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## UPCOMING EVENTS

### SEPTEMBER 1-4

- Labor Day, No School

### SEPTEMBER 8

- Grandparents Day Fiesta

### SEPTEMBER 20-22

- Sports Tryouts

### SEPTEMBER 22

- Hispanic Heritage Night, 6-8 p.m.

### SEPTEMBER 25

- Benchmark 1 ELA, Grades KG-2 & 6-8

### SEPTEMBER 26

- Student of the Month Celebration, Trustworthiness
- Benchmark 1 Math, Grades KG-2 & 6-8

### SEPTEMBER 28

- Benchmark 1 ELA, Grades 3-5

### SEPTEMBER 29

- Benchmark 1 Math, Grades 3-5

SEPTEMBER'S CHARACTER TRAIT:

## TRUSTWORTHINESS

## STAY INFORMED



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### LABOR DAY!

There will be no school on Friday, September 1 and Monday, September 4, in honor of Labor Day. We hope all our students and their families have a fun four-day weekend, and we'll see everyone back on campus on Tuesday, September 5.

### GRANDPARENTS DAY FIESTA

Grandparents are invited to join us for lunch on Friday, September 8. Families are requested to extend an invitation to all grandparents to come join Heritage students for a delicious meal.

### SPORTS TRYOUTS

Sports Tryouts for Girls Softball, Boys Volleyball and 7v7 Football will be held between September 20th and 22nd. Students will check in to aftercare and wait to be called out for tryouts. Once your child makes the team, you will be required to provide a current physical and pay a fee of \$75.

### STUDENT OF THE MONTH CELEBRATIONS

We will be recognizing one student per classroom, per month for each of the Six Pillars of Character. All students who have previously been recognized for that month's trait, may wear their shirt with uniform bottoms on celebration days. This month's celebration for Trustworthiness will take place on September 26.

### SEPTEMBER'S CHARACTER TRAIT: TRUSTWORTHINESS

According to the *Oxford Dictionary*, one who is trustworthy has "the ability to be relied on as honest or truthful." If you're trustworthy, you don't deceive, cheat, or steal. Being trustworthy also means that others can rely on you because you do what you say you'll do. You can build a reputation for trustworthiness by being a person of your word and being the type of person that friends and family can depend upon.

### PARENTS IN ACTION

Would you like to join our Parents in Action team? We are looking for parents that are willing to volunteer their time during the day as well as in the evening during our exciting events. Email [vnovoa@hesglendale.org](mailto:vnovoa@hesglendale.org) to sign-up.

### YEARBOOK INFO

Yearbooks are currently available to pre-purchase for just \$25. To order yours, visit [YBPay.com](https://www.YBPay.com) and use code 14869624. Prices will increase to \$30 in January...order yours today!

### DONATION BOX

Parents, you may have noticed our new big, green, Clothes & Shoes Recycling bin in the south parking lot. Families can drop off their surplus of men, women and children's clothing, shoes and accessories. The school earns money for each pound of recyclables collected. Then, the textiles are repurposed, recycled or reused. For more information visit [FillTheBins.com](https://www.FillTheBins.com).

### EARLY RELEASE REMINDER

Don't forget that Wednesdays are half-days at Heritage. Every Wednesday, students will be released at 1 p.m. The After-School Program will be available until 6 p.m. unless otherwise noted.

### FREE AND REDUCED LUNCHES

You may qualify for free or reduced-priced meals at Heritage. We urge all parents to complete the application which will determine if your children are eligible. Only one application is needed per household, and citizenship or immigration status is not a factor in determining your eligibility for benefits. To get a free or reduced lunch every school day throughout the 2023-2024 school year, apply today!

### STAY UP-TO-DATE

The first half of the school year is a busy time, filled with many events you won't want to miss. Stay current on everything happening at Heritage Glendale by signing up for our monthly newsletter. The newsletter will arrive in your email at the beginning of each month so you can mark your calendar for events that you and your student won't want to miss. Go to the Heritage Glendale home page and scroll to the bottom where it says "Join Our School News & Events Email List." Simply provide your email address, and you'll be on top of everything going on at school for the rest of the year!

### TAX CREDIT

You can donate up to \$200 for a single person or \$400 for a joint return to Heritage and get a school tax credit on your 2021 Arizona state taxes. Download the form at [HESGlendale.org](https://www.HESGlendale.org) today.

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School hours: 8:00 a.m. - 3:15 p.m.

Every Wednesday is a half-day. School ends for everyone at 1:00 p.m.

PLEASE SEND INQUIRIES TO: [CMENDOZA@HESGLENDALE.ORG](mailto:CMENDOZA@HESGLENDALE.ORG)

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