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**BOOK FAIR – Starting Friday, November 5 – Friday, November 12! Open during school hours. Be aware that if you come into the school, thank you for wearing a mask.**



Dear Teachers,

We're excited to invite you to add new books to your classroom library at our upcoming Scholastic Book Fair. In lieu of Classroom Wish Lists, we are encouraging teachers to create classroom eWallets. We will invite families to help update your classroom library by contributing to your classroom eWallet. You will then be able to spend the funds at our Scholastic Book Fair. Any remaining eWallet funds can then be used online where you'll find over 5,000 items. As always, all purchases benefit our school.

Book Fair dates and times:

Here is what you can do to help make this a success:

1. Create a Book Fair eWallet by
  - Go to our Book Fair homepage:
  - Click on eWallet "GET STARTED" and then "Create eWallet"
  - Sign in or create a teacher account (if you do not have one already with Scholastic).
  - Once you create your eWallet account, look for the "Share" button and share your eWallet link with me at [\[redacted\]](#). This will only share the link to donate with me. I will not have access to your personal account information. You can also share your link directly with your classroom list.
2. We will email our families the classroom eWallet links with a note to let them know about this wonderful opportunity to help you and the school.
3. If there are any questions, please reach out to me.

Thank you for your support! We are excited to get new books that YOU select into your classrooms!





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**Attention: If you filled out the English form in the last few weeks, please do so again. There was something wrong with the previous form. I apologize for the inconvenience!**

Dear Sedalia Families,

Sedalia Elementary receives generous donations for the upcoming holiday season and throughout the year. If your family is in need during the winter holidays, please complete this form. You can also fill out a sheet in the office or call and we can send one home, and return it to the main office. This form can be filled out anytime during the school year.

Complete one form/sheet per family. We will try to accommodate as many requests as possible and requests will be handled on a first come first served basis. If you need holiday assistance, please note that we need this information before Thanksgiving Break. Donations will be distributed at the beginning of December and we will contact you via the email that you provide below.

Donations will not be sent home with children/students unless arrangements have been made.

If you have any questions, please call the main office at 303-387-5500.

[Family Assistance Form – English](#)



Estimadas familias de la escuela de Sedalia:

La escuela primaria de Sedalia recibe generosas donaciones para las fiestas navideñas y el resto del año. Si su familia necesita algo durante las vacaciones de invierno, complete este formulario. También puede llenar una hoja en la oficina o llamar y podemos enviar un formulario a casa y que deberá devolver a la oficina principal completado. Este formulario se puede completar en cualquier momento durante todo el año escolar. Complete un formulario por familia. Intentaremos dar cabida a tantas solicitudes como sea posible y las solicitudes se manejan por orden de llegada.

Si necesita ayuda durante las vacaciones, tenga en cuenta que necesitamos esta información antes de las vacaciones de Acción de Gracias (Thanksgiving). Las donaciones se distribuirán a principios de diciembre y nos comunicaremos con usted a través del correo electrónico que le proporcionamos a continuación.

Las donaciones no se enviarán a casa con los niños a menos que ustedes hayan llegado a un acuerdo con la escuela.

Si tiene alguna pregunta, por favor llame a la oficina principal al 303-387-5500.

[Family Assistance Form - Spanish](#)





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Journey Church is offering a Christmas Store that allows families to buy gifts at a reduced cost. Christmas Store serves the local community during the holiday season by creating popup Christmas shops all across the Denver metro area. Families who find themselves in a difficult season of life, are invited to shop for their children's Christmas gifts at a reduced cost. Plus, Christmas Store shoppers can browse our Outerwear Shoppe for winter clothes for the whole family. Click the link below to take you to our home page. Then look for the button that says, "Register to shop"

<https://christmasstorecolorado.com/>

We have updated the Chicken Whisperers sign up for the month of November. We also need whisperers for Thanksgiving break starting on the 22<sup>th</sup>.

- If you have teenagers that need community service hours, this is a great way to get them. Have them stop by the office to have their sheet signed.
- If you know a community member that loves chickens, send them the sign up. We would love to have their help!

[Chicken Whisperers Sign Up](#)



**Thanksgiving Meals** - The backpack society is providing full thanksgiving meals to families in need this year. The deadline to sign up is November 10th at noon. There is a limited supply so sign up soon!

<https://www.backpacksociety.org/thanksgivingmeal>

## Backpack Society

Sedalia Elementary is excited to share that we have partnered with The Backpack Society to provide meals to our students and their families. The Backpack Society is a non-profit organization that provides free meals to families in need. The Family Program provides food for the weekend, holidays, and school breaks for the entire household.

If you are interested in this family program, please fill out the online family sign up sheet **EVERY WEEK** to receive your family meals on Thursday. **You must sign up online weekly by 12:00pm on Wednesday in order to receive meals on Thursday.** This program requires the family to pick up their food boxes on

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Thursday at Sedalia Elementary (East side of the building) at dismissal unless other arrangements can be made. We will be at school until 4:30 every Thursday for families to come and pick up their food boxes.

**To sign up for food, please go to the following website: <https://www.backpacksociety.org/sedalia>**

We want all families to be able to participate in this program, and if any part of this process is a hardship for you, please reach out to Sedalia's Mental Health Team and we will work with you to explore possibilities. Our contact information is: Maureen Seibel: [mseibel@dcsdk12.org](mailto:mseibel@dcsdk12.org), 303-387-5547.



## La Sociedad de Mochilas(The Backpack Society)

Sedalia Elementary se complace en compartir que nos hemos asociado con La sociedad de mochilas "The Backpack Society" para proporcionar comidas a nuestros estudiantes y sus familias. La Backpack Society es una organización sin fines de lucro que ofrece comidas gratuitas a familias necesitadas. El programa familiar proporciona alimentos para el fin de semana, los días festivos y las vacaciones escolares para toda la familia..

Si está interesado en este programa familiar, complete la hoja de inscripción familiar en línea **CADA SEMANA** para recibir sus comidas familiares el jueves. **Debe inscribirse en línea semanalmente antes de las 12:00 pm del miércoles para recibir comidas el jueves.** Este programa requiere que la familia recoja sus cajas de comida el jueves en la escuela primaria Sedalia (lado este del edificio) a la salida, a menos que se puedan hacer otros arreglos. Estaremos en la escuela hasta las 4:30 todos los jueves para que las familias vengan a recoger sus cajas de comida.

**Para registrarse para recibir alimentos, visite el siguiente sitio web:**

**<https://www.backpacksociety.org/sedalia>**

Queremos que todas las familias puedan participar en este programa, y si alguna parte de este proceso es difícil para usted, comuníquese con el Equipo de Salud Mental de Sedalia y trabajaremos con usted para explorar posibilidades. Nuestra información de contacto es: Maureen Seibel: [mseibel@dcsdk12.org](mailto:mseibel@dcsdk12.org), 303-387-5547.

