November 2005

Educator Calendar

All month: November Theme: Gratitude & Generosity · Native American Heritage Month

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1 ● Family Literacy Day	2	3	4	5
6 ● Clocks Fall Back	7	8 ● Election Day ● STEM Day	9	10	11 ● Veterans Day	12
13	14	15	16	17 ● Great American Smokeout	18	19
20	21	22	23	24 ● Thanksgiving	25 ● Native American Heritage Day	26
27	28	29 ● Giving Tuesday	30			

Legend: ● Holidays & Celebrations ● Monthly Teaching Themes ● Prevention & Safety ● Culture & History ● Other

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Events in November 2005

Tue Nov 1 **National Family Literacy Day** (Other) A day celebrating families reading and learning together.

Nov 1 – Nov 30 **Native American Heritage Month** (Culture & History) A month celebrating the cultures, traditions and contributions of Native peoples.

Nov 1 – Nov 30 **November Theme: Gratitude & Generosity** (Monthly Teaching Themes, TTW teaching theme) TTW teaching theme: gratitude, kindness and generosity.

Sun Nov 6 **Daylight Saving Time Ends** (Other, varies by location) Clocks move back one hour in most of the United States.

Tue Nov 8 **Election Day** (Culture & History, varies by location) The Tuesday after the first Monday in November; some schools serve as polling places.

Tue Nov 8 **National STEM/STEAM Day** (Other) A day encouraging students to explore science, technology, engineering, arts and math.

Fri Nov 11 **Veterans Day** (Holidays & Celebrations) A federal holiday honouring military veterans.

Thu Nov 17 **Great American Smokeout** (Prevention & Safety) The American Cancer Society's day encouraging people to quit smoking (third Thursday of November).

Thu Nov 24 **Thanksgiving Day** (Holidays & Celebrations) A federal holiday giving thanks (fourth Thursday of November).

Fri Nov 25 **Native American Heritage Day** (Culture & History) Observed the day after Thanksgiving to honour Native Americans.

Tue Nov 29 **Giving Tuesday** (Other) A global day of generosity (the Tuesday after Thanksgiving).