

# Golden Eagle E-Blast

## March 31, 2022



### Information You Need For The 22/23 School Year

This is always a fun time of year for the Archway Glendale school office staff as they are planning for the end of this school year and the beginning of next school year!

Please be watching the Golden Eagle E-blasts over the next month for details regarding supplies, Meet the Teacher, etc.

**22/23 Student Materials available now. Use the link below.**

Spread out your back-to-school costs, by purchasing student materials now. Student materials include math textbooks and workbooks, Spalding notebooks, literature, etc. Students write in these materials so they can not be used year to year. To help Archway Glendale offset the cost, families are asked to purchase these materials if able. If it is a hardship for your family, please contact the school office for assistance. Student Materials will be delivered to classrooms for Meet the Teacher.

[22/23 Student Materials](#)

### Quarter 3 Grades Are Now Available on the Great Hearts Parent Portal

The [Great Hearts Parent Portal](#) is now open for viewing quarter three grades. Please contact [Erinn Mobley](#) or the school office at 623.866.4710 with any issues or questions.

### Quarter 4 Faculty/Staff Led Clubs

There are still spots available in some of the quarter 4 faculty/staff led clubs. Please click [here](#) for club info and to sign up. Clubs will begin next week (4/4) and end the week of May 16th.

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#### Important Dates

**4/15**  
NO SCHOOL

**4/28**  
VOLUNTEER TEA  
Details may be found in class newsletters

**5/5**  
SPRING CONCERT  
1st - 5th Grade

**5/6**  
HALF DAY  
Pickup:  
Half-day Kinder @ 11  
Full-day Kinder, 1st and 2nd @

## **Mandatory Spring Concert: First Through Fifth Grade**

Archway Glendale's Spring Concert is back and in person on Thursday, May 5th. The evening will include student musical performances from first through fifth graders (kindergarten students will perform during the Kinder Concert Celebration on May 26th). The Spring Concert is presented by Archway Glendale music teachers, Mrs. Oganessian (K-1) and Miss Hendricks (2-5). This event will demonstrate the culmination of knowledge and skills developed over the course of this school year.

The Archway Glendale Spring Concert features songs performed by each grade level, as well as student solo performances.

Attendance at the spring concert is **MANDATORY** for all first through fifth grade students and will be reflected in their final grades. If you have any questions or concerns, please direct them to [Sara Swinford](#).

As the concert grows nearer, more information will be sent to families via email. Please see below for all current information you may need for marking your calendars and beginning to plan for the Archway Glendale Spring Concert.

**Archway Glendale Spring Concert:**  
Theme: Strengthening Our Roots

When: Thursday, May 5<sup>th</sup>

- 1st & 2nd Grade Concert: 5:00pm
- 3rd through 5th Grade Concert: 6:00pm

Where: Haven Church (formerly Glendale Nazarene Church) | 5902 W Cactus Rd, Glendale, AZ 85304

Who: ALL First through Fifth Grade Students (kindergarten students will perform at the Kinder Concert Celebration on May 26th.)

**DRESSCODE:**

- First, Second, Third, and Fourth Grade Students: Students should wear their best and cleanest school uniforms. Student hair should be styled neatly.
- **FIFTH GRADE ONLY** will wear concert black. (Fifth grade students' concert attire should cover the same

11:30  
3rd, 4th and 5th @ 11:45

**5/23 - 5/27**  
**HALF DAYS**  
Pickup:  
Half-day Kinder @ 11  
Full-day Kinder, 1st and 2nd @  
11:30  
3rd, 4th and 5th @ 11:45

**5/26**  
**KINDER CONCERT**  
**CELEBRATION**

**5/26**  
**5TH GRADE PROMOTION**

**5/27**  
**LAST DAY OF SCHOOL**

area as their school uniforms.)

- o Ladies: black dress or black skirt/pants with a black blouse, black tights or socks, and black dress shoes.
- o Gentlemen: black dress slacks, black button-down shirt, black belt, black socks, black dress shoes, and (optional) black tie/bowtie.

For any questions regarding the dress code, please direct them to [doganessian@archwayglendale.org](mailto:doganessian@archwayglendale.org) (K-1); [ehendricks@archwayglendale.org](mailto:ehendricks@archwayglendale.org) (2-5).

## Lost and Found



If your child has lost a sweater, water bottle, belt, or lunch/snack items, please have them check the lost and found daily. It's located right outside the school library and can be checked before or after school or by asking a teacher for permission. Clearly labeled items are returned to the student's classroom. Items that have not been claimed will be donated or thrown away after a couple of weeks. Parents are welcome to check the lost and found themselves. Please come to the school office to sign in (make sure to bring in your state-issued ID.)

## GP (Glendale Prep) Sports Info

### Save the Dates:

Spring Sports Ceremony: 5/19 @ 5:30

**APO Volunteers:** The APO is a group of parent volunteers at games! Email the [APO](#) to join or learn more!

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## Headmaster Corner

Dear Archway Glendale Families,

Last week I was able to join our art and music teachers along with thousands of educators from across the country at the annual Classical Education National Symposium in Phoenix. This year's symposium theme was beauty and the fine arts. Our team and I left invigorated with new ideas to foster opportunities for beauty, music, and art at our school as we are continually striving to grow in these areas. I have solicited my mom, a former college art history teacher, to help us select additional artwork to decorate our hallways so that students are immersed in art as they walk to and from class. Our art teachers are preparing a summer project to paint a mural in the MPR. We were awarded a grant that allows us to install storage solutions in the classroom to make the classrooms more beautiful. The music teachers are working hard on preparing the best music concert yet! We are planning for additional clubs for next year that offer artistic opportunities.

We also left the symposium with a deeper understanding of what beauty is. While beauty is complex to define, I do know with certainty that human beings seek it and are drawn to it. Children sing before they speak, dance before they walk, and color before they write. Beauty touches are spirit and lifts our souls. Music can even help people withstand pain and tragedy. The arts unite us in a way that other media cannot.

It is with great pride that we offer a liberal arts education that includes quality music and art instruction. These subjects are not fluffy electives, but rather important classes to form hearts and minds in truth and virtue.

With devotion,



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