

Glendale & Big Sky Colony Schools

September Board Report

Submitted by: Rebecca Rappold, Principal

The Big Sky and Glendale School teachers were busy during the BPS Teacher Orientation days, August 22-24. We held a school year planning session with all school staff to plan the master schedule for the 22-23 SY, as well as review procedures, lesson planning, and staff and student expectations. We are grateful to have a full staff of teachers for the 22-23 SY and we will continue to advertise for the paraprofessional position. Big Sky School has an enrollment of 25 students this year and Glendale has 15.

Big Sky School Enrollment by Grade	
1st	1
2nd	6
3rd	1
4th	5
5th	3
6th	3
7th	4
8th	2

Glendale School Enrollment by Grade	
1st	2
2nd	2
3rd	1
4th	2
5th	3
6th	0
7th	2
8th	3

During September, the teachers and principal will be conducting Aimsweb Fall Benchmark Assessments in ELA and mathematics for grades 1st-8th. Other September activities include; a

Glacier National Park Ranger visit to both schools, celebration of Native American Heritage Day, and we hope to begin guidance counseling and library visits.

BIG SKY & GLENDALE				September 2022		
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1	2	3
4	5 Labor Day-No School	6	7	8	9 GNP Visit #1 Big Sky 10:00-11:30 Glendale 1:00-2:30	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
	Aimsweb Benchmarking (Grades 1-8)					
18	19	20	21	22	23 Native American Heritage Day	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	
		Important Reminders				

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Glendale Colony School

Submitted by: Cindy Show

The Glendale students spent the first two days of the new school participating in fun team building activities. Some activities included an outdoor scavenger hunt followed by a treat of microwave s'mores and a STEM cup tower building challenge. Great fun was had by all. Mrs. Rappold paid us a visit on the second day of school and treated us all to popsicles. The students are beginning to settle into their daily school routine and we are all looking forward to a successful and fun school year.



Big Sky Colony School

Submitted by: Ellen Christoferson



Big Sky Colony School is back in session. Jackie Racine and Ellen Christoferson are the teachers. This year, they are splitting the students into two groups, first through fourth and fifth through eighth, with each teacher spending half the day with each group. With the warm weather, we have been able to do some outdoor reading. One of our projects was place value spiders. We also did an art project that went along with the book A Color of His Own. We are looking forward to a

great year.



Mrs. Christoferson and the 1st-4th grade Big Sky students



Mrs. Racine and the 5th-8th grade Big Sky students