



STUDENT OF THE MONTH

Congratulations to our February Students of the Month: Brady Coffey, Cristina Bento, Gabriel Amorim, Christian Rios-Soto, Alyson Perez, Ivette Pineda, Weslyn Traeger, Mya Urias, Jacob Gioletti, Scout Silva, Emma Murillo, Yusef Khanshali, Henry Contreras, Anthony Gutierrez, Annalie Godinez, Alexander Palomera, Allison Elwess, and Tristyn Holland.

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Congratulations to our March Students of the Month: Alexandra Gazcon, Javier Lara, Heidi Cervantes, Estrella Velasquez, Ariana Quintero, Saylem Silva, Francisco Torres, Emylee Ramsey, Erik Petersen, Christina DaSilva, Isabella Gonzalez, Veronica Valencia, Yovani Ramos, Giovanni DeCasso, Christopher Chavez Corona, Ava Gates, Elias Mendoza, and Miguel Ochoa.

FIELD TRIPS

Field trip season is upon us! Please be sure to complete field trip forms completely paying close attention to the Health or Special Needs section. This section must have at least one box checked. If your child has a health or special need, please be sure to list it in this section.

TK AND KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION

We are still accepting Kindergarten and Transitional Kindergarten registrations. Children must be 5 years old by December 2, 2018, to enroll for the 2018-2019 school year. The following documents are needed to register:

- * Certified Copy of Child's Birth Certificate
- * Child's Immunization Records
- * Proof of District Residency (TID or PG&E)

Mission

The mission of Chatom Elementary is to provide a comprehensive, rigorous instructional program with creative learning opportunities and experiences that meet the needs of its diverse rural student population, ensuring all students reach their individual potential to be responsible, compassionate, contributing citizens.

School Office
(209) 664-8500

Food Service
(209) 664-8502

Transportation
(209) 664-8507



CLASS PLACEMENT

Parent request forms for student class placement will be available beginning Tuesday, May 1st through Friday, May 11th in the school office. Form deadline is Friday, May 11th. Two teacher choices must be given or the principal will enter a second choice for you.

Never say, "I can't!" ~ Always say, "I'll try!"

~ Unknown



**APRIL 17
CHATOM AT
THE MODESTO NUTS**

**APRIL 18
MATH CHAMPIONSHIP**

**APRIL 20
4TH GRADE TO COLUMBIA**

**APRIL 21
SCIENCE OLYMPIAD**

**APRIL 23—MAY 4
CAASPP TESTING**

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Traffic safety in the mornings and afternoons is a major concern at our school. Our primary concern is to keep Chatom students safe and **WE NEED YOUR HELP.**

PLEASE observe the following SAFETY RULES when transporting your student(s):

Students **should not arrive prior to 7:15 am or be on campus after 3:15pm** (1:10 on minimum days) unless they are enrolled in an afterschool program. There is no campus supervisor on duty outside of these hours.

The parking lot speed limit is **5 mph.**

Students **must enter and exit cars at the curb by the bell.** Please make sure they cross the street at the crosswalk. Please do not allow your students to cross the parking lot by the gate or bus lane. If you park outside the fence, please escort your child to the sidewalk area. The district office parking lot is for district visitors only. Student drop off and pick up will continue to be through the front entrance only.

Traffic in the parking lot is **ONE-WAY.** Please do not enter from the exit or back up in the parking lot. Exiting the parking lot onto Clayton Road is a right turn only at posted times.

Please **do not misuse or block the handicapped parking spaces.**

Please **observe all traffic laws** including no parking/loading in the red zone, passengers must wear seat belts, no driving over island, hands free cell phone use.

Please wait at the front of the school for students to be dismissed. Classroom visitors must check in at the office.

By following these rules we can ensure the safety of all children. Thank you.