Open the GATE



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Dates to Remember:

Beyond Giftedness Parent Conference February 22nd, 2019 9:30 am-1:30 pm Arvada <u>http://ourgifted.com/parentconference-2/</u>

GATE-sponsored college tour for High School Students February 13th-14th

> Middle School Field Trip Skate City February 11th

Annual GATE-sponsored Spelling 🎬 Tuesday February 5th CCMS Auditorium @ 3:30

> Next PAGE Meeting February 21st, 2019 6:00-7:00 pm Access Building - Door 6 490 N. Diamond Avenue

Affective Education: The Curious Case of Impostor Syndrome

They believe that only they are aware of their limitations, near misses, and potential for error. They attribute their success to luck, not ability. In an attempt to maintain an illusion of perfection, they avoid situations in which they might not be the best. This is called Impostor's Syndrome. —Ian Byrd

For full article visit: <u>https://www.byrdseed.com/the</u> -curious-case-of-impostor-syndrome/

Gifted Kid Gift Guide by Lisa Van Gamert

Most gift guides focus on things or tangible items, but I know that some of the very best gifts are those that can create memories and build relationships. Some ideas include:

- memberships to local attractions
- a coupon book of monthly experiences
- an indoor picnic

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- play any game you like for x minutes/hours/days
- go out for ice cream
- movie night your choice, unlimited popcorn!
- zoo/science museum/other local attraction
- science experiment night
- "choose-your-own-experience" (include a time and money limit)
- camp in backyard
- dessert for dinner
 - a hike
 - an art/craft project

Last Quarter in GATE:

Harrison Middle School students will be ending their 2nd quarter in the Shark Tank! Their projects will be judged on the following:

Creativeness of their invention

Persuasiveness of their marketing

Ability to present and articulate their product

CCMS 8th grade students used creative thinking, problem solving and an understanding of some basic physics to develop a catapult. Their objective was to use the catapult to send their Candy Corn pieces the furthest. Guest speaker Ian Sturgeon presented to groups of students about his experience as a local entrepreneur and his business Double Under Wunder.

Brain Teaser

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