**Chickasaw Elementary School**

MONTHLY
Information Related to CES

ISSUE

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**Mon., 10/28:** Red shirt with jeans - "Love yourself enough to avoid drugs, alcohol, and tobacco."

* Book Fair continues

**Tues., 10/29:** Tie dye or peace signs - "Peace out to drugs, alcohol, and tobacco."

* Book Fair Continues

**Wed., 10/30:** Crazy socks - "Sock it to drugs, alcohol, and tobacco" and/or Crazy hair - "Drugs and alcohol makes me feel crazy."

* Early Release Day 1:30 pm. Writing Professional Development for teachers.

**Thurs., 10/31:** Exercise clothes - "My body is drug, alcohol, tobacco free. I have a healthy body."

* Halloween

**Fri., Nov. 1:** Sports theme shirt - "Team up against drugs, alcohol, and tobacco."

* Progress Reports go home

**Wed., 11/6** Make up pictures for students who were absent on Oct. 21

* First Friends 3:30 (Love and Gallups)

**Thurs., 11/7** Read for the Record Day: All students will read *Thank you, Omu!*

* Read for the Record is a national reading campaign that CES participated in each year.
* The cafeteria will severe beef stew to go along with the theme of the book.

**Fri., 11/8** 2nd Grade will say the Pledge at the Veteran’s Day Celebration at 9:00 am at CHS

* Students will participate in Veteran’s Day activities.
* Funnel cake (1 for $3), Fried Oreos (3 for $3)

**Mon., 11/11** Veteran’s Day (No school)

**Thurs., 11/14** Board of Education Meeting 6:00pm

**Fri., 11/15** 3rd Grade Field Trip to Linda’s Learning Farm

* Picture orders due

**Wed., 11/20** Thanksgiving Lunch ($5.00 for visitors)

* 3rd Grade is hosting a “Math Madness” Event at 10:30 am in the Gym (This is a multiplication fact competition.)

Socktober

Socktober is an annual campaign designed to show people that ordinary acts of love and kindness can make a big difference. It all starts with socks.

Did you know that new socks are the most needed and least donated items in homeless shelters? CES will be hosting a sock drive during the last week of October to raise awareness and collect socks to donate to local homeless shelters.

So, how can you help? Bring in new, unopened packages of socks and place them in your grade level’s bin on your hallway. When: Monday, October 28th – Friday, November 2nd

What: New, unopened packs of socks (any color or size)

* Who: You! All grade levels can participate!

CRAZY SOCK DAY is Wed., Oct. 30

We will be keeping a daily track of socks collected from each grade level

to see who can collect the most! The grade level that collects the most socks will earn an out of uniform day!

Info: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Z1YIK5UOnOM>

<https://www.happysocktober.com/>

Congratulations to 4th Grade for winning the sock drive! Dress out of uniform on Fri., Nov. 8th!

**End of October and November Events**

November

Parent

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**Thurs., 11/21** Progress reports go home

**Fri., 11/22** 1st Grade Field Trip to Linda’s Learning Farm

**Mon. 11/25 – Fri., 11/29** Thanksgiving Holidays (No school)

A look ahead to December…

**Wed., 12/4** 5th Grade Field Trip to the Saenger Theatre

* First Friends 3:30 – 4:30

**Reminders:**

Students may wear red, white and navy outer wear **in the building**. A combination of red, white and navy is acceptable. No hoodies.

CES is continuing with our weekly incentives for attendance. Each week students will be rewarded for being at school every day, on time, with no early dismissals.

Our Attendance Matters campaign ties directly to improving our state report card score. For the 2018-19 State Report Card, CES received 11.71 points for attendance out of 15 points possible. WE WANT TO EARN ALL THE POINTS POSSIBLE. We need our parents help!

***Absences:*** *Even with our concentrated efforts on rewarding students for attending school every day our absences increased from Quarter 1 2018 – 19 to Quarter 1*

*2019 -20 by 52.*

*If your child is absent, please write a parent note, get doctor’s note or hospital admission notice to the school within 3 days.*

***Tardies*** *decreased by 35.*

***Check outs*** *(early dismissals) decreased by 48.*

 **State Report Card Information:**

Elementary Schools are graded on 3 criteria:

* **Academic Achievement (CES grew .08)**
* **Academic Growth (CES grew 7 points.)**
* **Chronic Absenteeism (CES grew .71 points.)**

**2017 – 18 Report Card Score: 62D**

**2018 – 19 Report Card Score: 69D (If we had all 15 points for attendance our score would be 72C).**

***Please help us to increase academic achievement and growth by having the students at school every day, on time, and remaining at school all day.***

***Chickasaw Elementary helped the district’s report card rise from a D to a C.***

***Our goal is to move CES to a B next school year!***



When **all** students are focused on learning, **all** students can focus on academic achievement and growth.

**1st Quarter Office Referral Data**

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| ***Grade*** | ***19-20*** |
| ***K*** | ***19*** |
| ***1*** | ***11*** |
| ***2*** | ***26*** |
| ***3*** | ***45*** |
| ***4*** | ***51*** |
| ***5*** | ***20*** |
| ***Total*** | ***172*** |

**Parents, please help us continue to instill Chieftain PRIDE on the bus, in the classrooms and halls, in the restrooms, in the cafeteria and gym.**

**P – Prepared**

**R – Respect**

**I – Integrity**

**D – Determination**

**E - Excellence**