

April 26th, 2024



AMERICAN INDIAN MAGNET SCHOOL

651-778-3100 | 1075 3rd St, St. Paul, MN 55106 | School Hours: 8:30 – 3:00 | spps.org/aims



Reminders

- Please call the attendance line when your student(s) is absent.
- **Middle School:** If you would like a copy of your students quarter 3 report card please call or email Teresa Hernandez at 651-744-5630 or Teresa.Hernandez@spps.org

Student Drop Off & Pick Up

Location:

Earl St. entrance

- Doors open at: 8:14 am
- Pick up your child by 3:00 pm

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Call by 2:00 pm to
change your child's pick-
up/ bus plans.

Attendance Matters

- Children should be in school everyday.
- If your child will be absent call or email as soon as possible.
- **Please give first and last name, grade and reason for absence.**
 - 651-744-6143
 - aims@spps.org

Bus Information

- Buses leave AIMS at 3:07 pm
- Buses might be late to pick up & drop off
- Use the bus app:
www.spps.org/transportation



Upcoming Events:

Friday, 5/3

Cinco de Mayo Family Lunch

- Middle School: 11:07 am – 11:37 am
- PreK – 1st: 11:50 am – 12:20 pm
- 2nd – 5th Grade: 12:30 pm – 1:00 pm

Tuesday, 5/7

Teacher Appreciation Day

Friday, 5/10

Throwback Day – Dress from another decade

Thursday, 5/16

PreK Spring Family Day: Transition to Kindergarten

Friday, 5/17

Coffee with the Principal

Culture & Language



April
Virtue

Bravery Woohitike

Having or showing
courage.

Akíčhita Háŋska
Long Soldier



Examples of Bravery:

Don't give up when something is
challenging!

Do the 'right' thing in difficult
situations.

Try something new or
challenging.

Stand up to peer pressure.

Language

Ojibwe:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=X3RCdSCF40A>

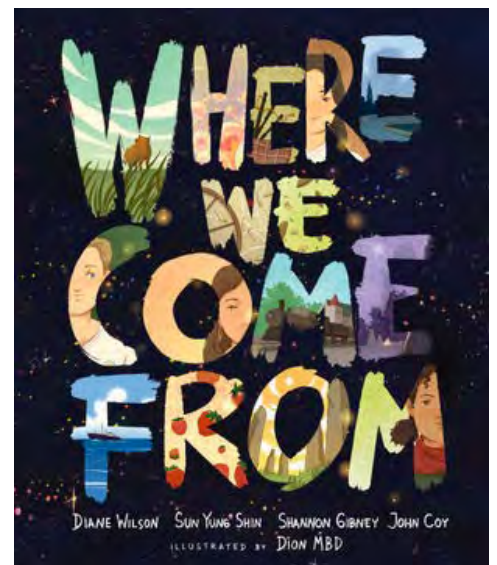
I am feeling ____.

Lakota:

I am feeling ____.

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Book of the Month



Other News & Information

Indian Education Program News



Click the link image to learn more!

Honoring
John "Azhide" Bobolink (1968-2024)

Pow Wow
Healing in Four Directions

Sunday, April 28
Grand Entry: 1 p.m.
Feast: 6 p.m.

Location: Humphreys High School
30 Baker St. E. St. Paul, MN 55107

Arena director: Nelsonman Blandin
Host drum: An Dahi Yung Singers
Invited drums: Raining Thunder
Teaching by: Bruce Sonnenberg

Emcee: Jerry Collier
Co-host drum (youth): Toka Apa
Head dancers: Dennis Dabert, Arlon Desjardis
Knife by: Raining Thunder/Fish Dancer Snake Dancer

All dancers and drums welcome. Must register online to receive an honorarium. Registration open 12-2 p.m.
Free to attend. All are welcome.

Food trucks, vendors, and education booths. Free t-shirts for community.

Thank you to our sponsors:

Vendor spots available, contact:
pam.groves@spps.org, 651-824-2944
Education booths are free.
Vendors \$10, and food trucks \$75.

For questions, contact:
monique.henning@ednet.org, 612-464-1309
No drugs or alcohol allowed.

American Indian Youth Enrichment Summer School

Department of Indian Work partners with Saint Paul Schools to provide an exciting Indigenous summer program!

- Weekly field trips
- Guest speakers
- Indigenous practices & games
- Lead by Native instructors
- Celebratory Powwow on final day
- Transportation and meals provided

Adams Spanish Immersion School
June 24th-July 26th 7:30-1:30
Contact Tonya Flower at DIW (651-789-3863)
Register at <https://www.spps.org/academics/summer-learning-programs/elementary>



SPPS INDIAN EDUCATION IS TURNING

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JOIN US TO CELEBRATE AT OUR OPEN HOUSE!

Tuesday, May 28, 3 to 6pm

SPPS District Building,
360 Calborne Street, St Paul
Rooms A&B

School News

What is CEDAR? (Community & Education Directing American Indian Resources)
CEDAR is a five-week school-based program designed to help empower parents to navigate the school system and advocate on behalf of their child's education.

Who is it for?

CEDAR is offered to any SPPS parent/guardian attending **American Indian Magnet School** in Saint Paul Public Schools.

CEDAR PROGRAM

Community & Education Directing American Indian Resources



AMERICAN INDIAN
MAGNET SCHOOL

Thursday's 5:30-8pm: May 9, 16, 23, 30, & June 6, 2024

Parents will receive:

- 5 sessions available in English
- Light meal per session
- Free Childcare
- Certificate of Completion
- Recognition Ceremony



Funded by the Office of Family Engagement and Community Partnerships and the Parent Academy Program



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COMMUNITY
PARTNERSHIPS

REGISTER NOW!

Please contact **Adela Holguin**
Family Liaison, American Indian
Magnet School at 651-744-6988
Ext. 46988

American Indian Magnet School
1075 Third St. E.,
Saint Paul, MN 55106

SLIME CONTEST!

We challenge classrooms to get 5 Days of perfect attendance! The days do not need to be consecutive, but 5 days of all students present. If a class makes 5 days, then the class will be "slimed" and get a slime party!

Participation in AIFC groups requires a one-time registration. Forms are available at AIFC or through email. To receive a registration form via email, please email request to Nancy.yoat@aifcnn.org