



THE FALCON FLYER

HERITAGE ELEMENTARY | WILLIAMS CAMPUS | MAY 2025

UPCOMING EVENTS

MAY 5-8

- DIBELS Testing for Kinder-5th Grade

MAY 5-9

- Teacher Appreciation Week

MAY 7

- Walk to School Day

MAY 8

- 8th Grade Trip

MAY 12-16

- Benchmarks Finals Week, All Grades

MAY 19-23

- Spirit Week
- Monday - Safari Day
- Tuesday - Dress Like Your Favorite Teacher Day
- Wednesday - Crazy Socks Day- 1/2 day
- Thursday - 50's Sock Hop Day- 1/2 day
- Friday - Dress Your Best Day - 1/2 day

MAY 21

- Field Day - Students can wear clothes appropriate for play. Class color t-shirts will be provided for all students the morning of.

MAY 22

- 50's Sock Hop at the Rodeo Barn - Must be at school on time to attend - Students can dress up in 50's attire, make sure to wear socks! Parents are welcome to attend the Sock Hop.
- Half Day. No After-School

MAY 23

- Last Day of School - Half day - No After School
- 9:00 a.m. - Awards Ceremony, Talent Show
- 8th Grade and KG Graduation

MAY'S CHARACTER TRAIT:
TRRFCC

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TEACHER APPRECIATION WEEK

While we all appreciate our teachers every day, we set aside May 6-10 to express our gratitude on Teacher Appreciation Week for everything our great teachers do.

MAY'S CHARACTER TRAIT: T.R.R.F.C.C

Throughout the school year, students learn about the Six Pillars of Character. This month, we're reviewing all six character traits: Trustworthiness, Respect, Responsibility, Fairness, Caring, and Citizenship. Over the summer, we're asking parents to discuss the importance of these character traits with their student. We also ask that parents help children make ethical decisions and encourage them to always remember the Six Pillars of Character when dealing with others.

MAY STUDENTS OF THE MONTH ARE TRRFCC KIDS

Grades K-1 - Eevee L.

Grades 2-3 - Navi B.

Grades 4-5 - Michael S.

Grade 6 - Rose R.

Grades 7-8 - Rhyon A.

END-OF-YEAR INFORMATION

As the school year draws to a close and students prepare to have a stupendous summer, remember that the last day of school will be May 23, it is a half day. Our Awards and Promotion Ceremonies and a Talent Show will be held on that day starting at 9:00 a.m. at the Rodeo Barn. Parents, please make sure that any student being promoted arrives at school on time. Parents can take their students home at the end of the program.

Also May 23, is a half day, there will be NO afterschool program, so parents should plan accordingly.

RE-ENROLL YOUR STUDENT

Re-enrollment for the 2025-2026 school year is open online. Parents can register returning students by going to the [Heritage Williams](https://www.heswilliams.org) website and using the "Re-Enrollment Registration" item in the "Parent Resources" tab. Returning students will need a Snapcode before re-enrolling. We have sent home a letter containing students' Snapcode information; however, parents can also call the school for the Snapcode number.

ANNOUNCEMENT... NEXT SCHOOL YEAR CLASSROOM RESTRUCTURING

Next school year, 2025-2026, we are changing our grade combos. We are excited for the new school year! We will have Kindergarten, 1st and 2nd combined, 3rd and 4th combined, 5th and 6th combined and 7th and 8th combined.

FOCUS ON ATTENDANCE

Even as the school year draws to a close, excellent attendance is one of the most important aspects of being a good student. Arizona state law states that absences are excessive when they are over 10% of the school year days. Our school year is 180 days, so no student should have over 18 absences for the entire school year. That would be a violation of the state law. Many of our students are already over 18 days of absences. Please make excellent attendance a priority for all our students!

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 2025 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](https://www.heswilliams.org), today!

Phone: (928) 635-3998 | [HESWilliams.org](https://www.heswilliams.org)

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.

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