

TIGER TIMES



ALACHUA eSchool NEWSLETTER

HELLO FALL



Hi Tigers! Fall is here, and we're nearing the end of our first quarter. We want to thank you for such a great start to the year! Please browse through this newsletter to find information about upcoming field trips and events, important resources, and helpful tips and tricks.

FAST TESTING - PM1 COMPLETE!



Congrats to all of our hardworking Tigers for completing the first FAST test of the year! Thank you to all of the parents who helped facilitate the test by logging your children on at home or by bringing them to eSchool to test. We appreciate you! **PLEASE NOTE: PM2 will not have a remote option. All students will test on the eSchool campus in January.** Stay tuned for a schedule from your teacher!

DID YOU
KNOW?



Pumpkins are grown all over the world, in every continent except Antarctica.



The largest pumpkin pie ever made was 20 feet in diameter and weighed 3,699 pounds! It was cut into 5,000 slices when it was finished.



National Candy Corn Day is October 30th. Don't forget to celebrate!



The largest squash on record weighed 1,486.6 pounds!



ELEMENTARY ELECTIVES

It's almost time to sign up for our optional elementary electives!



**Registration will be open
October 18th - 28th.**



**Courses will begin on
Monday, October 31st.**



Art

This course includes ten lessons/projects for the school year! It is self-led, so there is no teacher who facilitates it.



Music

Have fun learning basic musicianship skills, and create music in various forms! This course is led by Mrs. McKay.



Spanish

Students will listen, speak, read, and write in Spanish! This course is led by Senora Clune-Hrivnak.



French

Students will listen, speak, read, and write in French! This course is led by Madame Clune-Hrivnak.

**NOTE: Because Music, Spanish, and French are teacher-led, space is limited.*

Friendsgiving Celebration

ELEMENTARY ELECTIVES PREVIEW DAY

Please join us for a **fun** and **educational** celebration!



Celebrate Fall with friendship, French & Spanish fun, music, arts & crafts, and more!



Click [here](#) if you plan to attend!



Please bring a **canned food item** for our Harvest Basket.

**Thursday
October 20th**



10:00 - 11:30



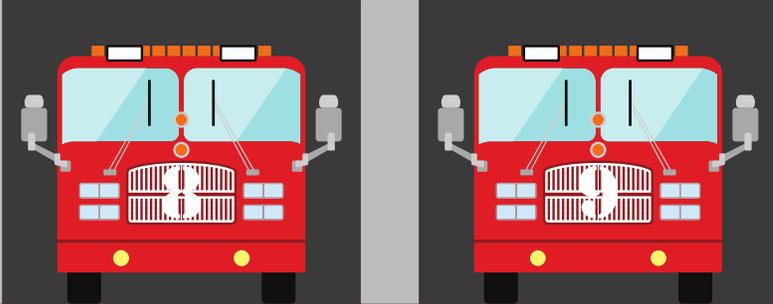
eSchool Campus
2802 NE 8th Ave.
Gainesville, FL 32641





Mark your calendar!
It's field trip time!

FIRE STATION



We are
fired up



TO VISIT THE FIRE STATION!



Tuesday, October 4th



10:00 am

Station 1 - 427 S Main Street

EXPLORE a Dairy
Farm VIRTUALLY!



Friday, October 14th



12:30 pm



[Click to join!](#)



GET ready for some FALL FUN AT
COON HOLLO!



Wednesday, November 2nd



Arrive at 9:45 so you'll have time to pay before we begin at 10:00. Enjoy the activities from 10-1!



\$8 per child
*Parents are free!



Bring your lunch or purchase concessions!



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Micanopy, FL 32667



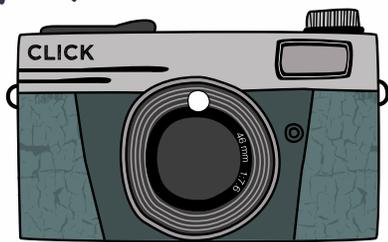
Wear closed-toed shoes!



for your information



SAY
cheese!



Get your smile ready... 

PICTURE DAY

is right around the corner!

Where?



eSchool Campus
2802 NE 8th Ave.
Gainesville, FL 32641

When?



**Monday
November 7th**

**More details are coming soon!*

Does your 3rd, 4th, or 5th
grader need extra help
with READING?

GNV Bridge offers **FREE**
virtual literacy tutoring
for 3rd, 4th, and 5th
graders.

One-on-one tutoring is
provided by volunteers
five days per week, 15
minutes per day.

Click [HERE](#) to apply!



GNV BRIDGE



How can I see which assignments I have completed, and which assignments I still need to work on?

HELPFUL HINT: Arrange your grades by **MODULE**.

1. Open your **grades** for a subject.
2. Click on the drop down menu under "**Arrange**" at the top. It's probably set to the default which is "Due Date."
3. Choose "**Module**" from the drop down menu.
4. Click the "**Apply**" button.



How do I know if I am on-pace?

Check out the PACING GUIDE in your Canvas courses!

1. Open any course and look in the Announcements at the top of the homepage.
2. Click on the **AES PACING CALENDAR**. It will show you what you should be working on in each subject!



How do I change my display name in Canvas?

**Did you know that you can change your display name in Canvas?
Click [HERE](#) to learn how!**

USING THE
CANVAS APP
ON YOUR PHONE OR TABLET



When setting up the Canvas app, what do I type when it asks for my school?

For your school, you will type: **SBAC**



How can I scan and upload assignments?

With just a few clicks, you can scan and upload assignments right in the Canvas app!

Click [HERE](#) to see how!



frequently asked questions



HOW CAN I ACCESS BRAINPOP?

1. Log into [myPortal](#).
2. Click on the BrainPOP icon.
3. Then, you can either browse the videos in BrainPOP, or you can click any of the BrainPOP links in your Canvas modules.

For more information, click [HERE](#)!



HOW CAN I ACCESS MY ONLINE TEXTBOOKS?

Please click [HERE](#) to learn how!

-  **ADVANCE Reading** can be accessed through the Benchmark Universe link on the lefthand side of your reading course in Canvas.
- **All other subjects** can be accessed through [myPortal](#).



Math



Science



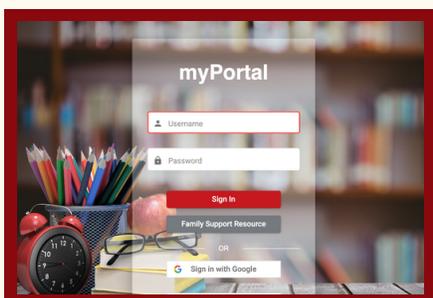
Social Studies

WHAT CAN I FIND IN [MYPORTAL](#)?

There is so much to explore in [myPortal](#)!

- Media Center Resources
- Supplemental Resources
- Online Textbooks
- Password Reset Information
- Skyward Family Access
- And More...

Click [HERE](#) for a helpful document that explains all of your [myPortal](#) resources!



WHAT SHOULD I DO IF I HAVE A QUESTION?



If you have any questions, **please contact your teacher directly.**

- Your teacher's contact information can be found at the bottom of your academic courses. *Please do not send Canvas messages to your teacher.*
- *Please do not call the eSchool office to reach your teacher.*

looking ahead



OCTOBER

October 7th
No School
(UF Homecoming)

October 14th
End of 1st
Nine Weeks
**All work due by 3pm!*

October 17th
No School
(Student Holiday)

October 25th
Report Cards

October 28th
DEADLINE
*Last day to sign up
for electives!*

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
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9	10	11	12	13	14 End of Grading Period	15
16	17 No School Today	18	19	20 	21	22
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FIELD TRIPS

October 4th
FIELD TRIP
Fire Station (10:00)

October 14th
VIRTUAL FIELD TRIP
Dairy Farm (12:30)

October 20th
FRIENDSGIVING
eSchool (10:00)

NOVEMBER

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November 2nd
FIELD TRIP
Coon Hollo
(10:00-1:00)

November 7th
Picture Day

November 11th
No School
(Veterans Day)

November 21st-25th
No School
(Thanksgiving Break)



student spotlight



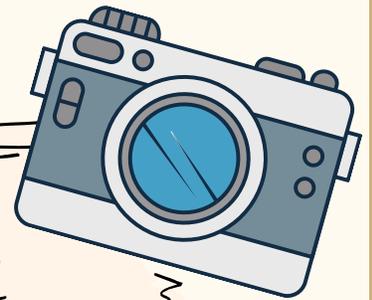
WANTED



**PHOTOS OF
HARDWORKING
TIGERS**

WE NEED YOUR HELP!

We love to showcase our
incredible eSchool students!



If you'd like to see your Tiger in the next *Tiger Times*, please snap a photo and email it to:
herrerarc@gm.sbac.edu

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