

Illini Central Grade School Administrative Report

Enrollment as of 12.12.25

| Year | Pre-K | K | 1st | 2nd | 3rd | 4th | 5th | Total |
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| Dec. 25/26 | 57 | 42 | 45 | 50 | 42 | 42 | 47 | 325 |
| May 24/25 | 80 | 45 | 49 | 40 | 44 | 44 | 47 | 349 |
| Sept. 24/25 | 67 | 43 | 49 | 41 | 46 | 42 | 44 | 332 |
| 23/24 | 73 | 48 | 41 | 42 | 41 | 47 | 40 | 332 |
| 22/23 | 80 | 37 | 38 | 44 | 42 | 38 | 50 | 329 |
| 21/22 | 62 | 270 | | | | | | 332 |

Celebrations & Thanks (We Have a Ton!)

- Congratulations to our November Students of the Month! We'll announce and celebrate our December winners at our assembly on the first day back to school to kick off second semester.

November's Self-Controlled Students of the Month

Kindergarten
Arabella Albertson
Kye Devore
Everly Ross

First Grade
EverLee DeVore
Cora Lynn
Rob Montgomery
Lucian Wulff-Bulgaru

Second Grade
Leo List
Ryder McKinley
Amaerie Olivarez
Reese Tucker

Third Grade
Della Loveall
Rhett Kennett
Chesney Myers
Liam Pruitt

Fourth Grade
Evalynn Damarin
Gunner Keck
Dakota Kosek
Kennedy Schoonover

Fifth Grade
Carter Cooper
Landon Kern
Wesley Kirby
Layton Wheat

- Students really enjoyed our Winter Meet the Cougars assembly. We were able to cheer on Grade School Students and others who were able to participate in fun games. It was a blast!
- Our Winter Program was extremely well attended, and the kids did great! Thanks to Mrs. Wrigley for putting this show together. This year we tried out our new venue and had a different pick-up system for students to try to reduce the hallway traffic/jams. We will continue to tweak this to improve in future years.



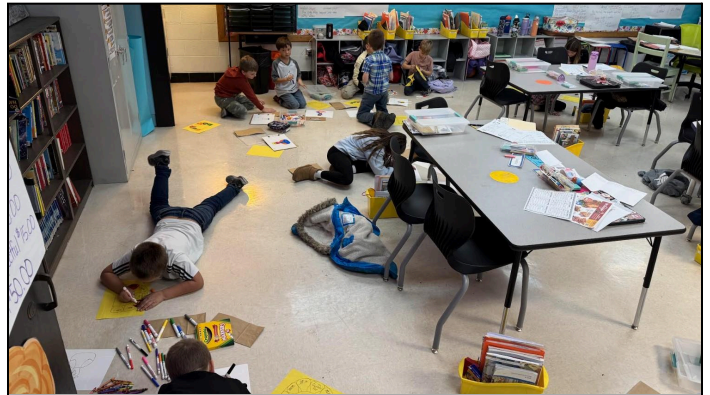
- The PreK Program was also a success in the new PD space! We received feedback from those that attended that it was a magical time and that the planning and heart that went into pulling off the program was evident. They also noted that the decorations, songs, and little touches made the evening extra special for families. Great job!

Erin's Law Presentations

On November 17th and 18th, grade school students participated in Erin's Law programming that was presented by educators from the Center for Prevention of Abuse. Erin's Law states that all school-aged children must be taught annually about personal safety via age appropriate videos, lectures, and/or books with a focus on safe touches and how to handle it if someone were to experience an unsafe touch. Valerie Henning coordinates this for the Grade School and always receives glowing feedback from the presenters who report that our staff is very welcoming, the students are engaged and polite, and the school is clean and cheerfully decorated.

Role Models in Recess & Buddy Program Activities

We continue to get positive feedback about the high school students in our recesses to interact and engage in activities with students. It is so much fun to see them playing basketball and jumping rope, etc. with our littles. We are so lucky to have such outstanding students at Illini Central. This activity is one of several that we are using to improve the sense of climate and belonging here at school. Another activity to promote belonging is the monthly Buddy Pair activities planned between partner teachers. Check out this activity that Ms. Bruce's 1st grade class and Mrs. Simmers's 4th grade class completed for Thanksgiving!



Bonus Picture at the Arlee

Our attendance was pretty much the best it's ever been following the Winter Concert since we went to the movies the day after! We only had **five** students absent, K-5!



