

— WELCOME — BACK TO SCHOOL

Dear Peñasco Elementary Parents/Guardians and students,

On behalf of the staff at Peñasco Elementary, I am happy to welcome everyone back for another GREAT and EXCITING school year with Panther Pride. Our phenomenal Elementary Team has been working hard and planning some amazing hands-on learning. This school year we will focus on Project Based Learning, embracing our heritage, traditions and our community.. We have planned some exciting events that will take place throughout the year and we look forward to seeing you there. As the saying goes, "It takes a village to raise a child," we look forward to working with all of you as we support one another to prepare your child for the next grade level.

My name is Michelle Gonzales, and I am both honored and humbled to continue serving as the Peñasco Elementary School principal for the 2023-24 school year.. I am looking forward to a productive partnership with parents, caregivers, participating family members and community, to ensure student safety, academic achievement, and social emotional learning.

My Staff and I welcome you to be involved in your child's learning! We welcome you to sign-up to participate in our PAC (Parent Advisory Committee) and Our Community Team. Please check our website for any updates and review our monthly newsletter.

We look forward to having our classrooms and hallways full of our students. Thank you in advance for your continued support and commitment to your PISD elementary student. We would like to welcome you all to our "Meet and Greet" on August 1, 2023 at 5:00pm, Elementary Commons.

Respectfully,

Michelle R. Gonzales, Elementary Principal- PISD