



“Grateful Moments”

PRINCIPAL’S MESSAGE

The Pine Ridge family believes that establishing positive relationships with the students will create a positive culture and climate in our school. Aristotle once said, “Educating the mind and not the heart. We are fortunate to have the K-6 behavior change, PROMISE program,

AES (Alternative to Suspension), and RISE program. These programs are not only preparing the students academically but socially. We have counselors, volunteers, partners and community leaders vested in changing the lives of our most precious resource – our future generation.

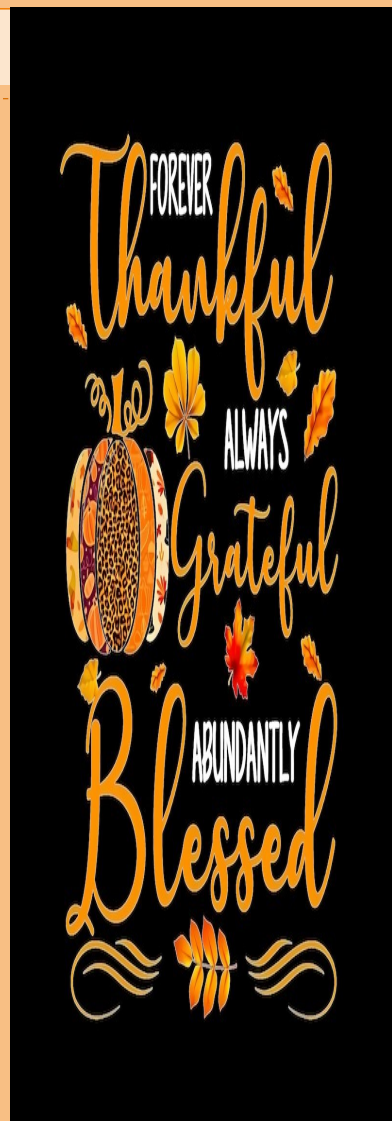
Our theme this year is: “Every Child Matters, Every Moment Counts”. Our teachers and staff are prepared to create positive moments for each child entering our school. We value our parents and your commitment to assist us with preparing our children for success. In addition, we welcome you to join our family through volunteering, mentoring or tutoring programs. We are thankful and grateful for our village here at Pine Ridge Education Center.

Educationally Yours,

Dr. Henry L. Brown, III

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SPECIAL POINTS OF INTEREST

- Equity and SAF– November 17th, 2021 @ 8:30
- Thanksgiving Break– 11/22-11/29
- November Food Distribution



ELA/MATH INFORMATION

2021-2022 MATH GOALS

50% of our Behavior Change students will demonstrate Math Improvement on 2021-22 Math FSA.

35% of our Behavior Change students will make Learning Gains on 2021-22 Math FSA.

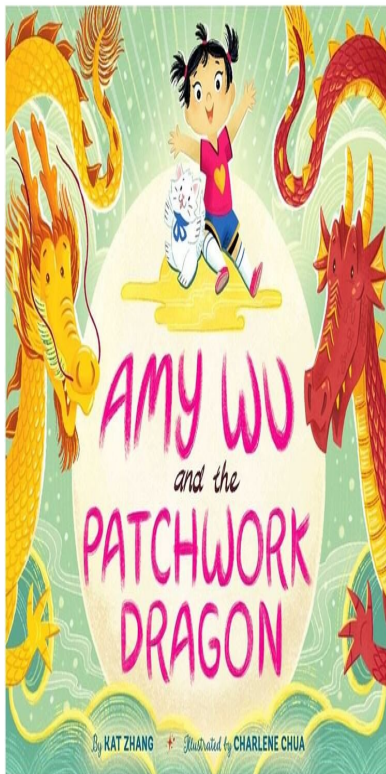
To support our school's vision that "Every Child Matters, Every Moment Counts", our Safety Patrol program will begin on October 1, 2021. We will create an important and memorable mo-

ment in our students' lives by hosting an induction program for selected students to officially become Safety Patrols. We will design "A Moment of Pride" by pinning our Captain, Lieutenant, and all other patrol members.

"The beautiful thing about learning is nobody can take it away from you."-B.B. King

READ FOR THE RECORD

Broward County Schools implemented **Read for the Record**, which all the students across Broward County read the same book. This year the book was "**Amy Wu and the Patchwork Dragon**." Mrs. Pompilus and Mrs. Thomas came and read with our students, they loved it and created their own little books.



Mayor
Hazelle Rogers
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NOVEMBER 19, 2021

"First Come First Served" "While Supplies Last"

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9:30 AM - 12:00 PM

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Pine Ridge Education Center

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Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33304

Saturday
November 20, 2021
9:00 AM to 12:00 PM

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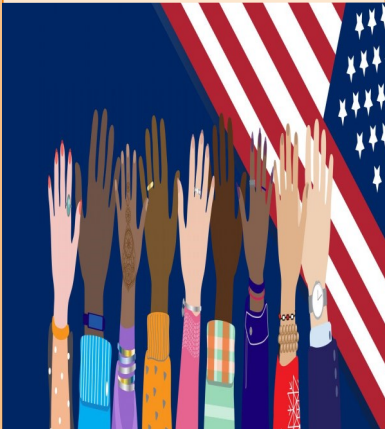


VILLAGE TIPS

Pine Ridge believes it takes a village to raise and educate children. We strongly believe that includes supporting our parents, guardians, or caregivers of our students. Each month we will be giving tips, information, and resources for parents, guardians, or caregivers to help and ensure a successful school year for our students.

BULLDOGS PARENT CORNER

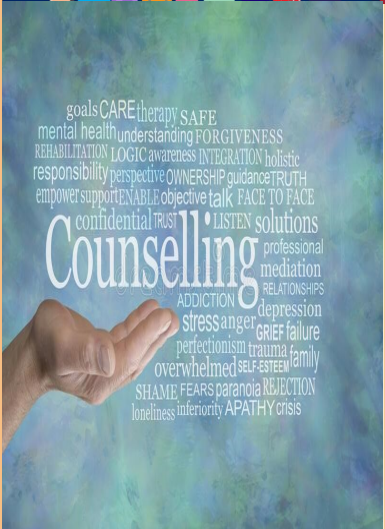
- **SAC/SAF Meeting**– November 17th@8:30 a.m.
- **Thanksgiving Break**– November 22nd-29th, 2021



GUIDANCE CORNER

November Character Trait is Citizenship.

Citizenship is knowing, understanding and displaying a high regard for rules, laws, government, heritage, and for those who have served and sacrificed for community and country.



FAMILY COUNSELING

At Pine Ridge we have begun, “Counselor’s Corner” where the students and staff learn targeted strategies towards improving behavior and social and emotional well-being. Evidence suggests that these interventions work best when also done at home. Students who talk about these with their parents and practice at home will remember them in both settings. The counselors at Pine Ridge are so happy to help with this Monday, Wednesday, and Friday on the morning show!

FALL FESTIVAL GIVEAWAYS

Greetings Pine Ridge Families,

Pine Ridge Education Center is hosting our Fall Festival for all parents and students to attend. There will be games, prizes, and fun giveaways. Parents will first participate in our SAC/SAF meeting beginning at 12:15p.m. and then transition to our Fall Festival. During this event parents will leave with a fall bag full of items for your holiday fest including a turkey. Please join us on Wednesday, November 17, 2021, at 12:15p.m.

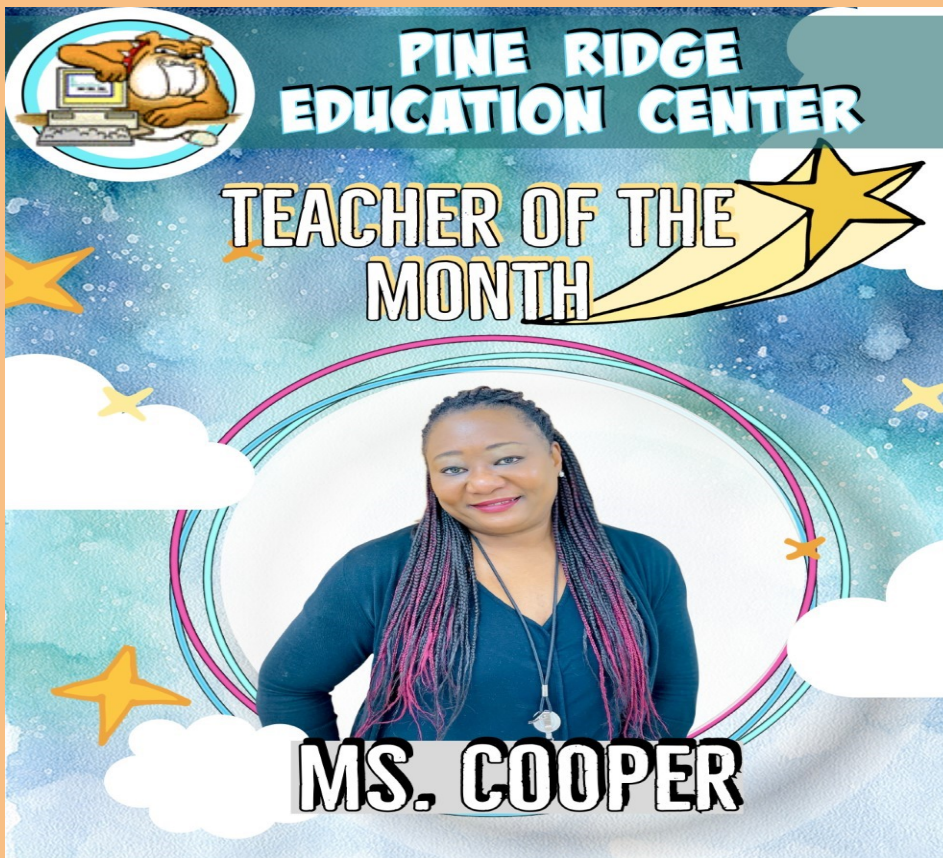
We look forward to seeing you,

Dr. Henry L. Brown, Principal



"Gratitude, help us to see what is there instead of what isn't." - Annette Bridges

TEACHER SPOTLIGHT OF THE MONTH



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Pine Ridge Education Center is a school where second chances are given. We're the only Alternative Center for grades K-6; we also house the Promise Program (K-12), The R.I.S.E Program (7), and the AES Program (K-6). Even though we are an alternative center, we have high expectations for our students as it relates to academics and behavior. Our curriculum is the same as every other elementary school in the District, but we do implement the Social Emotional Learning (SEL) standards through our Life Skills class. We teach our students if no one else believes in them, they have to believe in themselves first.

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