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## MEDIA ADVISORY – Cal Poly Students to Visit Elementary Classrooms Feb. 23-24 to Promote Engineering Education

**To:** News Editors, Assignment Editors, Photo Editors and Reporters

**What:** Cal Poly Society of Women Engineers, Fourth Grade Days event

**When:** Feb. 23-24

**Where:** Fourth grade classrooms in Arroyo Grande, Grover Beach, Los Osos and San Luis Obispo (schedule below).

**Why:** Each year during National Engineers Week, Cal Poly’s Society of Women Engineers (SWE) organizes student visits to local fourth grade classrooms to teach students about the field of engineering and conduct hands-on science demonstrations. SWE members hope to get students interested in math, science and all things related to engineering.

“Our goal is to broaden elementary students’ perspective about the world of engineering and get them excited and interested about how science directly applies to the world we live in.” said Cal Poly student Maiya Bourland, commissioner, SWE Fourth Grade Days.

**Schedule:** To schedule photographs or video of the class sessions, contact the schools in advance and check in at their administrative offices before entering the classrooms.

Elementary School	City	Teacher	Date of Visit	Time of Visit
Baywood Elementary	Los Osos	Sara Clough	Feb. 23	10-11 a.m.
Bishop’s Peak Elementary	San Luis Obispo	Erin Bailey	Feb. 23	10:30-11:15 a.m.

Bishop's Peak Elementary	San Luis Obispo	Mrs. Williams	Feb. 23	11:15 a.m.-12:15 p.m.
Branch Elementary	Arroyo Grande	Liz Johnson	Feb. 23	12:50-1:50 p.m.
C.L. Smith	San Luis Obispo	Kathryn Clearwater	Feb. 24	9:15-10:15 a.m.
Teach Elementary	San Luis Obispo	Shawna Robson	Feb. 24	10:30-11:30 a.m.
Ocean View Elementary	Arroyo Grande	Laurel Allen	Feb. 24	1:30-2:30 p.m.

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