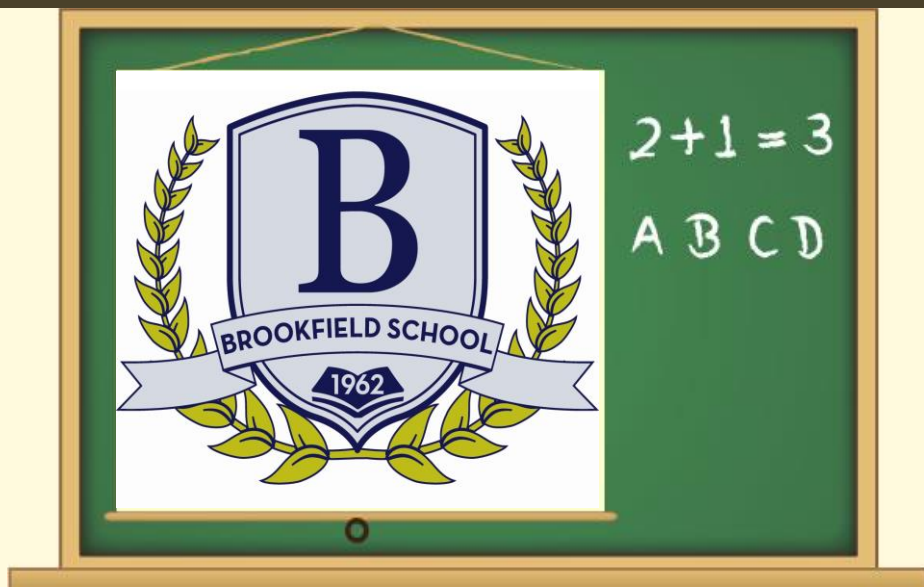


## Our School

We are the Brookfield Bears,  
We are the very best!  
We are the Brookfield Bears,  
Just watch us soar!  
As we revel in our fame,  
Everybody knows our name!  
From the valley floor,  
To the Tahoe Shore!



## *Did you know?*

### Science, Technology, Engineering, Art & Math (STEAM)

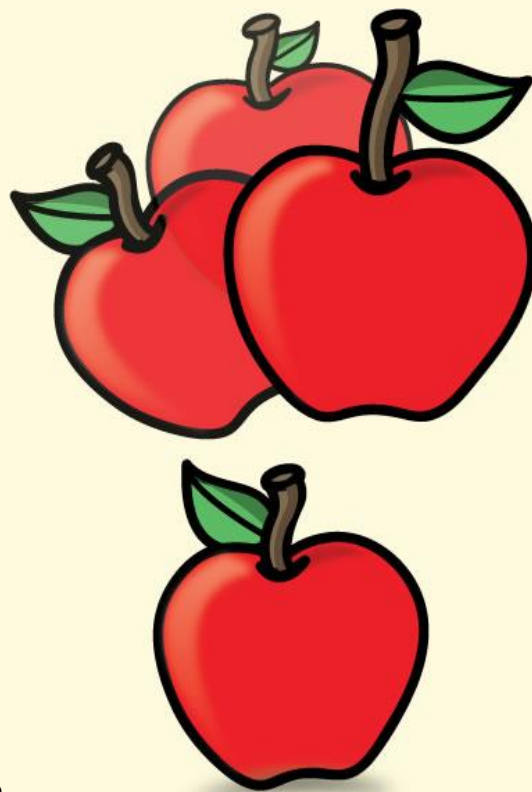
Our school is exploding with learning in all grades with studies in the science's. The 5<sup>th</sup> grade joined the Pre-first through 4<sup>th</sup> in a rigorous science curriculum through hands on investigative learning while also cultivating reading, writing, speaking, and research skills. The new 5<sup>th</sup> Grade program examines the topics of Astronomy: Exploring the Universe, Chemistry, Geology, and Physics.

### ST Math and Jiji have come to Brookfield!

You may have seen some students participating in a pilot project, ST Math. We have partnered with the Mind Research Institute to bring ST Math and Jiji to Brookfield. We will share the results of the ST Math program this spring to see if it correlates with higher student math confidence and ability. "14,921 Students choose to learn math on Christmas Day by logging into ST Math. MIND Research Institute Blog Dated Jan.3, 2018." Parents can find out more information by going to <http://www.mindresearch.org/>.

### Community Service

The student leadership program is arranging community service outreach. They are beginning with a food drive from January 15<sup>th</sup> to February 15<sup>th</sup> and will be dedicating time to work at the food bank. The class with the most food donated will be getting a reward. They are planning future outreach with veterans, animals, and the homeless.



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WELCOME WEDNESDAY'S

Open House's from 9:00am-11:00am

Invite your friends!

## 2018 Highlights

January 20 is Penguin Awareness Day. There are 17 penguin species on the planet.

Try for a free comic book on May 5. Since 2001 it has been Free Comic Book Day. Both local companies Comic Kingdom and Omega Frog Comics participate.

### All the Extra Highlights:

- ★ Coach Aitchison is wrapping up his Basketball season! Our teams did outstanding, go Bears!
- ★ Ms. Baran is producing a multiple grade level all school, "Shrek the Musical". Front row seats will be a must. Be on the lookout for more details.
- ★ Ms. Reid is developing our young artists into blossoming Monets.
- ★ Spanish and Chinese are flying high with Mrs. Kepplemann, Mrs. Ke and Mrs. Gigi.
- ★ Our new string orchestra sounded terrific. Look for their next performance on the calendar soon.
- ★ The amazing Ms. Bauer and Mr. McBeth have done it again developing our Pre-1<sup>st</sup> into young violinists joining the elementary violinists.
- ★ January 17, 2018 Kicks off our Welcome Wednesday from 9am-11am a community Open Houses at all three schools.

### Upcoming Dates:

- Jan 15<sup>th</sup> – Feb 15<sup>th</sup> - Family Appreciation Discounted Early Re-enrollment month
- January 15<sup>th</sup> MLK Jr. Day - School is in session
- February 7<sup>th</sup> - TLC Open House
- February 9<sup>th</sup>- Special Assemblies/ Switch Up Day
- February 10<sup>th</sup> PTA's Father-Daughter Dance
- February 15<sup>th</sup> - Middle & Elementary Open House Re-enrollment Meet and Greet
- February 15<sup>th</sup>- Discounted Re- Enrollment ends
- February 19<sup>th</sup>-23<sup>rd</sup>: Ski Week Vacation Camp
  - o Camp closed Monday, see office for signups.
- March 9<sup>th</sup> - PTA's Mother/Son Event Discovery Museum
- March 22<sup>nd</sup> - Science and Invention Night
- April TBA Career Day
- May 11<sup>th</sup>- Mother's Day Tea
- TBA- School Spring Shows

The Doors are Open...Come and See the Best in the West!



#### TLC OPEN HOUSE

185 Redfield Parkway

Wednesday, February 7<sup>th</sup>

From 8:00-10:00 am and 3:00-5:00 pm

Hundredth Day of School Celebration

Observe teachers and students hard at work in a supportive learning environment, which is rich and engaging. Speak with teachers, Administration and current parents while enjoying a refreshment. Visiting children will enjoy an activity.

#### Elementary Campus

6800 South McCarran Blvd

Thursday, February 15<sup>th</sup>

From 3:30-5:30 pm

You are invited to our school open house to visit teachers and programs in a meet and greet fashion in the Great Room, showing you our accelerated academics, and our individualized writing instruction. Student ambassadors will tour classrooms. We welcome you and your friends and will be available for tours and questions.

#### Middle School

6778 South McCarran Blvd

Thursday, February 15<sup>th</sup>

From 2:00pm- 4:00 pm

Parents, each student is excited to show you his/her accomplishments and progress. You will also have the opportunity to meet our classroom and specialty teachers and learn about our extracurricular activities. We invite you to visit and see for yourself.