



November flew by for BES staff and students! We hosted our annual Nights of the Arts during Parent-Teacher Conferences, which is always a big hit. We also held our annual Mini Powwow, during which we proudly crowned our first-ever BES King and Princess.

Our Principal team also completed the first round of non-tenured teacher evaluations—great job, team! We're excited about the positive changes and forward movement that BES is embracing as we continue our journey to become the best we can be.

BES students receive weekly goodies for being present every day. Students who were present for the entire month of November received Root Beer Floats. BES is working hard to improve our daily attendance.



BNAS Mini Pow-Wow along with our newly crowned BES Princess and Prince.



### ***Coaches Corner***

November was very busy. The report was updated to reflect the new curriculum. Coaches conducted an external observation of Benchmark and developed a framework to support daily lesson instruction.

During a BID day, we worked alongside teachers to unpack the OA (Operations and Algebraic Thinking) math standards for grades K-3. The focus of the OA standard skills is from grades K-3. Teachers presented the standards they unpacked from K-3 and also played games that connected back to the standards.





### ***Student Attendance for November***

2nd Grade: 69.72%

3rd Grade: 71.63%

School Wide: 69.69%

We are working hard to improve our overall attendance by implementing weekly and monthly attendance incentives. Although our attendance secretary has been out and is expected to remain out, we now have a permanent substitute (Mr. Weslee Pree) in place who has worked extremely hard to update and catch up all attendance records. We will continue to work to strengthen our attendance processes and improve our attendance rates.