

TEMPERANCE TIGER TALES

October 2023

Greetings from Mr. Martin

As September winds down we really are getting into our groove here at TES for the 2023-24 school year. Summer is finally starting to fade, and if you look closely here and there leaves are beginning to turn colors. We have completed our Fall Growth SOL testing and the teachers are using all of the fantastic data that the testing produces to drive their instruction. The students have been working to the best of their abilities and continue to grow both academically and in their maturity. After spending 21 years in the middle school setting I'm amazed every day at what these Elementary Teachers can accomplish with such young minds. We continue to celebrate our students by recognizing when someone is THOUGHTFUL, TRUSTWORTHY, and a TEAM PLAYER! Take a close peek to the right of this message to see all of the events we have scheduled for the month of October. Please know that you can contact us here at TES at any time. Goooooo TIGERS!!!



Picture Day is scheduled for Wednesday, October 4th



We will be celebrating RED RIBBON WEEK, October 24th - October 31st. Red Ribbon Week, the oldest and largest drug prevention campaign in the nation, is your opportunity to get the ongoing conversation started. This year's theme is "BE KIND TO YOUR MIND, LIVE DRUG FREE". Visit www.redribbon.org to learn more about Red Ribbon Week® and get tips for talking to your kids about drugs. The life you save may be that of your own child or a dear friend. In recognition of this week we encourage our children to participate in the daily activities listed below. These activities are as follows:

Wednesday, October 25th

Wear orange as we "unite against drugs" ***Unity Day***

Thursday, October 26th

Wear your pajamas and "follow your dreams" by not doing drugs

Friday, October 27th

Show your school spirit by wearing orange & black to show that "Temperance Tigers keep their paws off of drugs" ***Field Day***

Monday, October 30th

Wear a team shirt & hat to "team up against drugs"

Tuesday, October 31st

Dress up like a (good) book character and "say BOO to drugs"

Our students are encouraged to dress as a "Good Book Character." We have been communicating with our students the importance of complying with all ACPS policies when preparing for this event. **No costume masks will be permitted.** We thank you for your support, and cooperation with this event. Together we make a great team!

Calendar of Events

- ☺ October 4th
TES Picture Day
- ☺ October 9th
Fall Break - ACPS are closed
- ☺ October 11th
Fire Prevention Week
Pedlar Fire Department will visit grades K-2
- ☺ October 23rd
Teacher Planning Day - ACPS are closed for students
- ☺ October 24th - 31st
Red Ribbon Week
- ☺ October 27th
Field Day
Report Cards go home today



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Congratulations to our **Student of the Month** award winners for the month of **September**. They are as listed below:

Kindergarten- Aria Sprouse, Kyzer Davis

First Grade- Presley Cash

Second Grade- Kaitlyn Knight

Third Grade- Malachi Humphrey, Emma Mays

Fourth Grade- Carlena Eagle, Sawyer Tomlin

Fifth Grade- Paisley Sale, Aria Stecker

Students were selected by their classroom teacher for their outstanding performance in the areas of academics, attendance, and attitude.

Temperance Terrific Readers

We would like to congratulate the following students for being recognized as the top "AR" readers for the month of **September** in grades 2 through 5:

2nd grade - Thomas Etter, Harley Tomlin, Riley Lutes, Kinsleigh Gilbert, Lakeleigh Lawhorn

3rd grade- Spencer Lawhorne, Asher Giles, Emma Mays, Ava Hudson, Knox Wilson

4th grade - Skye Lucas, Ainslee Giles, Kylie Evans, Carlena Eagle, Emma Burch, Kyleigh Gilbert-Clark

5th grade - Hunter Knight, Lola Combs, Karlyn Fitzgerald, Bobbi Jo Solomon, Abigail Etter, Lila Stinnett, Ariana Garland



In addition to our Students of the Month, we have recognized many students for being team players, thoughtful, and trustworthy! We have had several students who have done certain things that have been recognized by faculty & staff and allowed them to have their picture taken and put on our "Team Player, Thoughtful, and Trustworthy" wall! The following students recognized are:

1st - Axel White, Drew Clark, Emmett Greer, Madison Sale, Presley Cash

4th - Carlena Eagle

5th - Bobbi Jo Solomon, Rachel Argenbright, Lola Combs, Abigail Etter, Eason Tomlin

