

# Union Elementary School

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September 26, 2025

## Dates to Remember

**Wednesday, October 1st**

School Picture Day-

Ordering envelopes went home last week.

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**Friday, October 10th**

**No School- Workshop Day**

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**Monday, October 13th**

**No School- Indigenous Peoples' Day**

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**Wednesday, October 22nd**

Early Release Day- dismissal @ 1:15

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**Scholastic Book Fair**

**October 20-24**

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**Friday, October 24th**

UES Open House

5:00-6:00 p.m.

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**Friday, October 31<sup>st</sup>**

Costume Parade @ 2:30 p.m.

## Weekly Principal Message

Dear UES Students and Families,

Thank you for another great week! It was a close call, but 3rd and 6th had the highest school attendance last week and we will celebrate with extra choice time outside on Monday! Thank you for continuing to help ensure your student is here on time to participate in learning. This upcoming week we have pictures on Wednesday and National Custodian Appreciation day on Thursday. We are grateful for Mr. Dean who consistently keeps our school looking its best so students can focus on learning.

Wishing you and your family a great weekend,

**Dr. Clint Rankin, Principal**

## Annual Online Registration

Parents must complete the On-Line Registration as part of the enrollment process. This also includes those parents who are new to the school this year. Thank you to all of the families who have completed their registrations! If you haven't completed your annual registration, please click on the link below. If you can't remember your user name and password, please call Mrs. Davis in the office @ 785-4330 or email @ allison\_davis@rsu40.org to get your user name and get your password reset. We want to be sure all emergency information is up to date.

**Infinite Campus Parent Portal**

**Web Link**

## Pants needed

We are looking for donations of leggings for girls in sizes from 5-14. We also need comfy boy's pants in the same sizes. We keep extras in the office that we loan to students and ask they wash and return.

## Students recognized for positive behaviors!!

Our PBIS monthly theme for September is Respect/Manners- I will show respect by using good manners.

Congratulations to the following students for being recognized this week for our targeted positive behavior:

**Pre K - Everett Conway & Anastasia Callahan**  
**Kindergarten - McKenna Sabins & Jackson Newman**  
**1st Grade - Deakin Kenefick & Stella Boyer**  
**2nd Grade - Kylie Dodge & Lucas Small**  
**3rd Grade - Zakk Dempsey & Vinny Thibodeau**  
**4th Grade - Kelsey Beardsley & Isabelle Cahill**  
**5th Grade - Penelope Mabry & Vivienne Buczacz**  
**6th Grade - Ivy Lima & Mason Wyllie**

## Super Citizens



# BOOK



# FAIR



## Scholastic Book Fair

UES will be holding our Scholastic Book Fair the week of October 20-24. We are excited to announce that the Pullen Foundation, a non-profit town account overseen by a committee of volunteers, has once again agreed to provide a \$20 donation for each child so they can purchase books. We have 133 students so that's a \$2,600 donation from the Pullen Committee towards literacy for kids! Because we will be purchasing so much from Scholastic Books, they are likely to provide Ms. Barrows with additional funding for the library thanks to their purchasing incentive program. It's a gift that multiplies in value and you can't beat that!

Students will be able to go to the Book Fair throughout the week to spend their \$20. Teachers will allow their students to browse and make final purchases no later than Thursday the 23rd. This will allow parents to utilize the Open House Night on Friday, October 24th to purchase books beyond the \$20 mark, if they so choose.

Buy **online** to get personalization and/or a digital download for **free** in select packages. Compre en **línea** para personalización o una descarga digital **gratis** en ciertos paquetes.



## 1 PICK YOUR PACKAGE(S) ELIGE UNO O VARIOS

**New!**  
NUEVO

**FAMILY PACKAGE** **\$64**

- 4 - 8x10s
- 6 - 5x7s
- 4 - 4x6s
- 4 - 3x5s
- 8 - 2x3s

\*Order online to choose a background on every sheet.  
\*Haz tu pedido online para elegir un fondo en cada hoja.

**Best Value!**  
Mejor Valor

**A** **\$44**

- 3 - 8x10s
- 2 - 5x7s
- 2 - 4x6s
- 4 - 3x5s
- 8 - 2x3s

**B** **\$38**

- 1 - 8x10
- 2 - 5x7s
- 2 - 4x6s
- 4 - 3x5s
- 8 - 2x3s

**Most Popular!**  
Más Popular

**C** **\$32**

- 2 - 5x7s
- 2 - 4x6s
- 4 - 3x5s
- 8 - 2x3s

**D** **\$25**

- 2 - 5x7s
- 4 - 3x5s
- 8 - 2x3s

**E** **\$22**

- 1 - 5x7
- 2 - 3x5s
- 8 - 2x3s

**F** **\$17**

- 4 - 3x5s
- 8 - 2x3s

**G** **\$12**

- 2 - 3x5s
- 4 - 2x3s

**+ Package** **+ \$5**

**FRIENDSHIP PACK**

- 4 - 2x3s
- 3 - Bookmarks

Must choose your package above and bubble in the (+) bubble next to your package to get the Friendship Pack for \$5.  
Debes elegir tu paquete arriba y marcar la burbuja (+) al lado de tu paquete para obtener el Paquete de la Amistad por \$5.

## 2 OPTIONS OPCIONES

**1 Classic Border**  
Borde Clásico **\$7**

More border options online!  
Más opciones de borde en línea!

**2 Retouch**  
Retoque **\$10**

Includes Blemishes, Graces Not Included.  
Incluye Imperfecciones, Frenillos No Incluidos.

**3 Year**  
Año **\$5**

Applies to ALL Prints in Package.  
Aplica a TODAS las Imágenes en el Paquete.  
More personalization options online!  
Más opciones de personalización en línea!

**CHOOSE A FREE BACKGROUND**

**B5**

**B6**

**B7**

**B8**

\* More background options available online!  
Más opciones de fondo disponibles en línea!

## A LA CARTE

**L** **\$15**

1 - 8x10

**M** **\$15**

2 - 5x7s

**N** **\$15**

4 - 3x5s

**GET MORE ONLINE!** ¡Comprar en línea!  
Tenemos más excelentes opciones en línea.  
Want to **build your own package**? Add a name to your prints?  
Choose from more **background options**? Buy a **digital download** of your image?  
Purchase **additional prints** at discounted prices? Go online for more options!

**FILL IN BUBBLES COMPLETELY**  
Llene las burbujas completamente  
Example:

## Strawbridge

To pay online, go to [www.strawbridge.net](http://www.strawbridge.net). Click Order Pictures and enter the following code:  
Para pagar en línea, vaya a [www.strawbridge.net](http://www.strawbridge.net). Haga clic en ordenar fotos e ingrese el código siguiente:

**FM489299**

Enter Online Payment Code Here:  
ingrese el código de pago en línea aquí:

## UES Fall Pictures

Fall picture day is on Wednesday, October 1st. The link at the bottom of the order form will allow parents to sign up to receive updates via email regarding their child's school portraits. These updates include promotions, additional deals and the ability to order more pictures at a later time. When entering student information, parents should be sure to enter the student's name as it is on file at the school. Paper order forms went home this week. If you need another form, please get one in the office from Mrs. Davis before picture day.



**Our kindergarten scientists made “Breeze Buddies” to measure the wind speed outside.**



**Our kindergarten scientists have also enjoyed watching the Monarch caterpillars in their classroom form chrysalises and hatch into beautiful butterflies. They have been learning about lifecycles, migration, metamorphosis and what living creatures need in order to survive. It's been very exciting to observe each day and wait for a new butterfly to emerge that they can release!**





# RSU 40 IS HIRING

JOIN US AT **MEDOMAK MIDDLE SCHOOL** ON  
**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 27 FROM 9-3** TO WALK  
THROUGH AND COMPLETE THE APPLICATION  
PROCESS TOGETHER!



## OPEN POSITIONS

- **SPED TEACHERS**
- **ED TECHS**
- **DRIVERS**
- **CUSTODIANS**

**JOIN OUR TEAM**