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Jeffco Elementary Schools Celebrate New STEM Labs

GOLDEN, Colo. (April 30, 2019) – Marking the beginning of a new educational pathway for K-12 students in the North Arvada area, Thomson and Swanson Elementary schools are hosting opening celebrations on May 1 (Thomson) and May 9 (Swanson) for their new STEM (science, technology, engineering, and math) labs. The labs are possible thanks to a grant from the [Gill Foundation](#) made possible by [Jeffco Schools Foundation](#).

In the state-of-the-art STEM labs, designed by Creative Learning Systems, elementary students will have the opportunity to explore robotics, software engineering, mechanics and structures, circuitry, scientific data and analysis, alternative energy, computer graphics, and digital media arts.

Thomson Elementary STEM Lab Grand Opening

2 p.m. – 2:30 p.m., Wednesday, **May 1**, 2019
7750 Harlan Street, Arvada, CO 80003

Swanson Elementary STEM Lab Grand Opening

9 a.m. – 9:30 a.m., Thursday, **May 9**, 2019
6055 W. 68th Ave., Arvada, CO 80003

All are welcome to the celebrations. Media may also arrange a tour of the lab and principal interview at a different time.

About Jeffco Public Schools

Jeffco Public Schools has been providing educational excellence for more than 65 years. The district serves over 85,000 students at 155 schools. Jeffco Public Schools is dedicated to changing the classroom experience through Readiness for Learning, Conditions for Learning, and Learning as outlined in the [Jeffco Generations strategic vision](#). Find [Jeffco Public Schools](#) on [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#), and [YouTube](#).

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