

Bonneville Academy Weekly Newsletter

October 9th, 2026

End of Term Reminder and Fall Break

Hello Bonneville Academy Parents and Guardians,

This is a friendly reminder that the end of the term is next Wednesday, October 14. This will also be an early release day. We encourage parents and guardians to check Aspire and reach out to their student's teachers regarding any missing assignments to help ensure students are ready for the end of the term.

There will be no school on Thursday, October 15, or Friday, October 16, for Fall Break.

Enjoy your fall break! We hope you have a wonderful and relaxing long weekend.

Calendar

OCTOBER '26

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A/B Day

October '26

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Mark Your Calendar

End of Term 1
October 14th

Fall Break
October 15th - 16th
No School

Chipotle Fundraiser
October 19th

Halloween Parade
October 30th

School Lunch

10/12/2026 - 10/14/2026

Monday - 5th
Crisp Chicken Sandwich OR Calzones

Tuesday - 6th
Walking Taco (Beef)

Wednesday - 7th
P.B. & J

Safe Routes Utah Assembly and Walk to School Day

This week, our students participated in a Safe Routes Utah assembly, where they learned how to safely cross the street and important safety precautions for walking or riding their bikes to school.

The following day, we celebrated National Walk to School Day! We handed out treats to students who participated and helped make this event a success.

Thank you to all our students and families who participated and helped promote safe and healthy ways to get to school. We appreciate your support!









Academic After-School Program Returning!

Bonneville Academy's Academic After-School Program is returning! The program will begin on Tuesday, October 6. There are a few changes to the program this year:

- Days: **Tuesdays and Wednesdays**
- Time: **3:00–4:00 PM**
- Start Date: **Tuesday, October 6**

Snack Donations Needed

We are also requesting snack donations for students participating in the program. If you are able to donate snacks, please bring them to the front office. We greatly appreciate your support!

Permission Forms

Sign-up forms are available in the front office. You can also access the form online using the link below:

Sign-up Form Link

Important Reminder: Students must have a signed permission form on file by Monday, October 5 in order to attend the first week of the program. Students without a signed permission form will not be able to attend until the form has been completed and returned.

Thank you for your support of our Academic After-School Program!

Queridos Padres o Guardianes de familia,

La escuela de su estudiante pronto comenzará hacer las pruebas rápidas mandatorias por el código the Utah School Vision Screening Policy. Friends For Sights es una organización local sin fines de lucro que se especializa en realizar pruebas rápidas de visión, los empleados y voluntarios estarán asistiendo mano a mano con todo el proceso.

Para nosotros poder obtener los mejores resultados en las pruebas visuales es necesario que si su estudiante usa anteojos o contactos recetados los traigan puestos el día de la prueba rápida. Esto es crucial ya que cuando nosotros hacemos la prueba rápida es para descartar con seguridad a los estudiantes que realmente necesitan ayuda para poder ver, lo cual es una herramienta muy importante en la educación de su estudiante.

Si en dado caso su estudiante no puede ver la distancia apropiada para su edad, una carta de referencia será mandada a casa con su estudiante. Esta carta recomienda con urgencia que su Hijo/Hija necesita una Examen Completo de la Vista con un Oculista lo más antes posible. Favor de tener en cuenta que esta prueba rápida no sustituye ni es un Examen Completo hecho por un Oculista profesional.

La prueba rápida administrada por Voluntarios y Empleados es solo diseñada para descartar y encontrar a los estudiantes que tienen problemas para ver y necesitan ser referidos con un Oculista. Ya que a ningún niño se le debe negar el acceso a un buen cuidado visual basado en su estado financiero. Friends for Sight tiene varias asociaciones que se dedican a proveer Exámenes Visuales y Anteojos completamente gratis para aquellos que califiquen para asistencia financiera.

Si usted tiene cualquier duda o pregunta acerca de las pruebas visuales, a que edad se recomienda hacer un Examen visual completo o necesita alguna información adicional, Favor de contactarnos al (801) 524-2020 o visítenos en nuestra pagina web www.friendsforsight.org .

¡Esperamos verlos pronto!

Sinceramente,

Friends for Sight

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Friends for Sight

Dear Parent/Guardian,

Your student's school will soon be conducting vision screenings in accordance with the Utah School Vision Screening Policy. Friends for Sight is a local nonprofit organization that specializes in vision screening, and FFS staff and volunteers will be on hand to assist with the process.

For the most accurate results, if your student wears prescription glasses or contacts, please have them wear them on the day of the screening. Screenings are intended to find out if the student has the tools they need to see clearly at school, so it's ideal to test the student's best possible corrected vision.

If your child cannot see at the appropriate distance for their age, a referral form will be sent home with your child. This sheet will recommend that a full eye exam for your child should be a priority. Please remember that a vision screening is not a substitute for a complete eye exam and vision evaluation by an eye doctor.

Since no child should be denied proper eye care because of finances, Friends for Sight has several partnerships that provide free eye exams and glasses for those who qualify for financial assistance.

If you have any questions regarding vision screening, ages when full exams are recommended or would like any additional information, please call us at (801) 524-2020 or visit our website www.friendsforsight.org .

We are looking forward to screening your child at school!

Sincerely,

Friends for Sight Staff and Volunteers

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VISION SCREENING OPT-OUT FORM

As allowed in UCA 53G-9-404 (2019) a parent may opt their student out of vision screening.		
Student name:	DOB:	School Year:
School:	Grade:	Teacher:
Parent to Complete		
As parent of the above named student, I do not wish for my student to have a vision screening during this school year. I understand that I may change my mind at any time and will do so in writing. I understand that this request is for the current school year only. This form may be re-submitted each school year.		
Parent/Guardian Name:		
Parent/Guardian Signature:	Date:	

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Do you know about our Parent Portal?

This site was created to provide various resources to families in the public education system.
schools.utah.gov/parent



Meet our new Parent Liaison and Engagement Specialist:

Cassie Hays, M.Ed.
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801-538-7845

You can find information on:

- Accommodations
- Assessments and Testing
- School Meal Programs
- School Fees and Waivers
- SOEP: Online Learning
- Parent Rights
- Student Success Guides
- Career and Technical Education (CTE)
- School Comparison Tool
- How to Report a Concern

...and so much more!

Education Exchange: Where Families and Schools Meet

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Why Family Engagement Matters

Research shows that when families are involved in education, students are more likely to:

- Come to school regularly
- Build strong social skills
- Earn better grades
- Graduate from high school
  Continue on to college or other training

Understanding Parent Rights in Public Education

Utah's Constitution and laws recognize that parents play the most important role in their child's education.

The Utah State Board of Education (USBE) values the trust families place in public schools and is committed to supporting parents every step of the way.

Learn More About Parent Rights:
tinyurl.com/UT-ParentRights



Cassie Hays

Parent Liaison and Engagement Specialist

Cassie brings nearly 30 years of experience in K–12 education. She was a teacher, ran online learning programs, and founded a charter school. Cassie supports families and schools in building strong partnerships
that help students succeed.

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Parent Portal

Utah's Constitution and laws respect parents' primary role in the education of their children. The Utah State Board of Education deeply appreciates the trust that parents have placed in Utah's public education system, and is committed to supporting them in this critical mission. We have numerous resources on our website pages for parents and families. You can find them on the Parent Portal https://www.schools.utah.gov/parent/



Support & Resources for Utah Families

Community Resources

Utah families can access a wide range of community-based programs to support health, child care, learning, and advocacy. Here are a few programs and organizations support families across Utah:

United Way 211
Local services and support for health, housing, food, and more:211utah.org

Utah PTA
Parent-led advocacy and family involvement: utahpta.org

Utah Afterschool Network
Access to afterschool programs:utahafterschool.org

Child Care Assistance
Affordable child care options:jobs.utah.gov/occ

Learning & Curriculum Resources

There are many tools available to help families understand what students are learning, how to support them at home, and what is required to graduate. These resources can guide parents through each stage of a student's education:

- **Utah Core Standards**: Learning expectations by subject and grade https://www.schools.utah.gov/curr/utahcorestandards
- **Graduation Requirements**: Required courses for elementary, middle, and high school. https://www.schools.utah.gov/curr/graduationrequirements
- **Additional Learning Resources available through our Parent Portal**: https://www.schools.utah.gov/parent/learningresourcesfamilies





Utah is committed to supporting military-connected students and their families by reducing the educational challenges that can accompany military service. To help ensure smooth school transitions, Utah adopted the Interstate Compact on Educational Opportunity for Military Children (MIC3), which removes barriers to educational success caused by frequent relocations and parental deployments for Active Duty, National Guard, and Reserve families. For more information and to have your school apply, visit **Purple Star Schools.** https://www.schools.utah.gov/parentfamilyengagementeducators/purplestarschools

Supporting Students with Disabilities

Education for students with disabilities is protected under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA), Title II of the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act. Below are some helpful resources to help families navigate the ststem.

- **U.S. Department of Education**: Dedicated to improving results for families and children with disabilities. https://www.ed.gov/about/ed-offices/osers/osep
- **Parent and Family Resources**: Provides numerous parent and family resources about regulations, support, and training. https://sites.ed.gov/idea/parents-families/
- **Utah Parent Center**: A nonprofit offering support, training, and advocacy for families of children with disabilities. https://utahparentcenter.org/
- **Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA)**: This law makes a free appropriate public education to eleigible children with disabilities and ensures services to those children. https://www.ed.gov/laws-and-policy/individuals-disabilities/individuals-disabilities-education-act-idea



School Safety and Student Services

School Safety and Student Services is made up of the following departments:

Student Services- Offering Behavior Support, School-based Mental Health, School Counseling, School Nursing, and Wellness and Student and Family Rights

School Safety Center- Oversees Emergency Operation Plans, School Climate, Threat Crisis Response, School Safety and Security

Prevention- Assists with Bullying Prevention, Child Sexual Abuse Prevention, Gang Prevention, Restorative Practices, Substance Use Prevention, and Suicide Prevention

For more information and resource regarding school safety, you can find them on our School Safety and Student Services website.
https://www.schools.utah.gov/schoolsafetyandstudentservices/index

Attendance Matters

Research suggests that students who attend at a rate of 95% or better are significantly less likely to have failing grades or problematic behavior. Utah is currently focusing on positive attendance promotion initiatives that positive impact all students and families, including:

- Statewide messaging on the importance of attendance
- Common language and definitions around attendance
- Consistent and accurate data collection
- Intentional statewide data analysis

During the 2026 Utah legislative session there were numerous updates regarding attendance these include HB 145, HB 502, and SB 58. In addition, there are two important codes that also pertain to attendance which are 53G-6 Part 2: Compulsory Education and 53G-8-211: Responses to School-based Behavior. For more information on laws and policies, statistics, and the current attendance campaign, visit our Absenteeism and Truancy Prevention page.
https://www.schools.utah.gov/edc

When families and schools work together, students thrive.



Find Information About Schools and Educators

» USBE Press Releases: www.schools.utah.gov/publicrelations

» School Calendars: schools.utah.gov/schoolcalendars

» School Comparison Tool: schoolcomparison.schools.utah.gov

» Assessment and School Reports: schools.utah.gov/datastatistics/reports

» Educator License Lookup: cactus.schools.utah.gov

» Data Gateway: datagateway.schools.utah.gov

SMITH'S INSPIRING DONATIONS

Help Organizations Earn Donations Just by Shopping with Your Smith's Shopper's Card

Smith's is donating to nonprofits in our community based on where their customers tell them to give.

Here's how the program works:

- Sign up for the Inspiring Donationsprogram by linking your Smith's Shopper's Card, to **Bonneville Academy** at SmithsFoodandDrug.com/inspiringdonations
- You can search organizations by name or by non profit number: ***KU938***
- You still receive offers through Smith's Rewards.
- If you don't have a Smith's Shopper's Card, they're available at the Customer Service desk at any Smith's store.

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Smith's

October 2026

Box Topics

October is a great month to boo-st your school's earnings.

Monthly Bonus Offers

Offers are valid on a single transaction from 10/1/26–10/31/26.
Must submit your receipt within 14 days of purchase. Limit 5 claims per receipt.



Buy 3, Earn 5
on LÄRABAR products



Buy 2, Earn 5
on all cereal & cereal treat bars



Buy 2, Earn 5
on Pillsbury products



Buy 2, Earn 5
on Annie's mac & cheese products



Buy 2, Earn 5
on Gold Medal Flour & Bisquick products

Find offers near you
Check out the Box Tops app!

Earn extra during National Box Tops Week!

From October 12 to October 18:

- Every participating product earns **DOUBLE***
- You'll **earn 20 Bonus Box Tops** every time you buy 4 participating products.

It's one of the biggest earning opportunities of the year. Don't miss it!

*Receipts MUST be scanned during National Box Tops Week to earn double Box Tops. This offer excludes Nugget® products.

One week only!





Walmart Connected Accounts

Connecting your Box Tops and Walmart accounts, then buying participating products with the saved payment method in your Walmart wallet lets you earn for your school without scanning.

Learn more at BTFE.com/Walmart



Earnings goal

Goal: $500
to help fund new playgorund and PE equipment

$127.00

Scan the QR code or use code IDUR7DJO to join and earn 25 Bonus Box Tops in the Box Tops app.



Look for Box Tops on hundreds of products!
For the most current list of products, visit the Box Tops App.

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BOX TOPS FOR EDUCATION

octubre de 2026

Box Topics

Octubre es un gran mes para aaah-umentar los ingresos de tu escuela.

Ofertas de Bonos Mensuales

Las ofertas son válidas en una única transacción del 10/1/26 al 10/31/26.
Debe enviar el recibo en los 14 días posteriores a la compra. Límite de 5 peticiones por recibo.



Compra 3 y gana 5
en productos LÄRABAR



Compra 2 y gana 5
en productos Annie's Mac & Cheese



Compra 2 y gana 5
en productos Pillsbury



Compra 2 y gana 5
en todos los cereales y las barritas de cereal



Compra 2 y gana 5
en productos Gold Medal Flour y Bisquick

Encuentra ofertas cerca de ti
¡Descarga la app de Box Tops!

¡Gana extra durante la Semana Nacional de Box Tops!

Del 12 al 18 de octubre:

- Con cada producto participante ganas el **DOBLE***
- **Ganarás 20 Box Tops** adicionales cada vez que compres cuatro productos participantes.

Es una de las mayores oportunidades de ganancia del año. ¡No te la pierdas!

Se DEBEN escanear los recibos durante la Semana Nacional de Box Tops para obtener el doble de Box Tops. Los productos Nugget no entran en esta oferta.

¡Solo por una semana!





Cuentas Conectadas de Walmart

La conexión de sus cuentas de Box Tops y Walmart, y la compra posterior de productos participantes con el método de pago guardado en su billetera de Walmart le permite ganar para su escuela sin necesidad de realizar ningún escaneo.

Obtenga más información en BTFE.com/Walmart



Objetivo de ganancias

Objetivo: $500 **$127.00**
para ayudar a financiar nuestro parque infantil y el equipamiento de educación física

Escanee el código QR o use el código IDUR7DJO para unirse y ganar 25 Bonos Box Tops en la aplicación Box Tops.



¡Busque Box Tops en cientos de productos!
Para consultar la lista más actualizada de productos, visite la aplicación de Box Tops.

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BOX TOPS FOR EDUCATION

DO GOOD WITH CHIPOTLE



CHIPOTLE FUNDRAISER FOR
BONNEVILLE ACADEMY

25% OF EVENT SALES GET DONATED TO THE CAUSE

MONDAY, OCTOBER 19TH | 5-9PM
957 N MAIN ST STE C, TOOELE, UT, 84074

ORDER ONLINE FOR PICKUP USING CODE **EHGKCTF**
OR SHOW THIS FLYER IN RESTAURANT

CHIPOTLE

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For online orders to count towards the fundraiser, they must be placed for pickup only from the restaurant location of, and during the hours of, the fundraiser. Delivery orders and gift cards do not qualify. $150 minimum event sales required to receive any donation.

HAZ EL BIEN CON CHIPOTLE



RECAUDACIÓN DE FONDOS PARA
BONNEVILLE ACADEMY

25% DE LAS VENTAS DEL EVENTO SERÁN DONADAS A LA CAUSA

LUNES, OCTUBRE 19º | 5-9PM
957 N MAIN ST STE C, TOOELE, UT, 84074

ORDENA EN LÍNEA PARA RECOGER USANDO EL CÓDIGO **EHGKCTF**
O MUESTRA ESTE VOLANTE EN EL RESTAURANTE

CHIPOTLE

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Para que las órdenes en línea se tengan en cuenta para el evento de recaudación de fondos, deberán ser del mismo lugar del evento y realizarse durante las horas del mismo. Las órdenes con servicio de entrega y las realizadas con una tarjeta de regalo no cuentan para el evento. Se requiere un mínimo de $150 dólares de ventas para recibir cualquier donación.

Parking Lot Safety

We would like to remind everyone of a few important carpool safety procedures. Over the past couple of weeks, we have noticed an increase in unsafe carpool practices.



Please remember to:

- Drive 10 MPH or less in the parking lot, especially during active carpool times.
- Pull forward as far as possible to keep the carpool line moving.
- Please do not stop in the carpool lane to discuss student questions or concerns. If you need to speak with a staff member, park in a designated parking stall and come inside.
- Stay alert and be aware of your surroundings, especially for students and pedestrians.



Thank you for helping us keep our students, families, and staff safe and for keeping carpool running smoothly!

JOIN OUR BOARD!

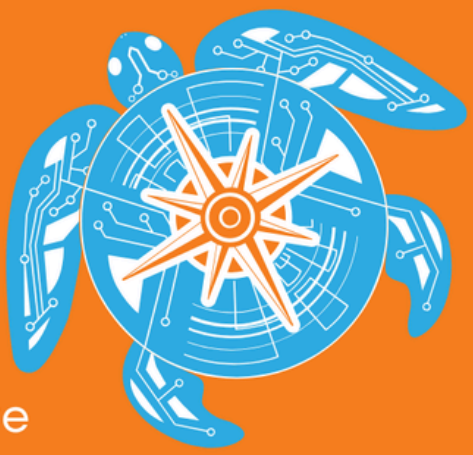
We are seeking individuals from diverse professional backgrounds to lend their talents and contribute to the growth of our school. This is a unique opportunity to make a meaningful impact!

Who Can Get Involved?

Any community member with a passion for education and development.

Why Participate?

- Help shape school initiatives
- Use your expertise to make a difference
- Support students, staff, and families



For More Information:

There is no deadline to get involved! If you're interested or have questions, please contact the board at board@bonnevilleacademy.org.

Join us in creating a brighter future for our school!

Support Our Students' Lunches

We are excited to announce our School Lunch Donation Account!

You are not required to donate, but this account will be used to help pay for student lunch balances, including those who are in the negative. Any contributions will go directly toward supporting our students' meals.

You can make a donation online

Lunch Donation Link

When donating online, please enter the following information:

- First Name on Account: **Meal**
- Last Name on Account: **Donations**
- Student Number: **F307**

If you prefer, you may also donate by cash or check at the front office—just let us know it is specifically for the lunch donation account.

Thank you for supporting our students!