

October | 2019



Principal's Message

I'd like to thank our wonderful PTA for organizing such a successful fundraiser and carnival! I am grateful for their hard work and appreciate the support and generosity shown by our school community. Our students benefit from such strong participation and involvement.

I am happy to introduce Mrs. Howe as our new assistant principal. She will be at Ridge View each Wednesday and is a great addition to our staff. Please help us welcome her to our amazing school!



Drop-Off and Pick-Up Reminders

As we continue our efforts to focus on safety during drop-off/pick-up times, please be reminded that the east parking lot is not for drive-thru pick-up/drop-off. Students will only be permitted to cross to the parking lot if there is an adult waiting for them at the crosswalk. Please understand this cautionary measure is for the safety of your children. There is limited supervision in the parking lot and we do not want to place students in dangerous situations.

Halloween Parade and Parties

The Halloween Parade will be held on Thursday, October 31st, beginning at 9:15 a.m. in the gym. Students may come to school in costumes. Please remember that masks, hoods that cover the face, and weapon facsimiles are not permitted. Classroom parties will be arranged by room parents and will be held after the parade. We appreciate your cooperation with these guidelines and look forward to a fun day!



Upcoming School Events

October 4

PTA Board Meeting, 9:00 am

October 10

School Picture Day

October 21-25

Fall Recess – NO SCHOOL

October 28

Grade Transmittal Day –

NO SCHOOL

October 31

Halloween Parade, 9:15 a.m.

3rd Grade Musical, 2:30 p.m.

Raptor **PRIDE**

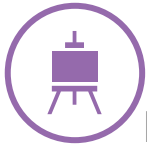
Positive

Respect

Involvement

Directions First Time

Excellence



PTA Announcements

The theme for the 2019-20 Reflections Contest is “Look Within”. Entries must be turned in by October 7th. You still have time to “Look Within” and create something! Follow this link for entry forms: <https://www.utahpta.org/general-arts-category-rules-pages-forms>



In Other News...

Ridge View Mascot and Colors

Welcome to the home of the RAPTORS! Students and staff had an opportunity to vote on their choice of a mascot and colors for Ridge View. The overwhelming favorite for mascot was the RAPTOR. The color selection was a bit closer, with RED, SILVER, BLACK, and WHITE being the winning combination. We celebrated our mascot and color reveal with a fun assembly and special visit by the Jazz Dunk Team! All of the students also received a t-shirt with our new logo and colors!



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RIDGE VIEW
ELEMENTARY

GRADE LEVEL

HIGHLIGHT: **3RD**

What do you get to start when you are 8 years old? 3rd grade or course!

What an exciting start to our new school year! Our students are learning new concepts like multiplication and division.

We also have new Chromebooks for each student and are busy completing Lexia Reading and Prodigy math lessons.

Practicing for our Halloween Program, Spooky Night, has been a great fun? Singing songs such as, This is Halloween and Witches will be a delight for all who DARE to venture to our lively performance. 3rd grade parents are invited to attend the performance on October 31st at 2:30pm. These events are just a hint of the many great things to come this year in 3rd grade!