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## FOURTH GRADERS BRINGING THE MACY'S THANKSGIVING DAY PARADE TO CENTENNIAL ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

The magic and spectacle of the Macy's Thanksgiving Day Parade is coming to Centennial Elementary School.

WHAT: Centennial Thanksgiving Parade WHEN: Tuesday, November 26 at 8:30 a.m.

**WHERE:** Centennial Elementary School, 4201 25<sup>th</sup> Street South, Fargo

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for more information.

Centennial Elementary School's fourth graders are bringing the glitz and glam of New York City all the way to Fargo on Tuesday as they hold a mock Macy's Thanksgiving Day Parade through their school.

Instead of snaking its way through the busy streets of Manhattan, the procession of about 100 fourth graders will make its way through the school's hallways and each of its classrooms.

Students have spent class time crafting their own miniature floats or balloons for the parade. They found inspiration by watching clips from previous Macy's parades and studied how the real floats are made. Given the freedom to create whatever they wish, the parade will feature recreations of students' favorite movie and television characters, animals, or whatever else their imaginations could dream up.

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