

Positive Parent POW-WOW

Listed below is our weekly PBIS (Positive Behavior Intervention Support) theme.
I can be respectful, responsible and safe in all areas!!!

- Oct. 29-Nov. 2 = I can sit on my pockets in the cafeteria.
- Nov. 5-9 = I can wait to be dismissed in the cafeteria.
- Nov. 12-20 = I can say "please" and "thank you" in the cafeteria.
- Nov. 26-30 = I can leave a positive "digital footprint" with technology.



Mrs. Criddle's Corner

November 2018

Dear Families,

Our number one priority is to keep your children safe; therefore we are always working on ways to continuously improve. Each school year we review our emergency drills at least three times. The emergency drills that we practice are: fire, earthquake, tornado, and intruder. We participated in the *Great Central U.S. Shake Out* on October 18th at 10:18am and plan to partake in a Statewide Tornado Drill in early spring. Both of these are in addition to the other scheduled drills. With these drills, our students and staff are well informed on the procedures to follow in emergency situations.

Our teachers and staff members have received training on intruder response. We work with our local authorities on simulated response situations. Response to a major emergency is also included in safety plans for teachers and staff. We will practice procedures again in early spring. This will allow our safety teams (first aid, search and rescue, assembly area, site safety, extended care, and command) to experience procedures and will teach students how to assemble in such an event. If you have any questions regarding safety procedures, please feel free to call or visit with me any time.

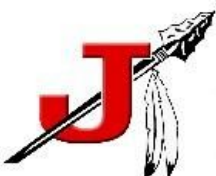
During the month of November, we celebrate American Education Week. We would like to show our teachers how much they are appreciated by allowing the students to write any teacher or staff member a Positive Office Referral. Several of our students have received these from our teachers, but we thought this would be a fun way to switch it up. If your child would like to fill one of these out and submit it to the office, we'll be sure to deliver them to the teachers. Here is the [form](#). There will also be copies in the office.

[Positive Office Referral for Teachers](#)

Congrats to Mrs. Primm's class for having the best attendance percentage for the month of October. Our attendance as a whole building was 97.47%, so everyone will be rewarded. Great job!!!

Have a great November!!!

Shauna Criddle, Principal



To view the November breakfast and lunch menus, you may click on the following:

[November Elementary Breakfast Menu](#)

[November Elementary Lunch Menu](#)

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Staying Healthy!!

It is very important to remind your child/children to wash their hands frequently and cough into their elbows. Make sure your child/children are getting plenty of sleep and staying hydrated with water (don't forget to wash your child's water bottle daily with hot water and soap if they are using one from home). Please remember to keep your child home until they are 24 hours free of vomiting, diarrhea, and/or fever (for fever they need to be 24 hours free of fever without the use of medication like tylenol/motrin). Thank you for your attention to this matter!!! We want everyone to stay healthy (we don't want to spread the sickness)!!!!



POSITIVE OFFICE REFERRAL

For MY TEACHER

Teacher Name: _____

Date: _____ Grade/Class: _____

Please check all of the character traits that apply to the deed or accomplishments.

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| _____ Attitude | _____ Self-Control | _____ Integrity |
| _____ Enthusiasm | _____ Service | _____ Accountability |
| _____ Compassion | _____ Respect | _____ Citizenship |
| _____ Encouragement | _____ Gratitude | _____ Honesty |
| _____ Academics | | |

Student Comments:

Student's Signature: _____