for personal and shared success.
- **Lead with Value:** Motivating your child to lead with value teaches them to help others and make a positive impact in their relationships.



CONVERSATION STARTERS

Use these questions to engage in a conversation with your child/children.

- What's one thing you admire about a friend, family member, or teacher? How could you let them know how much you appreciate them?
- What are some ways you can support someone who feels left out?

EKAPS BOLETÍN SEMANAL

NOVIEMBRE 18-21, 2025

Recordatorio

NO HAY ESCUELA - La semana que viene
11/24 - 11/28/25

Vacaciones de Acción de Gracias

Gramos del País de las Maravillas

✨ Los gramos del País de las Maravillas están de vuelta! ✨
Sorprende a tu estudiante con una bolsa especial que incluye un lindo animal de peluche, dulces y juguetes pequeños. Las cantidades de son limitadas: ¡Ordene la suya hoy antes de que se hayan ido!

Divertidos miércoles de comida

Taco Bell - 10/12

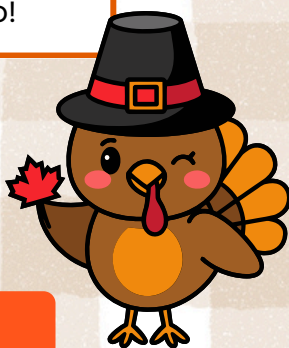
Todos los pedidos deben realizarse a más tardar al mediodía del 5/12

Proximos Eventos

Recaudación de fondos de Chuck E Cheese el viernes 5 de diciembre de 2025

PRÓXIMAS EXCURSIONES

Cuerpo La Exposición para estudiantes de 6o grado el viernes 23 de enero de 2026. Haga clic en el enlace para inscribir a su estudiante. Los [recibos de permisos y pagos deben realizarse](#) antes del mediodía del 16 de enero. ¡Asientos limitados disponibles!





"Mantente informado"

Usa el correo electrónico y la contraseña de EKAPS de tu estudiante para acceder a Google Classroom y revisar rápidamente las tareas y los anuncios juntos. ¿No tienes el inicio de sesión? Envíe un correo electrónico a parentportal-ekacademy.org con el nombre y la calificación.

Inscripción ABIERTA - Año escolar 2026-2027
AHORA disponible

Por favor, inicie sesión en su Portal de Padres de EKAPS (Infinite Campus) y complete la [reinscripción 2026-2027 de su estudiante bajo Más → Registro en línea SOLO PARA PADRES](#). Asegúrese de seleccionar la [aplicación 2026-2027](#).

Todos los estudiantes deben volver a registrarse para ocupar su asiento; si esto no se envía antes del 15 de octubre (cuando la inscripción se abre al público), su estudiante puede ser colocado en una lista de espera. Puede agregar nuevos estudiantes hermanos durante OLR seleccionando Agregar estudiante cuando se le solicite. Si su dirección ha cambiado, envíe un comprobante de domicilio antes de completar el registro enviándolo por correo electrónico a rwall@ekacademy.org.



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ENLACES UTILES

Explora más Registro post-cuidado

Pago: Explore más Programa de atención posterior

Formulario de ausencia pre-organizado

Nota de ausencia

Manual Familiar de Políticas EKAPS

Política de asistencia de EKAPS

Calendario de eventos de EKAPS

Mercancía de EKAPS

Biblioteca Whitney Ranch

Mejor Almuerzo

Divertidos miércoles de comida

Almacenamiento seguro de armas de fuego

Leap4Fun

Donaciones inspiradoras de
•Smith

La Busqueda - Explore
Knowledge Foundation - FF743



Acompáñanos para el 2025



EVENTO FESTIVO DEL PRESIDENTE

Organizado por UNLV en asociación con United Movement Organized Kindness
y el Departamento de Policía Metropolitana de Las Vegas

CASAS DE REBOTE - CARICATURAS FESTIVAS
TOCAR-UN-CAMIÓN - PINTURA FACIAL - ARTISTAS DE GLOBOS
PATIO DE ANIMALES DE GRANJA

REGALO NAVIDEÑO GRATUITO PARA JÓVENES (18 AÑOS O MENOS)

FERIA DE RECURSOS Y ACTIVIDADES PARA TODAS LAS EDADES Y ETAPAS

SÁBADO, 13 DE DICIEMBRE DE 2025
10 AM - 1 PM | UNLV ESTACIONAMIENTO R
920 COTTAGE GROVE AVE, LAS VEGAS

EVENTO GRATUITO - REGISTRO REQUERIDO



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EMPODERANDO MENTES

UNA GUÍA FAMILIAR PARA LAS 7 MENTALIDADES

ESTAMOS CONECTADOS

La mentalidad de “Estamos Conectados” promueve un sentido de conexión con los demás. Nos muestra que la vida es más feliz y valiosa cuando construimos buenas relaciones. Esta mentalidad enseña a los niños a ser amables, a trabajar bien con los demás y a valorar la amistad. También les ayuda a ver que nunca están realmente solos: los amigos, la familia, los maestros y su comunidad siempre están ahí para ayudar. La investigación muestra que los niños que tienen relaciones de apoyo son más saludables, tanto a medida que crecen como en etapas posteriores de la vida.



CONSEJOS PRÁCTICOS PARA TU FAMILIA

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- **Modela y celebra la amabilidad:** Muestra a tu hijo/a cómo cuidar a los demás y valorar lo que los hace únicos. Anímalo/a a ser amable y celebra su compasión.
- **Construye conexiones comunitarias:** Realiza actividades juntos como familia, como hacer voluntariado o asistir a eventos comunitarios para conocer a otras personas. Estas experiencias compartidas enseñarán a tu hijo/a a crear relaciones fuertes.
- **Inspira con propósito:** Enseña a tu hijo/a a construir amistades ayudando a los demás. Al ver cómo pequeños actos de amabilidad pueden hacer una gran diferencia, los niños se sentirán orgullosos y encontrarán propósito en sus relaciones.

LA MENTALIDAD IMPORTA

Aquí hay maneras en las que queremos apoyar a tu hijo/a:

- **Aceptar a Todos:** Enseñar a tu hijo/a a aceptar a todos promueve la amabilidad y el respeto, mostrándoles el valor de la bondad y las cualidades únicas que cada persona aporta.
- **Maximiza las Relaciones Positivas:** Ayudar a tu hijo/a a construir relaciones positivas les permite sentirse apoyados y promueve una vida de confianza y felicidad.
- **Construye el Equipo de Tus Sueños:** Animar a tu hijo/a a rodearse de personas que los inspiren y apoyen crea una base para el éxito personal y compartido.
- **Lidera con Valor:** Motivar a tu hijo/a a liderar con valores les enseña a ayudar a los demás y a tener un impacto positivo en sus relaciones.



INICIADORES DE CONVERSACIÓN

Usa estas preguntas para conversar con tu hijo/a.

- ¿Cuál es una cosa que admiras de un amigo, un miembro de la familia o un maestro? ¿Cómo podrías hacerle saber cuánto lo aprecias?
- ¿Qué formas hay para apoyar a alguien que se siente excluido?



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when our organization is mentioned.

EVENT INFORMATION

LOCATION: **CHUCK E. CHEESE®**

TIME: **3:00 PM**

ORGANIZATION: **EXPLORE KNOWLEDGE ACADEMY**

EVENT DATE: **DEC. 5, 2025**

EVENT ADDRESS:

1521 W. SUNSET RD.

HENDERSON, NV 89014

To find out more, check out **chuckecheese.com**

CHUCK E. CHEESE®

FR Panel #8337

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EXPIRES 12/31/26

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FR Panel #8166

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& 4 Regular Fountain
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GOVERNOR LOMBARDO'S MULTIMEDIA CHALLENGE

THE SPIRIT OF NEVADA PRESERVED IN TIME

OVERVIEW

Discover the rich tapestry of Nevada through art! This contest invites artists to capture Nevada's diverse heritage, stunning landscapes, and compelling stories through a variety of mediums. It's a celebration of community spirit and Nevada's vibrant creative culture.

PURPOSE

Imagine your artwork preserved for future generations in Nevada's time capsule, set to be opened in 2064, Nevada's 200th birthday. Finalists will have exciting opportunities to meet the Governor, earn an official signed certificate, and showcase their work at the Nevada State Capitol.

SUBJECT MATTER

Create art that celebrates what it's like to live in Nevada today. Focus on themes like Nevada's breathtaking natural beauty, its fascinating history, and its unique cultural identity.

CATEGORIES

Small Sculpture & Ceramic |
Painting & Drawing | Photography | Video

AGE GROUPS

Elementary, Middle School,
& High School Students

SUBMISSION GUIDELINES

PAINTING/DRAWING

- ☐ 12x18 inches max
- ☐ No glue on paper

PHOTOGRAPHY

- ☐ JPEG file
- ☐ 12x18 inches max

SCULPTURE

- ☐ 12x12 inches max

VIDEO

- ☐ 1-15 mins
- ☐ H.264 MP4 format

Email digital pictures of artwork to JoshMeny@gov.nv.gov
Finalists will send physical pieces to the Governor's Office.

DEADLINE:

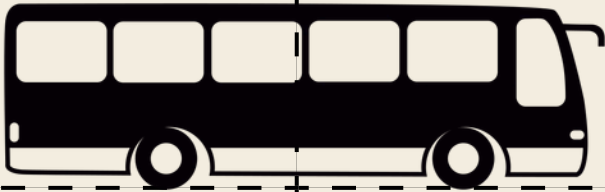
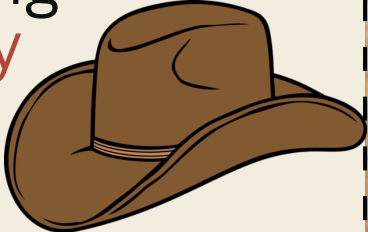
All entries must be submitted by January 6, 2026

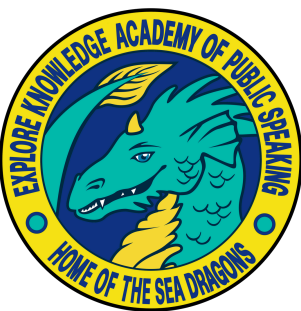




NOVEMBER 2025



TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
4	5 Jimmy Johns Lunch 	6 K/1 Field Trip 	7 8th Grade Field Trip
11 No School	12 COWnt Day Polka Dot/ Cow spot Day 	13 NWEA Testing Superhero Day 	14 NWEA Testing Western Day 
18	19	20	21
25 No School	26 No School	27 No School	28 No School



EKAPS CURRENT AFTER-SCHOOL CLUBS



TUESDAY

K-2	<u>CHEER</u>	3:30-4:15
3-5	<u>DANCE</u>	3:30-4:15
6-12	GAME CLUB	3:45-4:45
9-12	IMPROV CLUB	3:45-4:45

WEDNESDAY

3-5	<u>CHEER</u>	3:30-4:15
6-12	SCIENCE OLYMPIAD	3:45-4:45

THURSDAY

K-5	<u>KARATE</u>	3:30-4:15
6-12	DANCE TEAM	3:45-4:45
6-12	D&D	3:40-4:45

FRIDAY

K-5	<u>CHESS</u>	3:30-4:45
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