

# November 2018

## System-Wide Newsletter

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### Tips for Parents this School Year

#### Building Your Child's Self-Esteem

By building up your children's self-esteem, you will help them feel good about themselves and gain the confidence needed to meet life's challenges. Let your child know that you are proud of them and encourage them to do their best each day!

- \* Praise your child each day.
- \* Give compliments every chance you get.
- \* Acknowledge special efforts.
- \* Recognize good decisions.
- \* Avoid put-downs, even jokes.
- \* Praise academic achievements.
- \* Don't compare your children.



Source: Smart Parenting

### Important Dates

November 6: Teacher Training, No School, KC-Closed, Election Day

November 21-23: Thanksgiving Holidays, No School,



## Winter Tips for Home, Health, & Auto

Information and demonstrations will be provided on winterizing your home and vehicle. Healthy meals ideas, ways to save money over the holidays, and crockpot cooking ideas will be shared.

Samples of crockpot menu items will be provided to enjoy!

Date: Tuesday, November 13, 2018

Time: 6:00 p.m.

Location: Ingleside School

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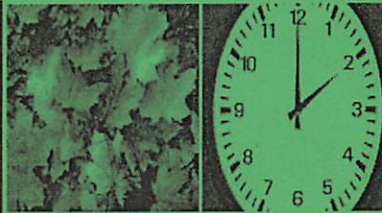
## Veteran's Day

November 11, 2018

Take time to say "thank you" to the many veterans who have served and are currently serving our country. We honor and thank them for what they have done.

## SCHOOL CLOSINGS

REMINDER: In case of inclement weather, school closings and/or delays will be communicated by School Cast, Facebook, Twitter, School Website, local radio stations, and television stations. Please make sure that your child's school has the most current phone number for your child so you can receive notifications.



### Time Change - Sunday, November 4

Daylight Savings: Time Ends. Turn clocks back on Saturday evening.



- \* Wash your hands often.
- \* Cover coughs & sneezes.
- \* Eat healthy.
- \* Drink plenty of water.
- \* Exercise.
- \* Get plenty of rest.



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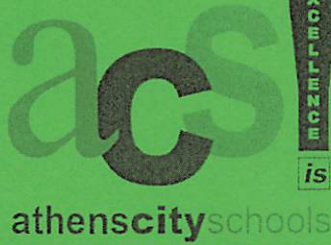
### EMPATHY

November Word of the Month

## Rachel's Challenge

Encourage your child to show love, consideration, and respect to other students, teachers, friends, and family. Together we are working to build stronger leaders for our school and community.









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## System-Wide Calendar of Events

ACM-Athens City Middle  
BOE-Board of Education  
CP-City Park  
IS-Ingleside  
NC-North City  
WS-Westside  
KC-Kids Connection

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1 ACM- Family Engagement Meeting 12:00 p.m.; Basketball vs. Riceville (H)JV Boys 5:00, V Girls 6:00, V Boys 7:00; Basketball vs. Cleveland (H) JV Girls 4:00	2 ACM- Pep Rally	3 Young Authors Conference 8:00-12:00 Mt. View School
4  Daylight Savings Time Ends	5 ACM-Basketball vs. Meigs (A)JV Girls 4:00, JV Boys 5:00, V Girls 6:00, V Boys 7:00	6 Teacher Training Day- No School  KC- Closed 	7	8 WS- Family Engagement 12:00 p.m., Poetry Alive	9 CP- Veterans Day Program NC- Veterans Day Program WS- Veterans Day Program	10
11 	12 ACM- Veterans Day Program; Basketball vs. Spring City (H) JV Girls 4:00, JV Boys 5:00, V Girls 6:00, V Boys 7:00 BOE- Meeting at Administration Building at 5:30 p.m. IS- Veterans Day Program	13 ACM-Basketball vs. Etowah (A)6th Grade Boys 6:00 IS- Family Engagement Meeting 12:00 p.m.  System-wide Winter Tips for Home, Health, & Auto Seminar 6:00 p.m. at IS	14	15 ACM-Basketball vs. Riceville (H) 6th Grade Boys 5:00 CP- Family Engagement Meeting 12:00 p.m.; Math and Art Night with TWU 6:30 p.m.	16 CP- Grandparent's Day Lunch  Midterms Go Home	17
<b>American Education Week November 12- 16, 2018</b>						
18	19 ACM-Basketball vs. Riceville (A)JV Boys 5:00, V Girls 6:00, V Boys 7:00 WS- Spelling Bee; Intramural Kickball Championship	20	21 Thanksgiving Holiday- No School  KC- Closed	22 Thanksgiving Holiday- No School  KC- Closed 	23 Thanksgiving Holiday- No School  KC- Closed	24
25	26 ACM-Basketball vs. CLA (H) V Girls 6:00, V Boys 7:00	27 ACM-Basketball vs. Sweetwater (H)JV Girls 4:00, JV Boys 5:00, V Girls 6:00, V Boys 7:00	28 BOE- Work Session at NC 12:00 p.m.	29 ACM-Basketball vs. Dayton City (A) JV Boys 5:00, V Girls 6:00, V Boys 7:00 IS- Character Ed Breakfast NC- Family Engagement 12:00 p.m.	30 ACM-Basketball vs. Chattanooga Charter (H) 6th Grade Boys 6:00 CP- Character Tea- Good Citizenship- 9 a.m.; CP Stars 1:15 p.m.	