

# DRAGON'S LAIR

Genevieve Didion K-8

March 2019



## UPCOMING EVENTS

- Mar. 6 PTA Meeting in the Library at 6:00 pm
- Mar. 8 Third Grade Read Around
- Mar. 8 Middle School Dance at 3:00 - 5:00 pm
- Mar. 11 Academic Talent Search Qualifying Exam at 8:15 am
- Mar. 15 Shortened Day/End of 2nd Trimester (1st-6th)
- Mar. 15 Leprechaun Traps Display in the Gym
- Mar. 15 Sacramento Youth Symphony at 8:15 - 9:00 am in the Multipurpose Room (3rd - 6th)
- Mar. 15 Garden Work Day at 1:00 - 3:00 pm
- Mar. 24-29 8th Grade Catalina Trip
- Mar. 25-29 Parent-Teacher Conferences/Shortened Day (K-6th)
- Mar. 29 Shortened Day/End of 3rd Quarter (7th & 8th)
- Mar. 29 College Spirit Day - Dress up in your favorite college gear
- Mar. 29 Father Daughter Dance at 6:00 - 8:30 pm
- Apr. 3 & 5 Talent Show Auditions
- Apr. 6 Pancake Breakfast
- Apr. 9 Spring Photos
- Apr. 15-19 Spring Break/No School

## REMINDER: CAASP TESTING IN SPRING

Just as a reminder, all students in grades 3-8 will take the California standardized CAASPP exams in English and math, and all 5th and 8th grade students will also take a science exam. More information will be forthcoming from me and from your teachers, including the testing schedule. In the meantime here are some helpful links to parent resources, including information on practice tests:

- [Smarter Balanced Summative Assessments](#) (English and math)
- [California Science Test](#)

# PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

It is hard to believe that we are down to only about three months of school until the end of the year! March is another exciting and busy month at Didion. But before I preview some of this month's upcoming events, I want to recap some of the wonderful things that took place during the month of February.

We packed a lot into the short month of February. We had a visit from the Lawrence Hall of Science, who provided a fun, hands-on assembly for our students. Our 4th-6th grade basketball team formed and has already played two games, bringing home two big victories with hopefully many more to come. Didion also had our annual Lunar New Year Parade, where we celebrated Chinese New Year as well as many other cultures representative of our student body. We ended the month with two more amazing events – the Battle of the Books and the MLK Oratorical contest. For the Battle of the Books, 5th through 8th graders were tasked with reading several books and battled it out, trivia-style. The 6th grade team of Katie Yue, Allannah Torres, and Jordyn LaPlaca were crowned (literally) this year's champions. Great job, girls! At the MLK Oratorical contest, 4th through 6th graders recited an excerpt from Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.'s "I Have a Dream" speech. The winners – Sienna Ratanasen (4th grade), Lily Agraan (5th grade), and Katie Yue (6th grade) – all delivered the speech with passion and conviction, and reminded us all of Dr. King's vision of equality and freedom. While only three speakers were acknowledged as winners, ALL of the speakers did an amazing job and made us incredibly proud. It took a lot of time and planning to put together these three events, and I would like to thank Mrs. Nakagawa, Mrs. Rechs, and Mrs. Chambers, respectively, for their work in organizing these three trademark Didion events.



The month of March promises to be busy and exciting as well. You'll see exact dates later in the newsletter and shared via the online calendar, but here's a preview: The elementary basketball season will keep bouncing along, while the middle school (grades 6-8) soccer season will kick-off mid-month. We are expecting a visit from the Sacramento Youth Symphony to perform for our students, as well as our Third Grade Read Around and Leprechaun Trap Project days to look forward to. We'll also have our next spirit day ("College Day") this month, as well as our much-anticipated Father-Daughter Dance. Academic Talent Search testing will also take place this month on campus. We will also be wrapping up the second trimester (elementary school) and the third quarter (middle school) this month with minimum days.



This month we will also be launching a running program in partnership with the Sacramento Running Association (SRA) called STRIDES. This will be a non-competitive running and movement program for all interested 1st-6th grade students. More information will be announced at an assembly mid-month. Mrs. Miyata-Predmore is our STRIDES coordinator and will be spearheading this awesome new opportunity. This will sequeway nicely to our Jog-a-thon fundraiser, which will be at the beginning of April (more information forthcoming).

Lastly, the work to install our LCD mounts – generously funded by the PTA and our families – is beginning the week of March 4th. It is fitting that our SEL character trait for this month is GRATITUDE. As a community, we have much to be thankful for, whether it be the generous contributions of our families, the time and effort put forth by our staff and volunteers, or the amazing opportunity we have to work with these kids every single day. Have a great month!

# A LOOK BACK

## LUNAR NEW YEAR CELEBRATION

Our school enjoyed a special Lunar New Year celebration, with a special lion dance from the Eastern Ways Lion Dance Team and a parade with all of our students.



## BATTLE OF THE BOOKS

The third annual Battle of the Books was held on February 28th. The kids in 6th-8th grade worked hard preparing and their effort showed in a close and exciting battle between the 21 participating teams. We also had three teams of teachers battle in our first ever Exhibition Round! Every participant got to enjoy pizza and rootbeer floats provided by our PTA and the following teams took the bronze, silver and gold prizes:

**Bronze:** The Cooking Channel: Lauren Felder, Ashleigh LaPlaca and Alyssa Newman

**Silver:** The Smarties: Kaitlyn Lorenzo, Kaila Velasquez and Claire Mills

**GOLD:** Katie Yue, Allonnah Torres and Jordyn LaPlaca

**Exhibition Team:** The Winners: James Eder, Kelie Porter and Pamela Tateishi



Gold Prize Winners

## MLK ORATORICAL

The annual Martin Luther King, Jr. Oratorical showcased our 4th-6th grade student speakers, as they recited an excerpt from the iconic "I Have a Dream" speech. Each class was represented by two speakers, and one speaker from each grade was chosen as winner. Our special judges included Mr.



Reginald Brown, Principal of John Still K-8 School, Ms Faye Sharpe, Principal of Martin Luther King, Jr. K-8 School, and retired Didion principal, Mr. Norm Policar. The speeches were interspersed with inspirational music led by Mrs. Ricks-Chambers.

**4th Grade Winner:**  
Sienna Ratanasen

**5th Grade Winner:**  
Lily Agraan

**6th Grade Winner:**  
Katie Yue



# IN THE KNOW

## PTA 2019-2020 ELECTIONS

Wednesday, March 6th at 6:00 pm in the Library

The Parent-Teacher Association will be voting on board positions for the 2019-2020 school year. These include President, Vice President, Treasurer, Secretary and Historian. All parents are encouraged to attend and have your voice heard! Last minute nominations for board positions are also allowed.

## ACADEMIC TALENT SEARCH

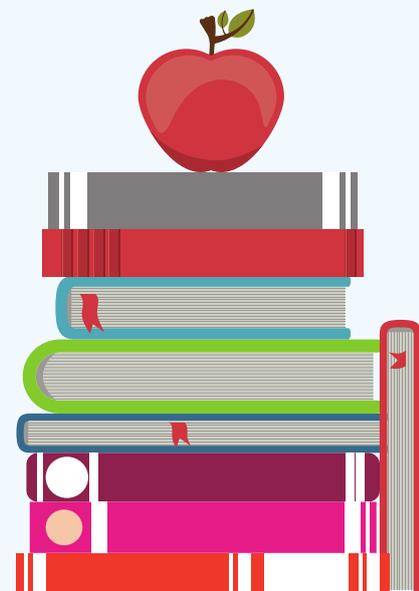
Qualifying Exam March 11th at 8:15 am in the Library

Are you interested in getting a taste of the college experience? Academic Talent Search (ATS) offers 4th-9th graders (grade level as of 1/1/19) exciting summer courses at Sacramento State that you pick for yourself! Choose from classes like All the World's a Stage, Algebra 1, Escape Room Math, Messy Science, Photoshop, Robotics, Neuropsychology, Video Game Development and many others. At ATS, you can spend your summer doing what you love, take classes on a university campus, and make new friends who share your interests and passion for learning!

To join these interactive and hands-on classes, you need to take the ATS Qualifying Exam. The test takes about an hour and there is no pass or fail, so there's no need to stress. You **MUST** take the test to apply for classes, but you don't have to apply if you change your mind. The Qualifying Exam requires a \$20 processing fee and will be offered at Didion on Monday, March 11, 2019 at 8:15am in the Library.

Look for the ATS information sheet and test sign-up form attached to the end of this newsletter for class information and costs. A hard copy will also be coming home soon.

For more information call the front office at (916) 395-4575. Additional details and financial aid information can be found on the ATS website at [www.csus.edu/coe/ats](http://www.csus.edu/coe/ats).



## GARDEN WORK DAY

Friday, March 15th from 1:00 - 3:00 pm in the Garden

The garden committee is looking for a crew to get our garden ready for spring planting. The event will take place on March 15th from 1pm until 3pm. (This is also a minimum day for K-6 students.) We need to weed, pull out winter plants, and amend the soil. While the students will be involved in planting, volunteers will help to get the spring garden started. If interested, please email Nancy Keating at [nancy-keating@scusd.edu](mailto:nancy-keating@scusd.edu).



## FATHER DAUGHTER DANCE

Friday, March 29th from 6:00 - 8:30 pm

***"Find a mask and wear it well, so your identity no one can tell!"***

The Father Daughter dance is back! Don't miss out on this fun-filled night! We'll see you on March 29th from 6-8:30 pm for an elegant Masquerade Ball.

A pre-sale flier was sent home with your daughter and more are available in the office if you need another copy. We are in need of donations and volunteers, if you are interested in helping out please follow this link to our signup page.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/409094DABA623A0F85-father>

See you there!



# STUDENTS OF THE MONTH

The Elk's Lodge #6 has a Student of the Month program that recognizes one high achieving students from area schools each month. They generously host a luncheon for the Student of the Month recipient and his or her family where they recognize the student and award him or her a small gift.

## BERNARDO DEL REAL

*Selected for February*

### **How many years have you attended Didion?**

I've attended for two years, and I decided to come here because it seemed like the best choice since friends had told me about it.

### **What has been your favorite memory of Didion?**

Making new friends.

### **What high school do you plan on attending next year?**

I'll be attending the Kennedy High School PACE program.

### **What are your hobbies?**

I wrestle for a group that practices at Kennedy High School. I've been doing that for two years, and I like it because it's fast-paced and you have to think about your next move in order to win.

### **What's the best book you've read this school year?**

Dark Matter because it had some interesting ideas about the multiverse.

### **What's your least favorite food?**

Oatmeal. I've never liked it because of the texture.

### **What's something that most people don't know about you?**

I took gymnastics when I was two.



## JAYLEN HODGES

*Selected for January*

### **How many years have you attended Didion?**

I've been here for eight years, and I've been friends with the same people since elementary school.

### **What has been your favorite memory of Didion?**

Being on the same Ultimate Frisbee team, basketball team, and soccer team with my friends. When I play with my friends it's easy because I know

what their tendencies are and it's fun to be together since we have practices for up to three hours a week.

### **Your mom coached you for the past three years. What's your favorite memory of being coached by her?**

When we won the Platinum bracket basketball championship in sixth grade. We all ran out onto the court and yelled because we were so excited.

### **What high school do you plan on attending next year?**

McClatchy High School

### **What are your hobbies?**

Just playing basketball outside all the time.

### **What's your least favorite food?**

Vegetables, since I don't like the taste.

### **What's something that most people don't know about you?**

My grandpa on my dad's side played in the NBA for the Bulls, and he holds a record for most consecutive three pointers made in the All-Star three point contest.

# NOTES FROM THE PTA

*The Parent-Teacher Association (PTA) supports the Didion community through fundraising and volunteer efforts*

## UPCOMING PTA MEETINGS

PTA Meetings are held every other month, on the first Wednesday of the month at 6:00 PM in the library. Childcare is provided.

- MARCH 6TH
- MAY 1ST

## DIDION FUNDRAISERS

*Upcoming & Current Ways to Support our School*

- **NUGGET SCRIP CARDS**

Nugget scrip cards are now available in the Didion front office! Pick up yours today so you can donate to Didion when you shop at the Nugget.

- **DIDION GEAR**

Support our school AND sport your Didion gear every Friday! Available for purchase at the front office.

- **AMAZON SMILE**

A simple and automatic way for you to support our school every time you shop on Amazon. [Click here to start.](#)

- **SHOPPING TO EDUCATE**

Do you shop at Lakecrest Village? Help earn cash for Didion by turning in your receipts to the front office.

- **BOX TOPS**

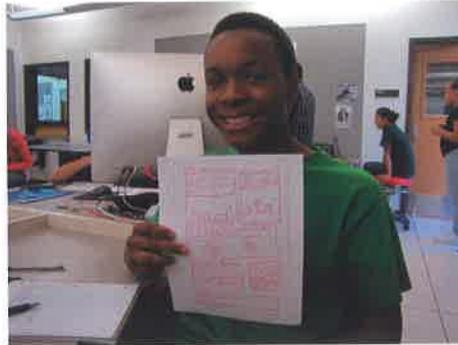
From Cheerios to Kleenex, Ziplock to Fruit Roll-ups, save your Box Tops and turn them into your child's teacher.



# Academic Talent Search

[information sheet for students and parents]

- ATS offers fun & challenging classes at Sacramento State for students in 4<sup>th</sup> - 9<sup>th</sup> grade (grade level as of Jan. 1, 2019)
- More than 46,500 students have attended in the past 37 years • Over \$22,000 in financial aid scholarships and fee waivers was granted in 2018 • ATS is a nonprofit supporting organization & receives no University, state, or federal funding



*“ATS is a good way to get extra education that is very different than normal school! They pick out the most interesting and fun subjects to teach about. I will be going back to ATS next summer and if they had it all year around I would go then too!”*

– ATS Student



*“ATS has definitely made me more interested in attending college. College was always something I just imagined, but now I have an experience to go along with it.”*

– ATS Student

## What is Academic Talent Search (ATS)?

- A unique summer program that allows students to explore in-depth the subjects they love.
- An opportunity to explore potential college majors and career pathways.
- A chance to preview the “college” experience in a fast-paced, supportive environment.

## Why should I participate?

- Explore interesting topics with interactive hands-on classes designed to encourage critical thinking, problem solving, and analytical skills.
- Enhance your independence while being treated like “college students” on the Sacramento State campus.
- Gain self-confidence and try out potential career paths while learning in University classrooms and labs.
- Learn from university professors, public and private school teachers, and leading business professionals.
- Discover new academic and creative challenges in topics not always available in regular school.
- Accelerate your learning in traditional subjects. ATS classes feature above-grade-level curriculum. So a class in the 4-5 Program may be covering 8<sup>th</sup> grade content standards while a class in the 6-9 Program might be completing a year’s worth of high school material in 5 weeks.

## How do I get involved?

- Be in 4<sup>th</sup> - 9<sup>th</sup> grade as of January 1, 2019.
- Take the ATS Qualifying Exam (*College Ability Test*), which assesses your reasoning abilities.
  - Current 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> graders take the “intermediate” level exam.
  - Current 6<sup>th</sup> - 9<sup>th</sup> graders take the “advanced” level exam.
- Taking the test automatically qualifies you for the program. There is no pass or fail.
- Use your test scores to help determine which ATS classes best match your skills and interests.
  - There are classes available for ALL score levels.

## Where can I take the test?

### AT YOUR SCHOOL

- More than 200 schools offered on-site testing last year.
- A \$20 processing fee is payable on the day of the test.
- Check with your school to see if they are offering the exam in 2019.

### AT SACRAMENTO STATE

- Students representing more than 200 schools took the test at the University in 2018.
- Testing will be held at Sacramento State in 2019 on January 26, February 2, February 23 & March 9.
- A \$20 processing fee is payable the day of the test.
- Contact ATS to reserve your place.

See ATS in action on *Inside California Education*, a joint production of KVIE-DTV and NationalEdOnline!  
insidecaled.org



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## Classes

Students take classes grouped by grade level: current 4th & 5th graders take classes separately from 6th–9th graders. (A 4th grader will not be in classes with 9th graders.) Over 100 courses are planned each summer.

### 4-5 PROGRAM

Classes planned include:

- Acting: All the World's a Stage
- Engineering: Roller Coasters
- Escape Room Math
- Introduction to Japanese
- Making Math Fun: Hands-On Algebra & Geometry
- Robotics
- Sketch, Draw & Create: Design Clothes & Costumes
- and more!

### 6-9 PROGRAM

Classes planned include:

- Acting for Stage and Screen
- Acting: Comedy & Improvisation
- Algebra 1 (Fast-Paced)
- Biomechanics
- Create & Code Using Arduino
- Creative Writing: Dystopian Stories
- Fantastico Fundamental Spanish
- Hands-On Psychology
- Introduction to Latin
- Introduction to TV Broadcasting
- Japanese (Beginning)
- Mock Trial: Fact or Fiction
- Neuropsychology
- Photoshop: Creating Digital Images
- Robotics
- The Science of Logic
- The Science of Saving Lives
- and more!

*"My daughter had a great time and is looking forward to participating again next year. I appreciate the wide variety of subjects to choose from and the engaging instructors."*

- ATS Parent

## Cost Overview

Because ATS receives no government funding or tax monies, course fees support the cost of offering the classes. Class fees for Summer 2018 ranged from \$150 to \$450 depending on the length of the course.



4-5 Program 1-week course: \$355\*

6-9 Program 1-week short course: \$150\*  
1- and 3-week regular classes: \$360\*  
5-week accelerated courses: \$450\*

\* Fees listed are from Summer 2018. 2019 fee information will be included in the ATS Summer Catalog available in late March.

### Financial Aid and Scholarships

ATS recognizes that some families' financial circumstances make it difficult to participate in classes. To provide equal educational opportunities for all qualified students regardless of the financial resources of the family, ATS offers testing fee waivers and financial aid for summer classes.

Each year, ATS provides fee reduction scholarships to students from economically disadvantaged families who otherwise might not be able to attend due to costs. Applicants whose family income levels are lowest are awarded larger scholarships than those reporting higher incomes.



## Summer Schedule

### 6TH-9TH GRADE SESSIONS:

| Duration | Start/End Dates      | Classes Meet         |
|----------|----------------------|----------------------|
| 3 weeks  | June 17 to July 3 *  | 2 or 3 days per week |
| 1 week   | June 17 to June 21   | 5 days per week      |
| 1 week   | June 24 to June 28   | 5 days per week      |
| 5 weeks  | June 24 to July 26 * | 3 or 4 days per week |
| 3 weeks  | July 8 to July 26    | 2 or 3 days per week |
| 1 week   | July 8 to July 12    | 5 days per week      |
| 1 week   | July 15 to July 19   | 5 days per week      |
| 1 week   | July 22 to July 26   | 5 days per week      |

\* No classes will be held Thursday, July 4 or Friday, July 5

### 4TH & 5TH GRADE SESSIONS:

| Duration | Start/End Dates    | Classes Meet    |
|----------|--------------------|-----------------|
| 1 week   | June 17 to June 21 | 5 days per week |
| 1 week   | June 24 to June 28 | 5 days per week |
| 1 week   | July 8 to July 12  | 5 days per week |
| 1 week   | July 15 to July 19 | 5 days per week |
| 1 week   | July 22 to July 26 | 5 days per week |

## Questions? For more information, contact ATS:

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❖ Congratulations! ❖

Your school is offering you the opportunity to participate in Academic Talent Search (ATS) at Sacramento State. As mentioned on the Information for Students and Parents sheet (provided by your school), ATS offers fun, interactive, fast-paced summer classes to 4th through 9th grade students. Our program gives students the opportunity to study in fields like art, business, computer science, engineering, law, and science (as well as other subjects not readily available to students in this age group). Last year, some of our most popular classes included Algebra 1, Introduction to Japanese, LEGO Robotics, Mock Trial, and Neuropsychology. Since 1982, more than 46,500 students have taken advantage of the educational opportunities provided by ATS on the Sac State campus. In 2018, ATS awarded over \$22,000 in financial aid and fee waivers to students.

To be eligible for ATS, all you need to do is be a current 4th through 9th grade student (grade level as of January 1, 2019) and take the ATS Qualifying Exam. Taking the test automatically qualifies you for ATS. The test takes a little over an hour and assesses your academic abilities. Students in 4th and 5th grades take the "intermediate" level exam, while 6th through 9th graders take the "advanced" level test. Good news! Scores do NOT affect your school grades, and there is no "failing" the ATS test- it gives you a measurement of your academic abilities and strengths. Taking the test does not mean you have to attend ATS, but it gives you the option to attend these fun and unique classes at Sac State this summer.

Your ATS School Representative (usually the person who gave you this form) can tell you when the test will be offered at your school. To sign up, complete the back of this sheet and return it to your School Representative at least one week prior to the testing date. On the day of the test, bring the \$20 processing fee with you (fees should not be submitted before the exam). This fee covers the scoring of your exam and the mailing of your test results directly to your home. If you cannot afford the test processing fee, ask your School Representative about a Testing Fee Waiver.

Again, congratulations on being offered this opportunity! If you have any questions, please call the ATS office (916-278-7032), send us an email (ats@csus.edu), or for more information visit the ATS website at http://www.csus.edu/coe/ats. We hope you will join us this summer at Sac State!

Scarlet P. Maurin

Director

Lynda Nakamura

Program Manager

Quick Facts...

❖ About the ATS Test ❖

• ATS strongly encourages students take the test each year because:

- ATS will accept your highest scores from the appropriate level of the exam, so there is no risk in retesting!
• Class placements are made top score down until all seats are filled.

• Testing is also available at Sac State (\$20 fee per student). Contact ATS to sign up for one of these Saturdays:

- January 26, 2019
February 2, 2019
February 23, 2019
March 9, 2019

❖ About ATS Classes ❖

• ATS's wide variety of classes include new topics not covered in regular school, as well as traditional subjects taught at an accelerated level.

• Students gain exposure to a collegiate environment by attending classes at Sac State.

• Participants meet new friends from across the region who share an enthusiasm for learning.

• ATS recommends many classes in the 6th through 9th grade program for high school credit.



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❖ Have your parent/guardian complete the back of this form ❖

(and have the opportunity to test and join the fun at ATS at Sacramento State!)

Return it to your ATS School Representative (usually the person who gave you this form) at least one week before the testing date.

Don't forget to bring \$20 cash, check, or money order (payable to ATS) to school ON the day of the test. Please note: Returned checks are subject to penalty fees per University Enterprises, Inc.

If you cannot afford the processing fee, ask your School Representative about a Testing Fee Waiver.

Visit the ATS website at www.csus.edu/coe/ats • Email ats@csus.edu • Call (916) 278-7032 • For up-to-date information like us on Facebook!

**Why should I take this test?**

The *College Ability Test* can offer valuable experience in taking a college admission-type exam. Test results also help identify special aptitudes to be further developed. There is no risk in testing, as test scores do not affect your regular school grades. The test is designed for older students, so you are not expected to know all of the answers or prepare for the test in any way.

**If I have taken the test before, do I have to take it again?**

If you are currently in grade 6 or above and last tested as a 4th or 5th grader, you will need to test again to take the “advanced” level exam this year. Because classes are filled top-score down, **ATS strongly encourages all students to take the test every year.** ATS will accept your highest scores from the appropriate level of the exam, so there is no risk in retesting!

**How much does the test cost?**

There is a \$20 processing fee (payable to ATS on the day of the test), which covers the scoring of your exam and the mailing of your test results directly to your home. If you cannot afford the processing fee, ask your School Representative about a *Testing Fee Waiver*.

**❖ About the ATS Qualifying Exam ❖**

The *College Ability Test* takes no more than 1 hour and 15 minutes – this includes instructions and two 20-minute sections (verbal and quantitative). Students take the multiple choice test appropriate for their grade: current 4th and 5th graders take the “intermediate” level, and current 6th–9th graders take the “advanced” level. Taking the test automatically qualifies you for ATS. The test is not “pass” or “fail,” as it does not measure specific knowledge; rather, it measures your academic abilities.

**• Verbal Section**

The verbal section tests your knowledge of the meaning of words and your ability to identify relationships between pairs of words. You will be asked to find the pair of words that go together in the same way as the first two words.

**Example****gym : exercise ::**

- a) cafeteria : eat      c) car : sit  
b) mall : sell      d) auditorium : clap

**Solution**

To solve analogy questions, put the primary pair of words into a sentence which explains their relationship (“You go to a gym to exercise.”). Next, substitute the answer choices into your sentence until you create a sentence that makes sense. The correct answer is A: “Gym” is related to “exercise” as “cafeteria” is related to “eat”.

**• Quantitative Section**

The quantitative section tests how well you work with numbers. Each question has two parts (Column A and Column B). You must determine if the value presented in Column A is greater than the value presented in Column B, if the parts are equal, or if there is not enough information to decide.

**Example****Column A****Column B**

Value of 3 nickels  
and 1 dime

Value of 2 dimes  
and 1 nickel

- A if the part in Column A is greater  
B if the part in Column B is greater  
C if the two parts are equal  
D if not enough information is given for you to decide

**Solution**

The example is asking you to add. Since a nickel is 5 cents and a dime is 10 cents, in Column A,  $5+5+5+10$  is equal to 25. This is the same answer as  $10+10+5$  in Column B. Therefore, the answer to the question is C.

**ATS Test Sign-Up Form for 4th through 9th graders**

Parent(s): Please return this completed form to your School Representative at least 1 week before the test to secure your student’s seat.

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|---|---|---|
| Student Last Name                       | Student First Name                        | Student Middle Initial  |
| Mailing Address                         | Apt#                                      |   |
| City                                    | State                                     | Zip   |
| Primary Phone (    )                    | Primary Email                             |   |
| Current School                          | Current Grade as of Jan. 1, 2019 (circle) | 4 <sup>th</sup> 5 <sup>th</sup> 6 <sup>th</sup> 7 <sup>th</sup> 8 <sup>th</sup> 9 <sup>th</sup> |
| Parent Name                             | Parent Signature                          |   |
| *A Message from your ATS Representative |   |   |

2019 Didion  
Father Daughter Dance

*Masquerade  
Ball*



Find a marvelous mask and wear it well, so your identity no one can tell.

**Friday, March 29<sup>th</sup> 6:00 – 8:30**

*Enchanted Dancing, Magical Photo Booth, Delightful Raffle,  
Mysterious Mask Craft, and Refreshments!*

Save money on presale tickets! Return this form with payment to your teacher/office by March 15th!

The fathers in our lives come in many forms—all father figures are welcome!

| PRESALE PRICE | AFTER MARCH 15               |
|---------------|------------------------------|
| \$25          | \$35 for 1 daughter          |
| \$35          | \$45 for 2 daughters         |
| \$45          | \$55 for 3 or more daughters |

Your help is needed! Please check the [signup.com](http://signup.com) to volunteer and to donate food, drinks and raffle prizes. If you have any questions, please contact Cathy Rechs [rechscathy@gmail.com](mailto:rechscathy@gmail.com) or Erin Pacheco [erinmpacheco@gmail.com](mailto:erinmpacheco@gmail.com)

2019 Didion Father Daughter Dance Presale Form – Due March 15

Student Name(s):

Teacher Name(s):

Room #:

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\$25 for 1 daughter     \$35 for 2 daughters     \$45 for 3 or more daughters

Professional portraits, circle one:    \$15 for 2 prints (1 pose)    \$30 for 4 prints (2 poses)    \$45 for 6 prints (3 poses)

\$ \_\_\_\_\_ raffle tickets, fill in dollar amount, sold in bundles of 10 tickets for \$5

TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Payment, circle one: CASH    CHECK (payable to Didion PTA)