

EAGLE NEWS



Anderson Island Elementary

January 16, 2026

Good afternoon Eagle Families,

We had another great week here at Anderson Island Elementary, and our students continue to stay Anchored in Excellence. We are proud of the effort, kindness, and growth we see each day.

We are aware that a “sick bug” is going around, so please continue to support healthy habits at home—getting plenty of sleep, drinking lots of water, and taking care of ourselves and one another. I also want to stress the importance of regular attendance. Our students need to be at school to continue their learning journey. Every day truly matters, especially as we head into the end of the semester.

Next week is the final week of our first semester, and we have a fun and meaningful week ahead. We hope Merritt has a wonderful birthday on Monday! Please remember that there is no school on Monday as we recognize Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Day. This day is an important reminder of the power of service, courage, and standing up for what is right. At AIE, we honor Dr. King by continuing to build a school where everyone is welcomed, respected, and supported—every single day.

We also want to remind families that next Friday is a half day, as it is the last day of the semester.

I hope you all have a great weekend. We may even see a little sunshine—so get outside and play, get some rest, and enjoy time together. February is right around the corner, and we are excited to kick off our upcoming Read-A-Thon!

See you all next week.

— Mr. Miller

January 19 No School Martin Luther King Jr Day

January 23 Half Day 11:30 Dismissal

January 26 TK will begin to ride bus

February 1–28 Wild About Reading Read-A-Thon

Notes from the Classroom

Mrs. Cunningham

We finished the second week of 2026, and it was a little rough. Hopefully, the long weekend will give everyone time to feel better, as this virus hit us hard. Please take some time to rest, hydrate, and do whatever you need to feel better.

This week, we started our I-Ready Winter Diagnostic testing, and we will continue next week. Diagnostic reading and math data inform classroom instruction and create academic groups that allow all students to be successful. We also learned about the importance and significance of Martin Luther King Jr.

Next week is the last week of the 1st semester, and starting Jan. 26, we will have new academic groups that align with each student's learning goals.

Thank you for all you do to make sure your student has an effective and enjoyable school year!

Upcoming events:

Jan. 19 - no school (MLK Jr. Day)

Jan. 23 - half day (11:30 dismissal)

Have a great weekend and Happy Birthday, Merritt!

Mrs. Cunningham



February 1-28

Wild About Reading Read-A-Thon

**Prizes, treats, help earn books, field trips,
crafts, STEAM supplies, and more!**

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