

2009/2010 Calendar

November

7th State Debate Conference
11th G/T Networking
11th Creative Pursuit Registration Due 5-6

December

2nd District Creative Pursuit Bowl 5th/6th
3rd Future Problem Solving Practice #2
Due
8th State Creative Pursuit Bowl 5th/6th
9th Monster Math Registration Due 2nd-6th

January

13th G/T Networking
13th Story Weavers: A Storytelling
Showcase registration due. 4th-6th
28th-30th UAGC (G/T Conference)

February

4th Scenario Writing Due
4th FPS: State Qualifying Problem due
5th Story Weaver Event 4-6
10th G/T Networking
10th History Fair Registration Due 4-6
10th Talented Young Writers Registration
Due 1st-3rd
26th History Fair completed website and
papers due. 4-6

March

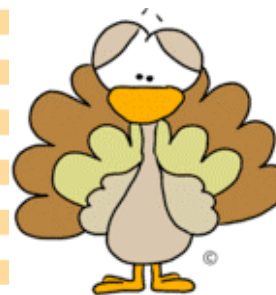
10th G/T Networking
10th Talented Young Writers Entries Due
1st-3rd
26th District History Fair 4th-6th
31st Monster Math Contest Problems Due
(Traditional, A and D Track) 2nd-6th

April

6th Debate Registration Due
9th State History Fair (Logan Center/Farmington)
14th G/T Networking
14th Creative Pursuit Registration Due 3rd-
4th
15th District Debate
17th State FPS Bowl
22nd Middle School Debate
23rd State Elementary Debate 5th -6th
30th Monster Math Contest Problems Due
for B and C Tracks. 2nd -6th

May

3rd Jr. Creative Pursuit Reg. Due 1st -2nd
7th Talented Young Writers Celebration 1st-
3rd
12th G/T Networking
13th District Creative Pursuit Bowl 3rd -4th
20th Jr. Creative Pursuit Share Fair 1st/2nd



History Fair Theme: *Innovation in History: Impact & Change*

Students in grades 4-6 select a topic related to the theme and express what is learned through a *performance, documentary, paper, 3-D exhibit, or a web site*. Like professional historians, students do background research using secondary sources to understand the context of their topic and creatively interpret primary sources in order to answer questions about their topic. Find step-by-step directions/examples on the G/T web site! Registration: Feb. 12 and District History Fair: Mar. 26

Secondary source: A book or article written by an author who is NOT an eyewitness or a participant in the historical event or period.

Primary source: Material written or produced in the time period students are investigating.

Creative Pursuit (Grades 5-6)

Student teams experience creativity, teamwork and problem solving as they undertake this year's challenge of creating a museum that ties directly to their curriculum. Teams must register by **Nov 11** for the District Creative Pursuit Bowl that will be held **Dec 2, 2008**. (*Packets and resources available on G/T website.*)

Monster Math: Grades 2-6

Students work in small groups to solve challenging open-ended problems, with an emphasis on explaining, reasoning and showing approaches. See the G/T web site for detailed information about program changes, forms and updated resource book. Registration: December 9 and Contest: Traditional, A, & D - **March 18-31** / Tracks B and C: **April 19-30**. *Each school registered to participate in the Monster Math contest will need a School Contest Facilitator.*

UAGC Conference January 28-29

The Utah Association for Gifted Children annual conference will be held January 28-30 at the Davis Conference Center in Layton. This year's conference theme is "Teaching & Parenting for High Potential: Meeting the Needs of Diverse Learners." Topics will include meeting the needs of low-income gifted students, researched-based curriculum for high ability learners, and content-based strategies for the regular classroom. Watch for more information to come to your schools or visit our website to download a conference flyer.

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<http://t4.jordandistrict.org/gandt/index.php>



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