

# ELEMENTARY NEWS



ABLE Charter Elementary School \* TK-4<sup>th</sup> Grade \* October 2021

## Kool 2B Kind Spirit Wk

October is *Bully Prevention Month*.

Elementary classrooms will be reading stories, having conversations, and pledging to be kind all the time. We will be celebrating with our 3rd annual "Kool 2B Kind" Spirit week! We encourage all students to dress up and participate. See our daily themes below:

Mon. 10/4: Be a Buddy, Not a Bully- wear Blue.

Tues. 10/5: Tie-Dye Tuesday- Peace-Love-and Kindness

Wed. 10/6: Powered by Kindness: Superhero Dress Day

Thurs. 10/8: Dreaming of a Kind World: PJ Day

Fri. 10/9: Team Kindness: Sports Day

<b>"Kool 2B Kind" Spirit Week</b> Oct 4 - Oct 9	<b>Monday</b> "Be a Buddy, Not a Bully"	<b>Tuesday</b> "Peace, Love, and Kindness"
	Wear BLUE to show that you are ready to be a buddy and never a bully!	Wear tie-dye to show that you are all about Peace and Kindness. It's OBVIOUS when we are all in the mood!
	<b>Wednesday</b> "Powered by Kindness"	<b>Thursday</b> "Dreaming of a Kind World"
	Kindness is our Super Power. Dress in your favorite Super Hero!	It's Pajama Day! Our dream is for everyone to sleep in and!
	<b>Friday</b> "Team Kindness"	We are all on the same team. Team Kindness! Wear your favorite sports clothing!

## A Note from the Principal

Hello ABLE Elementary Families! Welcome to October! It is such a great time of the year on our campus. Students and teachers are in the swing of things, new friendships have been formed and old ones rekindled, and Fall is in the air! Classrooms are filled with storytelling, math facts, and excitement.

As we maneuver through the fall season, please continue to label your child's belongings- including sweaters, jackets, lunch pails and water bottles- so if they get lost, they can also get found.

Cheers to an unbe'LEAF'ably fun month ahead!

Mrs. Martin



## TK Welcomes Ms. Gallegos!

Please join us in welcoming Sylvia Gallegos to the ABLE family. Ms. Gallegos comes to ABLE with a wealth of knowledge, experience, and enthusiasm. Her official first day was September 20 and great things are already happening in the TK classroom. Mrs. Woodruff did a great job working with the TKs in the interim and prepared them well for Ms. Gallegos. We will miss her, but she is still a familiar face on campus. We are excited for what the school year holds with Ms. Gallegos and her kiddos!



## Mask Etiquette and Hygiene



Please help teachers and staff and reinforce mask etiquette and hygiene reminders with you child at home. Gentle reminders on how and when to wear their masks will help a great deal in the classroom and on campus. Also, please reinforce proper handwashing and nose blowing as well. We are all in this together! Thank you for your support!

"I'm so glad I live in a world where there are Octobers." ~ Anne of Green Gables



## October Birthdays

Meyah Anderson  
Leonardo Chinchilla  
Barahona  
Jasmine Dugger  
Joshua Dugger  
Leonel Flores  
Jorge Gonzales  
Anthony Govea  
Robert Guerena  
Stella Hamilton  
Arya Iddings  
Zishan Jurangpathy

Elianna Leyva  
Gianna Leyva  
Aubrey Lopez  
Victorious McClain  
Mason Mcwoodson  
Alejandra Morales  
Erika Ortega  
Thaily Perez  
Elmer Quen  
Wyatt Redline  
Heaven Reyes

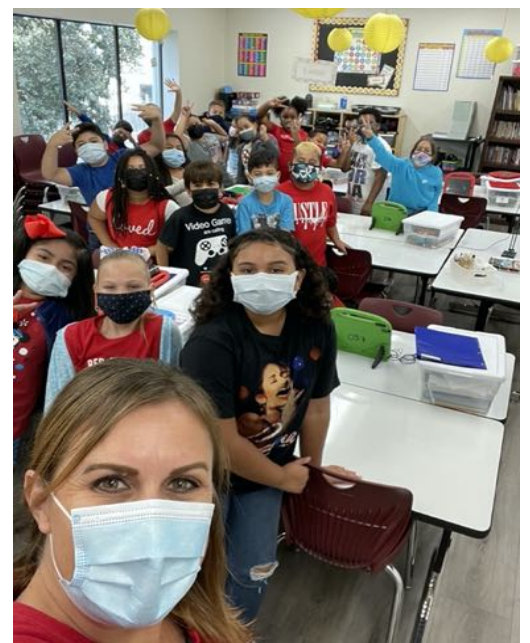
Gael Rosas Contreras  
Anthony Saldana-Sandoval  
Isabella Saldivar  
Maelina Soares  
Allyana Soares-Fox  
Ailee Villegas Rojas  
Miguel Williams  
Janayah Wilson  
Mandela Yun  
Mrs. Mazza  
Ms. Barraza  
Mr. Reyman



## Elementary Patriot Day



Congrats to Mrs. Velo's 4<sup>th</sup> grade  
for 100% participation in Red,  
White, and Blue day! They earned a  
patriotic treat!





# August/September Student Spotlight



## Transitional Kindergarten (TK)

### Abigail Tanson

Abigail brings a very positive energy into the TK classroom. She always does her best and completes all of her work. She is kind to others and cares how her classmates feel. Abigail was nominated by Mrs. Woodruff.



## Kindergarten



### Itzel Soto

Itzel always has a positive attitude in the classroom. She is a kind friend and takes her time when completing her class work. Itzel was nominated by Ms. Gruzaz.

### Hailey Hearon

Hailey always starts the day with a bright smile and a good morning to her friends. She is a hard worker who participates and encourages her classmates to do their best. Hailey was nominated by Ms. Scroope.



## First Grade



### Galilea Saavedra

Galilea has grown so much in the month of September. She is always willing to help peers and her teacher when needed. She is a model student. Galilea was nominated by Ms. Valenzuela.

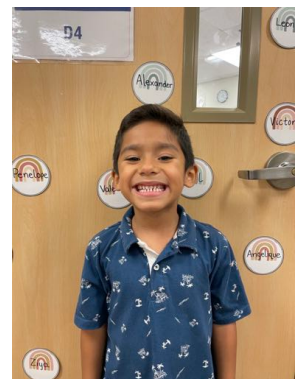


### Emily San Pablo

Emily has worked hard, followed the rules, and participated in class since the 1<sup>st</sup> day of school. She shows responsibility by raising her hand, listening, and completing her work. Emily was nominated by Mr. Angeline.

### Leonel Flores

Leonel is an exceptional student. He is always focused and excited to learn. He helps others without being asked and strives to do his best. Leonel was nominated by Mrs. Enriquez.



### Alejandra Morales

Alejandra brings a happy, positive energy to the classroom. She is eager to learn and enjoys sharing knowledge with her classmates.

## Second Grade



### Faqeer Khan

Faqeer is an amazing student who gives his absolute best effort daily. He is kind to his peers, well-spoken, and is a wonderful leader. Faqeer was nominated by Ms. Hoerth.

### Giselle Chinchilla-Barahona

Giselle is a star 2<sup>nd</sup> grader! She completes her work in class and is a great role model for her fellow classmates. Way to rock Giselle! Giselle was nominated by Ms. Martinez



### Ezekiel Baladad

Ezekiel works well with others, does his best and he is always on task. He participates in classroom discussions and adds a great layer of thought. Ezekiel was nominated by Ms. Yang.



### Michelle Reed

Michelle is a student who models positive behavior and helps her peers. She is sweet and sensitive to others. Her best effort always comes through. Michelle was nominated by Ms. Jones.

## Third Grade



## Fourth Grade

### Sophia McDonald

Sophia is a star student! She loves to help both in and out of the classroom. She is very curious and loves to solve problems. Her effort is awesome and is a great team player. Sophia was nominated by Ms. Stein.



### Sherlene Jenkins

Sherlene is a very kind and considerate student, who is always helpful to her peers and teacher. She is a model student who does her best to stay on task and follow directions. Sherlene was nominated by Ms. Sandoval.



### Dennysha Morales Saldana

Denny shows great respect and appreciation to both students and staff. She is always willing to help, always on task, and is dedicated to her education. Denny was nominated by Ms. Choudeck.



### Joseph Philpott, Jr.

Joseph is a role model in the classroom. He helps other students and always completes his work. He is a good friend and cares about his classmates. Joseph was nominated by his teacher and classmates.



### Alivia Vargas

Alivia is an amazing student! She follows directions quickly, works hard, and always does her best. Way to go Superhero! Alivia was nominated by Mrs. Wallace.



### Tanveer Jeerh

Tanveer always has a good attitude and is willing to help others. He is kind to everyone and is a frequent contributor to classroom discussions. Tanveer was nominated by Ms. Dunn.





## Staff Spotlight



### Mama Rosa Rodriguez

Mama Rosa has been an amazing asset to the ABE faculty this schoolyear! She prints whatever we need for the students, makes parent phone calls, and takes care of all of us! That is why we call her Mama!

Thank you for being our superhero Mama!! We love you!

### Ms. Jones

Ms. Jones is a ball of energy and positivity! Her cheerful nature is contagious and it is almost impossible to not smile when she is around! She is a wealth of knowledge and is always willing to share that wealth with her peers. She is devoted 2<sup>nd</sup> grade teacher and cross-country coach! Thank you Ms. Jones!



## School Hours Reminder

TK-4<sup>th</sup> grade classes begin at 8 a.m. everyday. Please be sure that you are dropping off your students prior to 8 a.m. Gates open at 7:30 a.m. Students will be marked tardy after 8 a.m. Every minute out of the classroom is vital instruction and knowledge that they are missing. TK-4 dismisses at 2 p.m. on regular days and at 1:30 p.m. on minimum day Wednesdays. Please make the necessary arrangements to drop-off and pick your students up on time. Repeated late pick-ups and tardies, without notice, could result in a parent meeting with administration. Thank you for your partnership in your child's education.

## Upcoming Dates and Events

### October

10/4-10/8: Kindness Spirit Week  
10/4: Wear BLUE for no Bullying  
10/6: Minimum Day - 1:30 p.m. dismissal  
10/13: Minimum Day - 1:30 p.m. dismissal  
10/19: TK-4 School Picture Day  
10/20: Minimum Day - 1:30 p.m. dismissal  
10/22: Fall Progress Reports Home  
10/27: Minimum Day - 1:30 p.m. dismissal  
10/29: Fall Activities Day

### November

11/11: Veteran's Day ~ Campus Closed  
11/12: Teacher PD Day ~ No Students  
11/15-11/10: Week of the Young Reader  
-Literacy Spirit Week-  
11/22-11/26: Fall Break  
11/30: National Day of Giving



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