

News from Bandelier Elementary

Week of January 11th, 2021



Josiah works on a writing assignment for his English class.

Back to School Again

After a very welcome break from classes and homework, the Bandelier community is back and working as hard as ever. With bi-weekly material distribution happening at most area schools, the kids have what they need to keep up with class.

We have basic supplies, but please remember to send your students with their materials, devices fully charged, and their printed class schedules provided to CC staff.

Construction at Bandelier

There is a new security fence many of you may have noticed going up around the school grounds. It does not include the public field, which is still accessible.

Please bear with us as we develop protocols for bringing your students off and on campus.

-Bandelier Staff & Students

Reminders:

-Please watch your emails for SNOW DAY and other closure announcements!

-Please call our main site phone **(505) 459-0576** for drop-off and pick-up!



Plans and Hopes for the New year

The most common questions floating around the site this week have been related to people's hopes for the new year. Lily-Mae was interviewed about her outlook for 2021; her focus will be on "getting all done with Covid-19 and jump-roping a lot more!" What she's looking forward to the most this semester: "Learning a lot more in my class." Good attitude! Let's hope we have a smooth road ahead.

Paper Arts and Crafts

Thanks to continued donations from our generous families and community supporters we are able to provide a depth of experiences that would otherwise be impossible. Simple everyday supplies that are difficult to budget for in these trying times are things like origami paper, all types of beads, paints, and clay. These materials are the most popular among children because they are easy to use in individual projects. Here we see Jacob with a “Ninja Star” made from ultra-thin origami paper provided by one of our families.



Art from the Heart

Not everyone has a job where people bring them presents and tell them how much they are loved. We at Children’s Choice do though. During worldwide unrest and nearly-universal insecurity we are able to provide a positive environment for children and adults alike, and this is a privilege. Thank you, families, for raising such promising young people! Esme P., age 6, titled her work “A Cat & Heart Shapes” – Nice work!