

NORTHEAST ELEMENTARY MAGNET SCHOOL

NOVEMBER 2024

A Note from the Principal...

Northeast in November continues to focus on improving math knowledge across the whole school. We also realize reading and writing are a vital part of learning for all students. Take a moment this month to read a book with your child, challenge them with some math facts, and write a letter to each other for fun. As our second quarter of school begins, we will continue to focus on our Falcon Four: We are safe, we are healthy, we are responsible, and we are kind. Our school community was pleased to once again, accept America's Healthiest Schools award and we couldn't have done it without all of the support of students, families, and staff.

Have a great November and as always,
GO FALCONS!!

Justin Thorlton, Principal

Important Dates

NOVEMBER

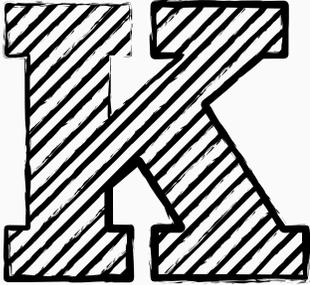
11th - No School - Veterans' Day

20th - Early Dismissal @ 1:15 PM

25th - Northeast Grand Opening 5 - 6:00 PM

27th - 29th - No School - Thanksgiving Break

IN THE HALLWAYS



We appreciate you taking your time to attend conferences last month! In November, we will be discussing letter blends, learning sight words, and preparing to read. We will learn about turkeys and Thanksgiving. In math, we will be learning about measurements. Our students are really working hard and trying their best. With the colder months coming up, please remember to have your child bring their coats, hats, gloves, scarves, etc. (and label them with their name, too!). We hope you have a great Thanksgiving!

Hello Families and Friends!

November is here, and our classrooms are buzzing with excitement as we dive into this season of gratitude and learning! We're looking forward to Thanksgiving because it is such a wonderful opportunity to celebrate kindness, friendship, and the joy of giving. In ELA, our focus will be on base words and the suffix -s as well as building independent reading stamina. In math, we are learning to utilize the "friendly number ten" to help solve problems more easily. We will also continue to practice counting on as a stepping stone to build math fact fluency within 10. As always, we are here to support your child's growth every step of the way. If you have any questions or need ideas for practicing at home, please don't hesitate to reach out. Thank you for being such wonderful partners in your child's education!



Hello Families,

In the month of November, we will be working on addition and subtraction with multi-digit numbers. Make sure you are practicing math facts to help your student with these larger math problems. We will also begin cursive handwriting. Students are already practicing their songs for the Christmas program in music class, and they are so excited to perform them for you in December. Happy Thanksgiving to all of our families!

Mrs. Sergent & Mrs. Carter

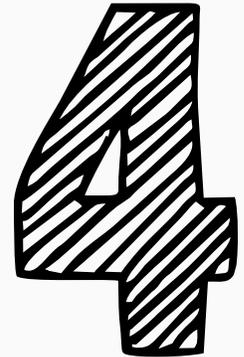


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Third grade finished up their first research project as each student gave a presentation about an animal. They are now exploring the essential question "What makes people view the same experience in different ways?". Rounding numbers to 10's and hundreds has been the math focus.

We can't believe how quickly this school year has flown by. We are working hard in fourth grade this quarter! In math class we are focused on making sure we master our first quarter skills and improve our understanding of multi-digit multiplication and division. Please make sure students are practicing their math facts at home every night either with flashcards, oral questioning, or Reflex on their computer. In reading students just wrapped up a very informative unit on the election. They learned a ton and had fun doing it! This quarter they will be improving their reading fluency, informative text skills, as well as writing skills. Please help us out and make sure your students are following our school dress code daily as well as coming to school (with charged laptops) prepared to learn.



Happy November!

It was so wonderful to meet with all of you at parent - teacher conferences. We appreciate you taking the time to discuss how your student is doing in school.

As we finish discussing Ancient Egypt, be on the lookout for a project to reflect our learning. Math has us using ratios to find rates and percents of numbers.

In reading, we are citing text evidence, writing narratives, and continuing to strengthen our comprehension skills. Science has us learning all about what our bodies need to function.

We are so thankful for all of you!

IN THE HALLWAYS



Please help us keep our students healthy!
In order to be at school students must...

- Have had no fever, diarrhea or vomiting within past 24 hours (without use of medication)
 - Have no live head lice (must be cleared the by nurse prior to return to school)
 - Be free of any skin rashes (or cleared by a doctor)
 - Have no eye redness/drainage (or cleared by a doctor)
 - Be healthy enough to make it through the school day
- Please Call Nurse Kasi at 217-444-3066 if you have any questions



Don't forget... The annual Holiday Music Program is Thursday, December 5th at 6:00 p.m. in the Danville High School Auditorium.

PE REMINDER: Uniform Gym Shoes ONLY for PE!!!! (no boots or high heels)

We just completed our archery skills unit in 4th-6th grade. Good luck to all who are trying out for the archery team this year!

Everyone loves the new gym, the conveniences of having a restroom and water fountain to use quickly during classes makes all the difference.