



AU COURANT BULLETIN

L'ORGANISATION DES PARENTS D'ÉLÈVES
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TEACHER'S CORNER

Get to know the staff at FASD! Each month, we will highlight one of FASD's teachers.

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CONNECT WITH THE PTO:

- Join our email list - info@opedenver.com
- Attend our monthly meeting - 2nd Wed of each month, 6-7 pm
- Sign up to help

Meet Ms. Agnes



She's a kindergarten teacher at FASD. She was born in Paris and grew up in the small village of Savoy. She has been teaching for 23 years!

We asked her some questions so you can get to know her!

1. What is your favorite thing about working with kids? Each days is different. No time to think about your personal difficulties when you're at school!
2. What is one cool thing you've learned about America? I finally understood what a cruise control was for!
5. What is your favorite season? Fall was very nice, but it seems that all season are great in Colorado.
6. What is your favorite food and beverage? I love Coca cola (!!) and... chocolate!
7. What is your favorite color? blue, pink... and rainbow because I'm a Kindergarten teacher, so I have to love rainbows and unicorns!!
8. What makes you smile? Manu and Romain's jokes!!!
9. What is your ideal vacation? Traveling anywhere with my family.
10. What do you like to do in your spare time? Watching Netflix, eating chocolate ice cream, and discover new places.

VISTING ARTIST PROGRAM

We are excited to announce a new enrichment program at FASD! Starting in March, we will begin our Visiting Artist Program, featuring visual and musical artists lessons for our students.

Our first project will kick off the week of March 21-25 and will feature a lesson on George Rodrique's Blue Dog taught by Art for Life. Docents will be needed for each class, so please watch your email for a sign-up.

On April 7, we will welcome Opera Colorado for workshops to introduce the children to the opera. In addition, we will host Art for Life the week of April 18-22 and will learn about Monet's Waterlilies.

May will include a spring-themed art lesson from Art For Life (May 9-13) and a performance of *Pirates of Penzance* by Opera Colorado on May 17.

UNIFORM EXCHANGE

Have clothes your child has grown out of? Need new clothes for spring? We are planning a uniform exchange. If you would like to participate, please fill out the [Google Form](#).

SUPPORT YOUR SCHOOL

Do you shop at King Soopers? What about Amazon? Did you know you can help support FASD by linking your accounts to French American School of Denver?

At King Soopers, link your loyalty card to the school. For Amazon, sign up at AmazonSmiles.

MEET YOUR TEACHER

On Monday, March 14 from 3:45-4:45 pm, come meet our newest teacher, Daniella O'Malley, and our student teacher, Gena Lyon. You can also meet the teacher who will be teaching your child next year. It is a time you don't want to miss!

LES MIS PERFORMANCE



Calling all FASD parents! Do you paint? Sew? Build? Draw? Simply want to be a part of making our Les Miserables production 'fantastique'?! We are looking for parent volunteers to help with set design, costumes, backstage, day-of help, and more! Please email Erin Lassahn-Hellstrom at erinlassahn@gmail.com to help whether you have just an hour, or dozens to give. Thank you!

TEACHER APPRECIATION

At FASD, we LOVE our teachers! And to show them our love, the Teacher Appreciation committee has been feeding them!

On Valentine's Day, we hosted a breakfast for the teachers and staff and gave them goody bags with chocolates.

In late February, we fed them breakfast for their professional development day.

For International Women's Day, we also provided them with a breakfast and some flowers to brighten their day.

We have more plans in the works too, including some fun for Teacher Appreciation Week. Thank you for all who have donated to this fun! So far we have collected \$1,333 for these appreciation events.



EVENTS CORNER

- Meet and Greet FASD Teachers: March 14, 3:45-4:45 pm
- FASDenver Board of Directors Meeting: March 16, 6:00 p.m. (virtual)
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86466562830>pwd=N2V1eHpiYnpXbnlySzEzTXZiSUdhUT09
Meeting ID: 864 6656 2830, Passcode: 036868
- Family Paint Night: April 7, 6:30-7:30 pm
- School Accountability Committee: April 11, 3:45 p.m. (in person/virtual)
meet.google.com/kip-tttt-rss or Phone Number: (US)+1 304-790-6160 PIN: 695 749 248#
- Lunch in the Park: Fridays from April 15-May 27
- Les Miserable After Party: May 12, 5:30-8 pm