

STALLION TIMES

Simmons Career Acceleration Academy

A Tribute to Hispanic Heritage



Last month, Simmons Career Accelerated Academy celebrated Hispanic Heritage Month, honoring the rich traditions, cultures, and contributions of the Hispanic and Latino communities. Several of our students showcased their stunning quinceanera dresses, escorted by members of the Thurgood Marshall History Club.

Adding more flavor to the month, our school hosted a salsa contest, where faculty and staff

enjoyed delicious homemade recipes, and vote for their favorites. Congratulations to Ms. Jelly, whose salsa took first place!

Our dedicated custodial staff gathered ingredients, while Ms. Justina prepared a warm, traditional soup called “pozole” that quickly became a favorite.

At Simmons, we embrace and celebrate diversity!

ACADEMIC VIBES



Cianni was caught totally locked in, leading with focus and determination.

STALLION SPOTLIGHT



This month's Stallion Spotlight shines on this dynamic duo- Mrs. Teeden and Ms. Kirby. Together, they spend countless hours paving the way for students to reach their goals and proudly walk across that graduation stage. They are the perfect example of Stallion spirit in action!



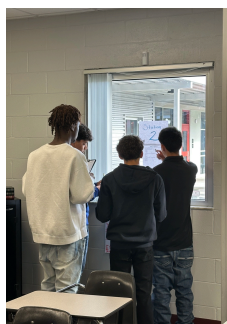
IMPORTANT DATES:

11/13 Progress Reports
11/20 Great America Teach-In
11/20 Conference Night
11/24-11/28 No School
12/2 FAST testing
12/12 Field Trip



"An investment in knowledge pays the best interest."

-Benjamin Franklin



What We're Learning

English

We are exploring figurative language and analyzing memoirs to discover how words paint powerful life stories.

Mathematics

Students are converting standard form to slope form as well as focusing on reflections of angles and lines.

Science

We are analyzing how population size is determined by many factors that determine carrying capacity.

History

Students finished learning about WWI and what caused WWII and in Government we are analyzing the executive branch and it's limits.

Attendance Shout-Outs

Keep showing up, Stallions...every day counts!

Agudo-Almaraz, Lucero
Arroyo, Yaniel
Bennett, Christina
Cast, Daelen
Drane, Davis
Fischer, Shaun
Gonzalez, Daveion
Hernandez, Mitchellle
Leos-Avalos, Abraham
Martin, Joshua
McKenzie, Isaiah
Miller, Austin
Rangel, Leonel
Reynoso-Aragon, Alison
Salazar-Cruz, Araceli
Sanchez-Moreno, Justin
Wiggins, Hailey



Senior Corner

Class Ring & Cap and Gown
Meeting TBA

Start creating your SENIOR JEANS
for January 25th!

#GRAD



AUTUMN IS HERE



F	N	R	F	J	A	C	K	E	T
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Word list:
ACORN
AUTUMN
CRISP
FALL
HARVEST
JACKET
LEAVES
NUT
RAKE
SWEATER

Classroom Remix

"Mrs. Gibbs is very organized, and her classes are always fun." -Lucero Agudo

"When I get frustrated in class, Mrs. Gibbs is very patient and reteaches me until I get it." -Zsa-ryya Rodriguez



Art

We are exploring and understanding the color wheel, hyperrealism, and abstract color eyes.



Physical Education

Students are studying chronic diseases and disabilities and focusing on physical fitness.



Reading

We are preparing for the FAST and PM2 coming up in December. We are analyzing excerpts from greek mythology as well as diving into poetry.



Music

Students are exploring military bands for Veterans Day. We are also practicing on xylophones, building rhythm skills, and expanding music vocabulary.



Agriculture

We are practicing safe procedures when working with animals and identifying opportunities in FFA and other Ag groups.



Family and Consumer

Science

Students are learning about practical life skills by applying knowledge in nutrition, financial literacy, and personal responsibility to real-world situations.

Student Voices: A Season of Gratitude



Reflect on a part of school that has made you feel grateful this year. Maybe it was a class you loved, a friend or adult who supported you, or a project you enjoyed. Write a short paragraph explaining why it means so much to you.



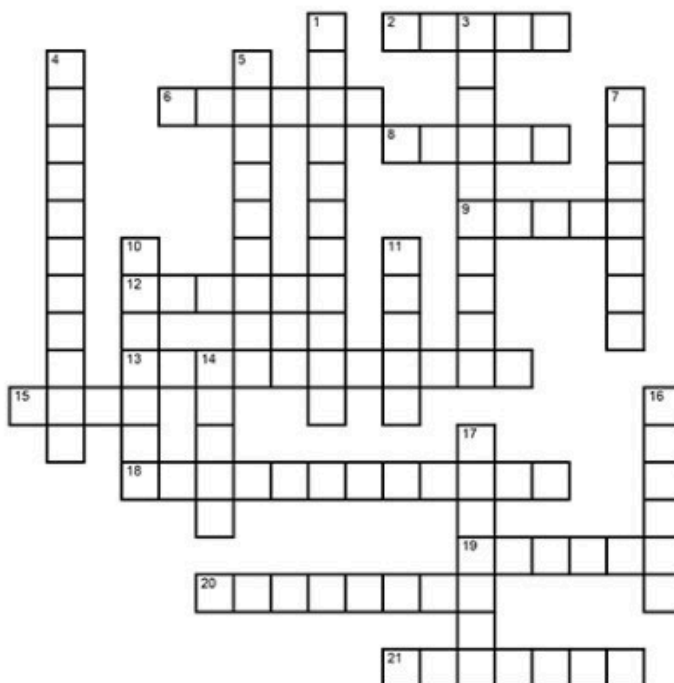
November

ACROSS

2. Sponsors of the annual Thanksgiving parade in New York City.
6. Traditional Thanksgiving bird.
8. Breezy or gusty.
9. Drink made from apples.
12. Another word for the fall season.
13. November 11th.
15. Tool for gathering leaves.
18. Celebrated on the fourth Thursday of November.
19. What the turkey said.
20. Eleventh month of the year.
21. Often used to make pie in November.

DOWN

1. First Tuesday after the first Monday in November.
3. Horn of abundance.
4. The day after Thanksgiving.
5. Thankfulness.
7. Along with Sagittarius, zodiac sign for November.
10. The gathering of crops.
11. Deposit of small ice crystals.
14. Along with citrine, birthstone for the month of November.
16. They're raked in autumn.
17. Mayflower passenger.



Autumn
Black Friday
Cider
Cornucopia
Election Day
Frost
Gobble

Gratitude
Harvest
Leaves
Macy's
November
Pilgrim
Pumpkin

Rake
Scorpio
Thanksgiving
Topaz
Turkey
Veterans Day
Windy



Turn your writing into to Mrs. Miller (room 208) for a treat!



Due Date: Friday, November 21st

Enter for a chance to be featured in next months newsletter.

Your name _____ HR Teacher _____