



Chipeta Elementary

950 Chipeta Ave., Grand Junction, CO 81501

Phone: 254-6825 Fax: 242-6386

Office Hours: 8:15 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Principal: Ms. Chiaro & Asst. Principal: Mr. Spoede

Chipeta Elementary Cougars

<http://chipeta.mesa.k12.co.us>

Important Dates

May 2021

- 1st - Principal Day
- 3rd-7th - Teacher Appreciation Week
- 6th - 5th Grade to Moab, Utah
- 7th - PTO Read-a-Thon
- 7th - School Lunch Hero Day
- 11th - Girls on the Run 5-K
- 12th - School Nurses Day
- 12th - Graduation Walk
- 13th - 5th Grade to Glenwood Springs Caverns
- 14th - No School
- 14th - Student Lead Conferences
- 20th - PBIS Rally
- 20th - Kindergarten to Moon Farm
- 20th - 5th Grade Graduation
- 21st - Swim Day 1st - 5th grade
- 21st - Last Day of School

TEACHER APPRECIATION WEEK

May 3rd - May 7th

PTO invites the students to bring a special something to their teachers.

Monday, May 3rd

Bring or make a flower

Tuesday, May 4th

Do something nice for your teacher

Wednesday, May 5th

Write your teacher a poem or draw a picture

Thursday, May 6th

Bring a treat for your teacher

Friday, May 7th

Make a thank you card for your teacher

**WE LOVE OUR
CHIPETA TEACHERS!**



Dear Chipeta Families,

As we head into May, the staff at Chipeta would like to thank you for another amazing school year. Our community has had many challenges this year but we have worked together to keep our students in "in person" learning as much as possible and our entire community should celebrate. We appreciate our Chipeta family's support and thank you for working together with us on behalf of our shared students.

We have many fun and exciting events coming up this month to celebrate everyone's hard work this year. Please be sure to check your child's red Tuesday folder or communication packet that comes home every Tuesday. In this folder/packet, you will find important school-wide communication as well as permission slips for upcoming events that your student has an opportunity to participate in. We are also currently raising money for our PTO sponsored Read-A-Thon so look for your child's donation envelope to ask friends and family to donate. Please return the donation envelope to school by May 7th. Also, look for more information on your child's upcoming field trips, including our first through fifth grade students headed to the Lincoln Park Pool on the last day of school. This has always been a tradition and we are so excited to continue it.

Please remember that all Chipeta families need to re-register their students for the new school year. More information about online registration is coming soon. We will also continue with our supply fee of \$25 per student and then, all you need to do, is send your student with a backpack. We hope this helps our families to not have to go out and purchase supplies and helps keep cost down.

Thank you for sharing your students with us! Please reach out to your student's teacher or the main office with any questions.

Thank You,

Jayne Chiaro
Principal



It's Conference Time!

Our student lead conferences are going to be held on Friday, May 14th from 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. On May 4th, teachers will send you a link to sign up for the conference times. This is an exciting time for your student to share his/her growth and to show you what they have learned throughout the year. If you have any questions, please call the school or email your student's teacher.

Girls on the Run 5-K

Come cheer on our runners for the Color Run 5-K. The event will be on May 11st at 4:00 p.m. at East Middle School. The runners have been working really hard preparing for this run and have learned a lot of life lessons along the way.

Final Report Card Addresses

Please keep your phone number, address and email address up to date. You can enter updated information on your ParentVue account or call the office. If you have any changes please notify the office at 254-6825.



Lost & Found

If your student is missing a coat, hat, backpack, etc., please take time to come to school and look through the lost and found. Any items not picked up by the end of the day will be donated.

From the Health Office

If your student has medication in the health office, please remember to pick it up BEFORE the end of the school year.

Reminder: If your student is entering middle school next school year, he/she will need to have their TDap shot before school starts. If you have any other questions, please call the health office at 254-6825 ext. 45104.

1st Annual Chipeta Elementary Senior Walk

If you know a graduating senior who attended Chipeta Elementary, we will have a senior walk on Wednesday, May 12th starting at 9:30 a.m.. Graduating seniors will wear their cap & gown and parade around the playground while being cheered on by our current Cougars.

Please call the office at 970-254-6825 or email our Family Center Coordinator at jenarae.sandoval@d51schools.org if you have any questions.



Thank you!

Kim McIntosh,
Health Assistant
Jennifer Eckhardt, R.N.

End of the Year Spirit Week May 10th - 13th

Monday - Wear Disney Attire
Tuesday - Wear Tie Dye or Bright Colors
Wednesday - Wear Vacation Garb
Thursday - Wear your shades and/or summer hat

Swim Day

Swim day will be on **May 21st** from 10:00 am- 12:00 pm. All students (1st-5th grade) will be walking to the Lincoln park pool followed by lunch afterward. Be sure to wear comfortable walking shoes.

Don't forget your sunscreen and towel!

Cost for this field trip will be \$3.00 per student. Money and permission slip must be returned to teachers by **May 14, 2021**

