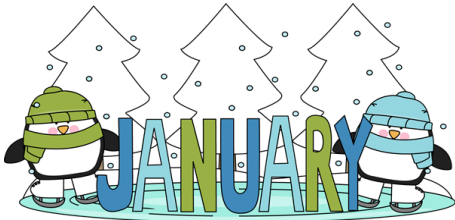


Counselor's CORNER



Elizabeth Romo, School Counselor

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A WORLD OF POSSIBILITIES...

It is such an exciting time of year! Students are reflecting on all of the things that they have learned and are beginning to think ahead to the next grade. It is the perfect time to incorporate discussions of careers and what vision they have for the future. Research tells us that it is never too early to begin the exploration of careers and highlight all of the options that students have ahead of them.

- K/1st classes will read “Bravo Maurice” by Rebecca Bond and begin their career portfolio.
- Second grade classes will look at their personal strengths as they continue in their career portfolio and explore

different careers and the tools those jobs use.

- Third grade classes will hear the story of “Roger the Vet” and discuss the importance of career education as well as making sure their career choice matches their interests and personality.



Forth grade classes will think about their future careers as middle school students. They will learn how to set a goal and make



a plan to achieve it during their 5th grade year.

Middle School will engage college and career awareness. They will take a career survey and analyze the results and they reflect ideas that they may want to pursue. They will also learn some resume-building skills.

TALK TO YOUR CHILDREN ABOUT YOUR CAREER PATH

Children are constantly listening and learning from the adult role models around them. Help your child with career exploration by discussing the following questions:

1. What career did you dream about as a child?

2. What are the different jobs you had growing up?

3. What job do you do now?

4. What would you do differently if you could do it all over again?

****If you are interested in helping us out in our College and Career Week, Jan. 30-Feb. 3rd please let me know as well as Ms. Baldwin. Thank you!**

