



# Pioneers Open House

2023-2024



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Year 27 as an educator

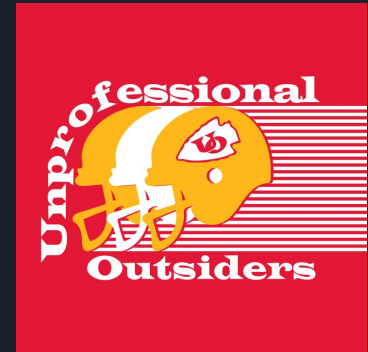
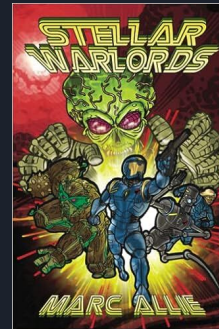
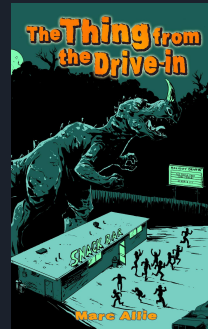
- Classroom teacher grades 2,3,5
- Reading teacher
- Technology coordinator
- Instructional coach

Year 9.1 in Pioneers

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Marc Allie  
5th grader  
Hilldale Elementary  
(Willard South  
Elementary)  
1984



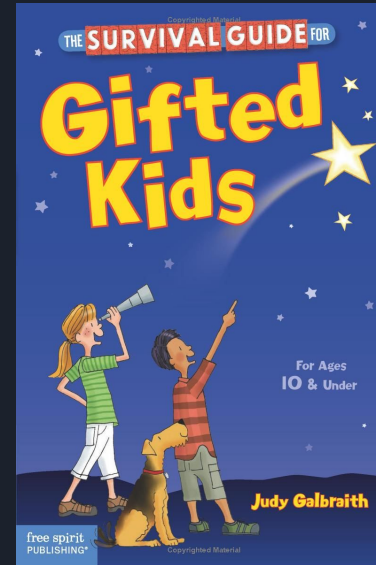
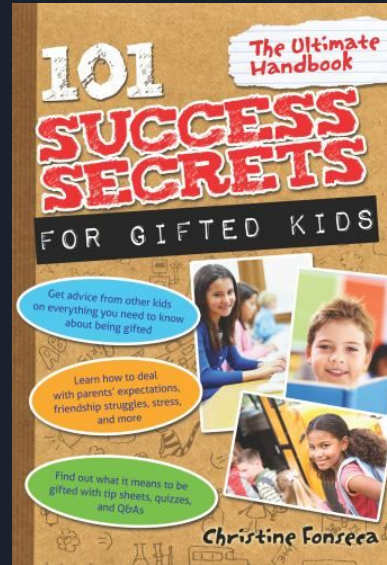


# Goals for the Pioneers Program

Assist in meeting the needs of gifted students

- Academic - enrichment, acceleration
- Social - “big fish”, getting along with others
- Emotional
  - Intensity
  - Perfectionism
  - Anxiety
  - Asynchronous Development

# Book Studies



# Pioneers in the regular classroom

- Homework policy
- Relationships with teachers
- Special classes/clubs to extend learning outside Pioneers







# SCHEDULE

**Tuesday - 5th and 6th graders from Intermediate North (Begins September 5)**

Wednesday - 2nd, 3rd, and 4th graders from Elementary North, East, and Central (bussed to Intermediate North, alternating weeks, see schedule below)

Central: 9/20, 10/4, 10/18, 11/1, 11/15, 12/6, 12/20

East/North: 9/13, 9/27, 10/11, 10/25, 11/8, 11/29, 12/13

**Thursday - 5th and 6th graders from Intermediate South (Begins September 7)**

**Friday - 2nd, 3rd, and 4th graders from Elementary South and Orchard Hills (bussed to Intermediate South, Begins September 15)**

**Tue/Wed and Thurs/Fri will likely swap at Semester!**



# PROCEDURES

## Tuesday Morning procedures:

Intermediate North: Check in with teacher, walk to Pioneers room (505)

## Wednesday Morning procedures (DRAFT):

AM: Central Elementary: Check in with teacher, wait near office for bus, dropped off in 500 hallway. Picked up at 11:45 and bussed back to school for lunch.

PM: North Elementary: Walk to Pioneers room at 12:15

East: After lunch, wait near office for bus, dropped off in 500 hallway at 12:15. Bussed back in time for end of day procedure at East.



# PROCEDURES

## Wednesday/Friday Morning procedures

Intermediate South: Check in, walk to Pioneers room:

Elementary South and Orchard Hills Elementary: Check in, wait near office for bus, meet Mr. Allie in Commons area

Lunch: All in WIS-S Cafeteria

End of day: Elementary South and Orchard Hills will get picked up at 3:00

Intermediate South will be dismissed from Pioneers at 3:15 (charge Chromebooks)



# Communication

Email - for “all Pioneers” information

SeeSaw - for day to day announcements and sharing student work

Signup for SeeSaw coming on first Pioneers day

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# Parent support

- Raising Pioneers Support Group
- 4-6 sessions this school year





# Questions?

