



THE FALCON FLYER

HERITAGE ELEMENTARY | WILLIAMS CAMPUS | APRIL 2025

UPCOMING EVENTS

MARCH 31-APRIL 9

- AASA State Testing

APRIL 17

- Spring Pictures
- Kinder and 8th Grade Promotion Pictures

APRIL 25-28

- Unused Snow Days, No School

APRIL'S CHARACTER TRAIT:
CITIZENSHIP

ARIZONA STATE TESTING

Arizona's Academic Standards Assessment (AASA) tests will be taken the week of March 31-April 9. PARENTS, PLEASE NOTE:

- Make sure that students are present every day during testing week
- Make sure they are at school on time and do not leave early
- Students that arrive after testing time begins will not be able to take the test that day
- Any student picked up early, before finishing their test, will have to close out their test at that time and will not be able to resume it.

We're certain our students will all get great scores! Here are some testing tips for students to keep in mind when taking the AASA tests:

- Get a good night's rest before test days
- Eat a healthy and nutritious breakfast the morning of test days
- Read through each question thoroughly
- Always check your work
- Relax—you're going to do great!

APRIL STUDENTS OF THE MONTH

- **Grades K-1** - Marianna P.
- **Grades 2-3** - Abrielle L.
- **Grades 4-5** - Aurora H.
- **Grade 6** - Angel L.
- **Grades 7-8** - Rhyon A.

JOIN THE PTO

We encourage all parents to join the PTO. Anyone wanting more information should feel free to contact Lori Edes at Ledes@heswilliams.org or Kris Kosala at kris.kosala@gmail.com.

APRIL'S CHARACTER TRAIT: CITIZENSHIP

Being a good citizen means doing your share to make your school and community a better place, either by yourself or through cooperation with others. A good citizen stays informed and gets involved in local affairs, always striving to make the community a better place. A good citizen is a good neighbor who obeys the law, protects the environment, and volunteers to help others.

STUDENT ABSENCES, TARDIES, AND EARLY DEPARTURES

Heritage Elementary takes a serious stance on consistent attendance, prompt arrival, and minimizing early departures. Please notify the school office prior to 8 a.m. if your child is going to be absent and provide the reason for the absence. The Arizona Department of Education requires that schools obtain the specific reason for any absence.

TAX CREDITS

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 2024 Arizona state taxes. Arizona law allows taxpayers to receive a tax credit for donations that benefit our students. A tax credit reduces what you owe in state taxes, dollar-for-dollar. For more information, including a printable form, please go to our website, HESWilliams.org, today!

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School hours: 8:00 a.m.–3:00 p.m.

Every Wednesday is a half-day. School ends for everyone (K–8) at 12 p.m.

Please send inquiries to: Ledes@heswilliams.org.

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