

Sandridge Elementary presents

The Wildcat Weekly

September 8, 2025

CHICAGO SOUTHLAND COMMUNITY RESOURCE FAIR



On Saturday September 6th, Sandridge Elementary School participated in the Chicago Southland Community Resource Fair at Liberty Memorial Park in Lynwood, IL. Families were able to get free book bags, hygiene kits, school supplies, and information on different community events and programs. Big Brothers and Big Sisters of the Chicago Southland Area hosted the event. Partners like the University of Chicago Aunt Martha's pledged to work with Sandridge School to support different mental health initiatives.

Calendar of Events

Picture Day
Thurs. Sept. 11th

5th-8th Grade Girls
Basketball Tryouts
Mon. & Tues. Sept. 15th &
16th

5th-8th Grade Cheer
Tryouts
Mon. & Tues. Sept. 15th &
16th

Cupcakes and Canvas
Paint Party
Turs. Sept. 25th 4pm-6:pm

Half Day- 11am dismissal
Wed. Sept. 24th

Uniforms

Uniform Top- short or long sleeve
black, white, gray, navy blue or light
blue polo shirts.



Uniform Bottoms- black, khaki, and
navy-blue uniform pants,
shorts, skirts, skorts. No jeans
are allowed.

No hoodies allowed in grades 3rd-8th.
Students may wear crew necks or
sweaters.



Students must wear closed toe
shoes every day. Gym shoes are
needed for gym class.

Peanut Free School

Peanut Free School:
Do not include peanuts or
peanut products in your
child's school lunch.



THE IMPACT OF BEING LATE

Let's work hard
to be here every
day and on time!

Building good attendance early is important.
Showing up consistently teaches responsibility,
time management, and self-discipline—skills that
children will carry into middle school, high
school, and eventually adulthood. Students
learn that education is a priority when
attendance is valued.

BE SAFE, BE RESPONSIBLE, AND BE RESPECTFUL



As Wildcats, we always exhibit our three most important expectations.

- We are safe by keeping our hands, feet, and objects to ourselves, by reporting threats and following safety procedures at all times.
- We are responsible by bringing all materials to school, being in uniform, and being ready to learn every day. Grades 4th-8th students are responsible for bringing Chromebooks back and forth between home and school every day. Chromebooks should be charged at home.
- We are respectful to ourselves and others by using appropriate language, expressing yourself in an appropriate manner, and allowing others to do the same.

No matter whether students are at their arrival/departure areas, lunchroom, bathroom, or classroom, these expectations should be followed at all times.

INTERNATIONAL DOT DAY

Let's make a mark and celebrate the power of imagination together. To celebrate International Dot Day students may participate by wearing all polka dots or a polka dot shirt with uniform pants. Students who are not participating are required to be in full uniform. Please note, being out of uniform will result in a uniform infraction.

September – Inclusion and Belonging
"We All Belong Here"

Focus: Celebrating diversity, recognizing differences, promoting acceptance.

Bus fees are due by the 10th of the month.



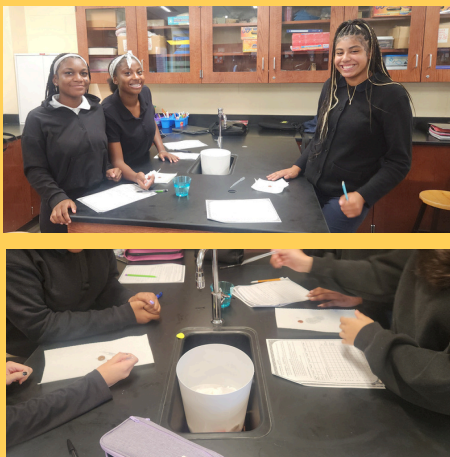
WORD OF THE WEEK

DIVERSITY- having a wide range of people with different backgrounds, characteristics, and experiences in a group or environment.



Sandridge Spotlight

The Sandridge Spotlight goes to our junior high science class with Ms. Moirano. Students were completing a lab high-lighting the scientific method and proper lab procedures. Nice job, 8th grade!



ATTENDANCE WINNERS

EC-	84.97%
K -	87.70%
1 -	90.48%
2 -	90.84%
3 -	91.68%
4 -	90.80%
5 -	86.34%
6 -	91.62%
7 -	winner 99.11%
8 -	98.09%

