



# FAMILY COUGAR NEWS

November 16, 2025

## This Week at JMS

Wednesday:

6:30 - School Board Meeting

Thursday:

Thanksgiving Lunch

11:03 - 6th grade

12:03 - 7th grade

1:03 - 8th grade

5:00 - Boys Basketball at Lago Vista

5:00 - Girls Basketball vs Lago Vista at JMS

Thanksgiving Holidays

November 22nd - 30th!

See you on December 1st!!!!



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## Thanksgiving Lunch

We invite you to join us for Thanksgiving lunch on Thursday, November 20th.

Please scan the QR code on the attached flyer to pay in advance.

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8th grade lunch is at 1.00



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## Fall Festive Week

As we wind down to Thanksgiving let's get in the Spirit and show our best fall attire.

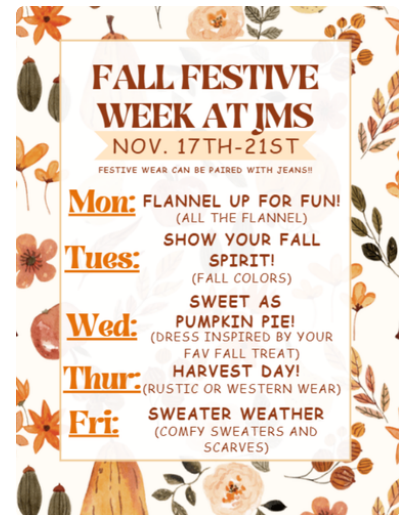
Monday: Flannel up for fun

Tuesday: Fall Spirit colors

Wednesday: Sweet at Pumpkin Pie (represent your favorite fall treat)

Thursday: Harvest day (rustic colors or western wear)

Friday: Sweater (and scarves) weather



## Band Store

Students received some of their band gear this week and a few people have asked about purchasing some band gear. The fundraiser for band has a store that is open all year long and they made all sorts of merchandise with Jarrell Band on it. It's great for the holidays coming up if anyone wants to support! 10% of profits go back into our band program as well.

Here is the link: <https://670101.snap.store/>

## Library News

Students have been putting their writing skills to work by composing letters to their favorite authors! In the library, students learned proper structure for writing letters, researched publishing

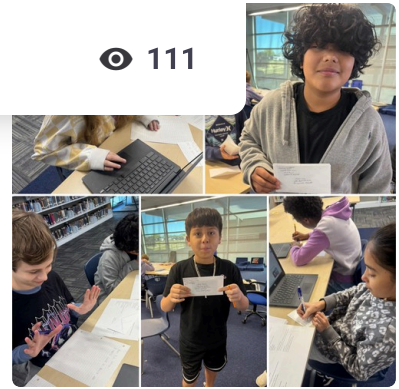
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skills with the books and authors they love. We can't wait to see  
what responses we get back!



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## Thankfulness

Many mornings I arrive early to work and often stay late. Please know that I do not mean this as a complaint; these quiet moments provide me with an opportunity to prepare for the day or to catch up on tasks that need attention.

What has truly touched me is observing how many of you are involved in your students' activities—bringing them in for early morning practice, picking them up after tutoring, or helping them during play rehearsals.

Parents often go unnoticed by teachers and administrators because our primary focus is on educating the students. I want to take a moment to acknowledge and thank you. We see all the effort you put in for your children and how much you love them, while still holding them accountable. We appreciate your support for our staff and students. It is truly inspiring to see parents cheering on students who are not their own. I also see how we all come together during challenging times to support one another, and how we share in joyful moments alike.

Thank you for being with us through both the successes and the moments when extra support is needed. We genuinely appreciate you.

It fills my heart with gratitude and joy to see the positive influence you have on our school community. Thank you for choosing JMS and for your unwavering dedication to our children.

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