

Northmore Elementary School

A Title 1 School | A Choice School of the Arts
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Panther Parent News

November 2023 Edition

Message from Administration

Greetings Panther Families!

The month of November is a time where we reflect on what we are **thankful for** in all areas of our lives. As the administrators at Northmore Elementary School, we are truly thankful for having the best students, parents, community partners, volunteers and staff in all of Palm Beach County Schools! We take pride in everything that we do, which is why the Northmore Panthers are truly a family! Like every family, there are some important items that we would like to remind everyone of. After all, a family that works well together, stays together.

Student Behaviors and Parental Support

As many of you know, our focus on campus is to have our students become strong academic scholars and display positive behaviors toward their peers and all adults. Our teachers and staff work extremely hard to make certain that all students receive a quality education.

When our students are displaying PAWSitive (positive) behaviors, they earn Panther Bucks and Class Dojo points. Twice a month, our students have the opportunity to shop in our Panther Buck Shop. In our Panther Buck Shop, students can use their Panther Bucks to purchase games, books, sweet treats and incentives. Ask your child about what amazing things they have purchased in our Panther Buck Store!



When our students are displaying inappropriate behaviors, students will receive consequences by the teacher. The teacher will commonly contact parents if the behavior has happened consistently or if the behavior is considered extreme. We are asking that all parents support our teachers with any inappropriate behaviors by addressing them at home as well.

Thank you for all of your support!

Your Partners in Education,

Mr. Cory A. Friess, Principal

Ms. Cindy Pedraza, Assistant Principal

SPECIAL EVENTS THIS MONTH



SCHOOL
ADVISORY
COUNCIL



SAC MEETING & ESOL PARENT MEETING

Monday, November 13, 2023

5:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.

Located in the Cafeteria

Topics Include:

- Principal's Report
- Assistant Principal's Report
- Title 1 Updates
- New Business
- **Parent Academy: ESOL Strategies**
- Business Partners Report

PROJECT BASED LEARNING SHOWCASE

Thursday, November 16, 2023

8:30 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.

Kindergarten - 2nd Grade

Parents of students in Kindergarten - 2nd Grade are invited to our Project Based Learning Showcase!

Parents will be able to go through classrooms and see the amazing projects and learning the students made this trimester!



Fine Arts Fun Day

All classes who have earned enough Panther Paws for behaving in Fine Arts will participate in Fine Arts Fun Day on:

**Friday
November 17, 2023**

During this time, students will participate in field day like events!



**Thursday,
November 16, 2023**

All students have the opportunity to receive a free flu vaccination.

Flu vaccination consents must be turned into the school by November 10.

If you have any questions or need a new consent form, please contact the School Administrative Assistant, Mr. Sanon.

Thanksgiving
Break
NO SCHOOL!



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NO SCHOOL



Monday, November 20, 2023
to
Friday, November 24, 2023

Thanksgiving
Break
NO SCHOOL!



Report Card Week

Monday, November 27 - Friday, December 1

Report Card Night

Thursday, November 30
4:00 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.

Parents will meet with their child's teacher to learn about strengths and weaknesses, as well as be provided with an activity on their level.

FALL CELEBRATION



Friday, November 17, 2023

Students may bring in pre-packaged food and drinks to celebrate the start of the fall season before we go on Thanksgiving Break!

State Testing Progress Monitoring #2

State Testing

for

All Students

will begin in

December 2023

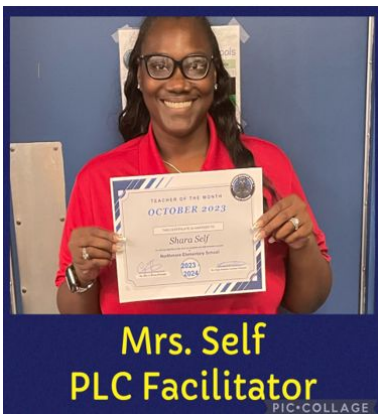
We need all students at school, on time, the entire month of December!

These scores help determine student grades, as well as promotion or retention.

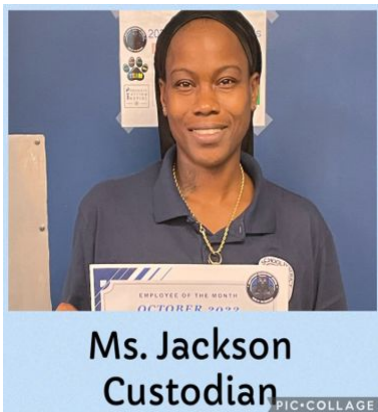
Events from October 2023



Teacher and Employee of the Month



Mrs. Self has a bachelor's degree in Elementary Education! She has been apart of the Northmore family for the past 12 years. Mrs. Self is currently our Math Coach, PLC Facilitator, 21st CCLC Site Coordinator and SAC Chair. Outside of working to ensure that all students and math teachers are as successful as possible she is a loving wife and mother of 2 amazing boys. She loves cheerleading, dance, football, reading books and spending time with family and friends. One of her favorite quotes is "Everything you don't know, is something you can learn!"



Ms. Jackson has been part of the Northmore family for just under a years serving as a Custodian. During her short time here at the school she has been came one of the most desire members on the custodian team due to her attention to detail, her passion to ensure all students are working in a clean and save environment and her caring spirit. She's a loving mother and grandmother of 3 wonderful boys. Ms. Jackson loves spending time with family and friends.