



# EAGLE NEWS



November/December

## KEEP STUDENTS UNIQUE

There is beauty and wonder in all of our differences, isn't there? There's no way we could all be alike- the world would be terribly predictable if we were. All the beauty, wonder, and creativity come through integrating the differences.

Fitting in is vital to a life well-lived. Belonging to others is key to feeling safe and cared for. It's through others we experience and express love. Everyone needs safe, trusted people. Everyone needs a tribe. But relationships get funky when we don't pay enough respect to the differences we bring. When we expect each other to see, think, feel, and act as we do- those are the ingredients of conflict and misunderstanding. When push comes to shove, though, most people will hide or mask or negate their own uniqueness if it threatens a bond.

That's why it's so important to discover, own, and express the standout you. We need each other not only to accept and appreciate the differences but to also see the differences in each other. We serve as mirrors of identity and uniqueness; it's only by getting closer to people that we understand who we are and what makes us different.

Sincerely,  
**Scott Schimmel**  
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## STUDENT OF THE MONTH

### JAYDEN COX, FLEX ACADEMY



Congratulations to Jayden Cox, an 11th Grade Flex Student who is our Student Highlight of the Month! This is Jayden's 2nd School Year with Elite, and he has shown a lot of growth since he first enrolled.

"I'm in a lot of extra curricular activities right now. I'm in the BeElite Podcast, Kindness Ambassadors, ArtSeen and CoreUs. I think these clubs are pretty cool and helpful because it helped me get through my shyness phase".

Jayden's current favorite subjects are Chemistry, Spanish and Construction. He chose to stay with Elite after completing our Summer Program in 2020 because he felt he got a lot more help and personalized instruction than he had previously. He would really like to get involved with the music production industry, which is why he enjoys the ArtSeen and CoreUs Clubs. He also really appreciates his Teacher, Mrs. Potrero, who helps him stay on track with his classes and encourages him to keep working hard.

"We appreciate Jayden's involvement in the clubs and activities at Elite. He has become a student leader! I appreciate that Jayden includes people and encourages them to be part of the school community".

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# BOOSTING MOTIVATION TIPS AND TRICKS



Break big assignments into smaller chunks, take them one step at a time



Stay positive - each moment is an opportunity to try again!



Incorporate your child's passions and interests into their schoolwork



Reward effort & progress - something as simple as a verbal praise is a reward! Remind your child of prior accomplishments when they worked hard at something



For more tips and general information on how motivation works, check out the recording of "Boosting Motivation!" on our Student Support Services Page!

# IN-PERSON FIELD TRIP PHOTOS!



Did you take pictures at any of our recent in-person field trips? We would love to see them and add them to our Yearbook Photos! Please send your photos to [kallen@eliteacademic.com](mailto:kallen@eliteacademic.com)

# FALL RECIPE: PUMPKIN ICE CREAM

Written by Alyssa Cervantes, Flex Academy Student  
Co-Host of Confection Connection Club



## INGREDIENTS

- Sweetened Condensed Milk (14 oz)
- Pumpkin Puree (2/3 cup)
- Heavy Cream (2 cups)
- Vanilla Extract (1 teaspoon)
- Cinnamon (1 teaspoon)
- Allspice (1/8 teaspoon)
- Ground Ginger (1/2 teaspoon)
- Ground Nutmeg (1/4 teaspoon)
- Ground Cloves (1/8 teaspoon)

## INSTRUCTIONS

Mix the pumpkin puree and spices together. Add the vanilla and sweetened condensed milk. Beat until smooth.  
In a separate bowl, beat the heavy cream until stiff peaks form.  
Add the whipped cream to the pumpkin and fold in until there are no more streaks of orange. The mixture should be a solid light orange color.  
Put in a container and freeze for approximately 8 hours.



Anthony, Homeschool Student, competed at the Moto America Mini Cup series and placed 4th overall in his rookie year!



Phillip, Flex Student, is now reading and engaging in daily synchronous sessions and loves school after a few short weeks with Elite!



Maleyna, Virtual Student, placed 1st in her recent Golf Tournament in Monterey!



# DON'T MISS OUT - UPCOMING ELITE EVENTS



## NOVEMBER 2021



### Study Buddy

A quiet time to focus on your work and gain helpful tips from Mrs. Makkai  
November 4th at 12 pm  
(9th-12th Grade)



### Athletics Roundtable

Learn about recruiting, training and mental health from industry experts  
November 9th at 11 am  
(All Grades)



### In Person: Gentle Barn

Learn up close about Gentle Barn animals rescue and recovery  
November 10th at 11 am  
(All Grades and Families)



### Zumba

A little warmup, a little stretch, then get to dancing!  
Every Friday at 10 am  
(All Grades)



### Confection Connection

Participate in monthly baking challenges and connect with fellow bakers!  
November 12th at 12 pm  
(9th-12th Grade)



### In Person Quest Crew Hike

Join Mr. Olson for a scenic hike along the Santa Margarita River Trail! 4 miles round trip.  
November 17th at 2 pm  
(All Families)



### In Person Pali Institute

Spend a day in the mountains learning about archery, rope courses and more!  
November 18th - All day  
(3rd-12th Grade)



### In Person Antelope Valley College Tour

AVC is welcoming us to their campus for a private tour! Learn, explore and ask questions.  
November 30th at 10 am  
(6th-12th Grade Families)

## DECEMBER 2021



### In Person Railroad Museum

Will feature both indoor and outdoor exhibits with hands on learning experiences.  
December 2nd at 10 am  
(All Grades)



### Core Us Winter Performance

Come see what Core Us has been working so hard on this school year!  
December 9th at 6 pm  
(All Grades)



### Creative Writing Skills

Come flex your creative writing skills.  
December 14th at 4 pm  
(6th - 12th Grade)



### Connection Seen

Connect virtually with industry experts in the visual and performing arts field!  
November 4th at 5pm  
(All Grades)



### Baseball Club

Join Coach Andy, former MLB Player to discuss future games, plays and baseball strategy.  
December 13th at 11 am  
(All Grades)



### Softball Club

Talk the game of softball and receive tips from former college player and Elite staff member Kiley Allen.  
December 13th at 10 am  
(All Grades)



### Elite Exercise

30 minutes of movement and fun with Mrs. Watters. Bring some water and a good attitude!  
December 14th at 1pm  
(All Grades)



### Equestrian Team

Join our school counselor for tips and tricks to feel your best and connect with others!  
December 16th at 2 pm  
(All Grades)

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## Happy Fall Elite Eagles!

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## WHAT'S NEW?

### EDUCATION APP TIPS



If you're having problems with Canvas, try clearing the cache and cookies:

- On your computer, open Chrome.
- At the top right, click More .
- Click More tools. Clear browsing data.
- At the top, choose a time range. To delete everything, select All time.
- Next to "Cookies and other site data" and "Cached images and files," check the boxes.
- Click Clear data.

### CONFECTION CONNECTION BAKING CLUB



Join Ms. Steele and her student co-hosts in this fun hands on baking experience! You will enjoy the company of like minded students, participate in baking challenges and learn about new skills and recipes. If you are an interested high school student, you can find more information on ParentSquare or email Ms. Steele at [asteel@eliteacademic.com](mailto:asteel@eliteacademic.com)

### MEET MS. BOBCZYNSKI!



Ms. Bobczynski joined the Elite Homeschool Academy in 2018 but has been teaching for 10 years. Her favorite part about being a teacher is connecting with families, helping to facilitate a love for learning, and creating individualized education paths for each student.

"My passion is to inspire students to be a lifelong learner and each child is like working with raw diamonds that I can help shape into precious stones. Cheers to being a lifelong learner."

 ParentSquare

All school-wide communication and event information is available on our **ParentSquare** platform.

Please direct questions regarding ParentSquare or school events to:  
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