

Eagle Eye News

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United We Soar!

When I am alone, God is my comforter.

When I am weak, God is my strength. When I am nothing, God is my everything. If God has been good to you.

Amen



CALENDAR

December

12 FREE PIZZA LUNCH

16 lunch provided (info to come)

18 Christmas Program, 6pm

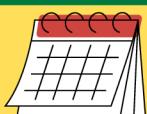
19 Noon Dismissal,

last day of school for 2025!

(no pizza, no after school care)

January

6 (Tues) Students return to school



A Message From The Principal:

Matthew 1:23 – ...and they shall call his name Emmanuel, which being interpreted is, God with us.

The birth of Christ is the story of a God (the Son) who chose to come near—not to observe us from a distance, but to walk beside us, strengthen us, and bring hope into our everyday lives.

This promise matters more than ever. Whether our days feel busy, joyful, or challenging, Emmanuel means we never face them alone. God's presence is steady, comforting, and close enough to guide each step we take. It gives us courage to keep going, grace to keep growing, and peace to keep trusting.

This holiday season, may your homes and hearts be filled with the warmth of knowing that God is truly with us. And as we experience His love, may we share it generously—with kindness in our words, compassion in our actions, and encouragement for everyone in our community.

Blessings,

Ms. Ellis



Meet our EXCELent Eagles!



**Jahsiah
Kinder**



Duh!

Q: What's your favorite Bible story?

A: The story of Adam and Eve. "In the beginning God created the heaven and the earth."



Q: If you could have any superpower for one day, what would it be?

A: I'd want to be like the Hulk. He's strong and smashes things!



Q: What classroom job do you love doing the most?

A: Substitute! But I also want to be the person to hand out wipes.

Follow-up Q: What's the job of a substitute?

A: I do the job of whoever is absent!

Q: What's your favorite Bible story?

A: The story of Esther.



Q: What's your favorite fall/winter activity?

A: Baking!



Q: What would be the title of a book about your life?

A: "A Roller Coaster"



**Jewels
8th grade**

Storytime



One-of-a-Kind Masterpiece

When Emmalyn got home from school, she went straight to her room, flopped face-first on her bed, and began to cry.

Soon there was a knock at her door. "Emmalyn, it's Mom. Can I come in?" Emmalyn managed to let out a muffled yes, and Mom came in and sat down on the bed. "What's wrong?" Mom asked.

Emmalyn sniffled. "Judson noticed that I'm the only one with red hair in our class. He made jokes about redheads all day and even got the other kids to call me carrotttop!" She wiped the tears from her eyes.

"Can I dye my hair a different color, Mom? Please?"

Mom was silent as she stared at Emmalyn's bedroom wall. Emmalyn had a very special bedroom wall. Last summer her uncle had come and helped her paint a mural of a tropical scene on it. "Well," Mom finally said, "I guess we'll have to go to the store and pick up some hair dye. While we're at it, we should pick up a gallon of white paint to cover up your mural."

"What?" Emmalyn looked shocked. "Why? Uncle Joe and I worked hard on that, and it turned out really well. It's a one-of-a-kind masterpiece!"

"Well, you want to change your hair so you can be just like your classmates, and I know none of them have a bedroom wall like yours," said Mom. "So we should get rid of that too."

Emmalyn stared at her mom for a few moments before she finally understood. "Oh, I get it. You're trying to tell me that I'm a one-of-a-kind masterpiece, just like the mural on my wall."

"That's exactly right," said Mom. "God made you the way you are, and He loves you—so much that He sent His Son, Jesus, to die for you! And He created you to show His love to others in your own unique way. So don't try to change yourself just to make other people happy—you're beautiful just the way you are because you belong to Jesus."

Mom gave Emmalyn a tight hug, and Emmalyn smiled as she looked at the mural on her wall and thought of herself as God's masterpiece.

—Melissa Yeagle

How about you?

Has anyone ever made fun of you for the way you look? It hurts when that happens, but remember God made you the way you are and He loves you. He made you for a special purpose—to know Jesus and share Him with others in your own unique way. Your beauty doesn't depend on other people's opinions about how you look. You're beautiful because you know Jesus!

For we are God's masterpiece. He has created us anew in Christ Jesus,
so we can do the good things he planned for us long ago.
Ephesians 2:10



Ms. Winsome - 12/4

Khamry - 12/7

Amahra - 12/9

Khristian - 12/31

Yvonia - 1/1

Ihechi - 1/4



RIDDLE OF THE WEEK

When things go wrong, what can you always count on?



Answer: Your fingers!