

Sandridge Elementary presents

# The Wildcat Weekly

November 3, 2025

## NATIVE AMERICAN HERITAGE MONTH



November is Native American Heritage Month, a time to celebrate and honor the rich histories, cultures, and traditions of Native American and Indigenous peoples. Throughout this month, we take time to learn about the first peoples of our nation—their stories, contributions, and the ways they continue to shape our communities today.

In classrooms and around our school, we'll explore Native American art, music, storytelling, and history. By learning together, we show respect and appreciation for the many cultures that make up our country's story. Let's take this opportunity to celebrate diversity, kindness, and understanding!

November – Gratitude and Kindness "Thankful and Thoughtful"  
Focus: Showing appreciation, expressing kindness, building empathy.  
Suggested Activities: Have students write gratitude notes to peers and staff, create a kindness calendar with daily actions and practice gratitude journaling.



## Uniforms



Id's should be worn everyday for students 3rd-8<sup>th</sup> grade.

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-8<sup>th</sup>. 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! Being in school everyday helps to reinforce a family atmosphere and school culture. When students are in school, they can take advantage of participating in PBIS incentives, attending field trips, being a part of teams and extra curricular activities, and attending after school events.

## 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-8<sup>th</sup> 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.

## Book Fair



This week we will host our fall Scholastic Book Fair. Students and staff will have an opportunity to shop Tuesday November 4th-Friday November 7<sup>th</sup>.

## Halloween Celebrations



Thank you to all of the students, staff, and parents that helped to make our Halloween safe and festive!

## Breast Cancer Awareness Week



Thank you to all of the students, staff, and parents that Participated in our awareness week!.

Bus fees are due by the 10<sup>th</sup> of the month.



## WORD OF THE WEEK:

ACCOUNTABILITY- taking ownership and responsibility for your actions, choices, and the results that follow, whether good or bad

RESPONSIBILITY - do the things you are supposed to do and accept the results of your actions



BULLYING- when someone is mean to another person over and over again on purpose.



UPSTANDER- a person who speaks, acts, or intervenes on behalf of a person being bullied.



This week's Sandridge Spotlight goes to Ms. Lipkovitch's 4<sup>th</sup> grade class. They are reading "Ranita", a story teaching character and how important it is to be humble and kind. The students are practicing to make it into a real play.

## Sandridge Spotlight



## ATTENDANCE WINNERS

EC -	87.18%
K -	86.34%
1 -	91.82%
2 -	88.22%
3 -	91.31%
4 -	92.04%
5 -	89.40%
6 -	93.57%
7 - winner	99.21%
8 -	97.71%

