



Cedar Ridge Elementary



Cedar Ridge Falcons are respectful, responsible, and work to achieve!

September 2019

Welcome Back Fantastic Falcons!!

I am so excited to start this new school year with each of you. I am thrilled to be the principal again this year. I am looking forward to getting to know each student better and continue to develop relationships with families. My philosophy is simple: this is team Cedar Ridge. We have to work together as administration, teachers, parents, and students to make sure everyone is safe, happy, and learning at Cedar Ridge. Please don't ever hesitate to talk to your child's teacher about concerns you may have.

This year's theme at Cedar Ridge is "Choose Happy!" I have always been a firm believer that we each have control over our own destinies. We get to choose how we feel each day and others do not determine how we feel about ourselves. We get to choose to be happy, no matter what life throws at us!

Let's all Choose to make it a great year!
-Ms. Bassett

Matt Mallory, School Counselor
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Cedar Ridge Happenings...

September 2----- No School

September 4---School Community Council, 3:45

September 9----Mt. West Strings, 2nd Year begins

September 11-----Acadience Testing

September 13-----Picture Day

September 16---Mt. West Strings, 1st year begins

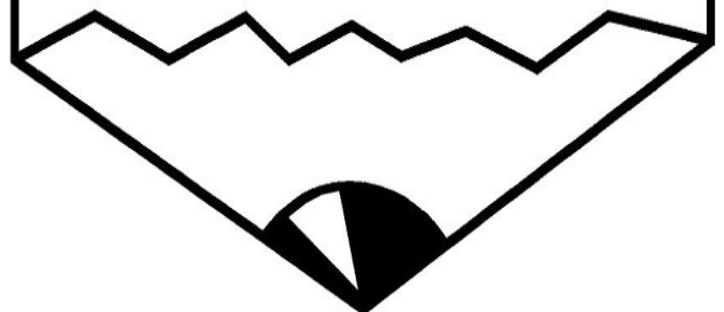
September 27----- Falcon Flier Activity

Sept. 23- Oct. 2----- Window to sign-up for Parent Teacher Conferences

October 1--- Cache Valley Direct Fundraiser Begins

October 3----- Boo to the Flu Clinic

October 3 & 4-----Parent Teacher Conferences



Reading Counts

We want to encourage students to READ, READ, and then do some more reading!! Reading Counts quizzes will be open very soon. We will be sending home a brochure to parents explaining any changes that have been made to the program.

This year we will do our “March Madness” Spring Activity. This was a huge hit last year and we saw a dramatic increase in reading during that week. We will also be adding a Fall kickoff activity “The World Series.” We hope that this will be a successful activity and motivate students to choose reading as a past time.

We are debating whether or not to do the ranking system this year, “Squire,” “Apprentice,” “Falconer....” Parents what are your thoughts? I want your input. Does this ranking system motivate your child to read? Do they care about the ranking system? Please send your input to amy.bassett@ccsdut.org

Our goal is to make students want to read more, please help us continually improve this program.

PTA Corner

Welcome back to school!

Your new PTA board has some fun and exciting changes this year. Please watch for some more information on this year's fundraiser and upcoming events!

Stacy Skipp
PTA President

Parent Teacher Conferences are on October 3 & 4

Please see the attached Online Scheduler Instructions for Parent Teacher Conferences
(The window to sign up is Sept. 23-Oct. 2)

Go to <https://www.ccsdut.org/Domain/400> (Cedar Ridge School Website)



Student Emergency Contact Information: At this time we are asking you to update your Ecollect forms. The forms included are contact information, emergency contacts, Student Acceptable use Policy, Parent Releases and Authorizations for our school. The link to update your information can be found at [ccsdut.org/Domain/400](https://www.ccsdut.org/Domain/400) . It is located under “What’s happening at Cedar Ridge Elementary?”