

ENERGY CONSERVATION

2025 Calendar



Use the sunlight to help
you in the darkness
-Vanellope Montijo, Grade 5

Lakeview Elementary School
Teacher: Lisa Fitzgerald
Principal: Jose Vazquez



The WATT SAVINGS PROJECT



A Student Art Program Sponsored by OUC



The Watts Savings Project is an energy conservation-themed art project sponsored by OUC—The *Reliable One*. It is designed to help the District of Osceola County students learn about the importance of saving energy.

The project includes a calendar art contest for elementary school students. As part of the project, students receive a lesson on energy conservation and are then encouraged to share what they've learned through their artwork.

The Watts Savings Project debuted in the Fall 2024 in the District of Osceola County. Schools in OUC's service area were the first to participate in this project. More than 1,000 calendars will be distributed in 2025.

Our goal is to inspire students to reduce electricity consumption and tasked with creating artwork to express the importance of energy conservation. This in return will result in environmentally conscious adults in the future.

Each school selects its six best entries for submission into the contest, and OUC employees choose 13 submissions overall.

We hope you enjoy this year's creative artwork and slogans, "*paint a brighter future through energy conservation.*"

For ways to save energy and learn more about OUC's energy conservation program, please visit [OUC.com/waystosave](https://www.ouc.com/waystosave).

you shouldn't
do this

Do this instead

Do it naturally
and save electricity

-Dayanelis Crespo Perez, Grade 4

East Lake Elementary School

Teacher: Teresa Stevens

Principal: Beth Telemko



01

January

IMPORTANT DATES:

- 1** New Year's Day / Kwanzaa Ends
- 2** Hanukkah Ends
- 3** Last Day of Winter Break
- 6** Three Kings Day / Teacher Workday / Student Holiday
- 7** Classes Resume
- 14** End of Second Grading Period
- 15** First Day of Third Grading Period
- 20** Martin Luther King Jr. Holiday / Teacher Holiday / Student Holiday
- 29** Chinese New Year

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Turn out the light
-Emily Bolanos, Grade 5
East Lake Elementary School
Teacher: Teresa Stevens
Principal: Beth Telemko

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February

IMPORTANT DATES:

- 2** Groundhog Day
- 12** Lincoln's Birthday
- 14** Valentine's Day
- 17** Presidents' Day
- 21** Rodeo Day / Teacher Non-Workday / Student Holiday
- 28** Ramadan Begins

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Use the natural light.
That's what it's there for.
-Blakely Bryant, Grade 5
Lakeview Elementary School
Teacher: Lisa Fitzgerald
Principal: Jose Vazquez

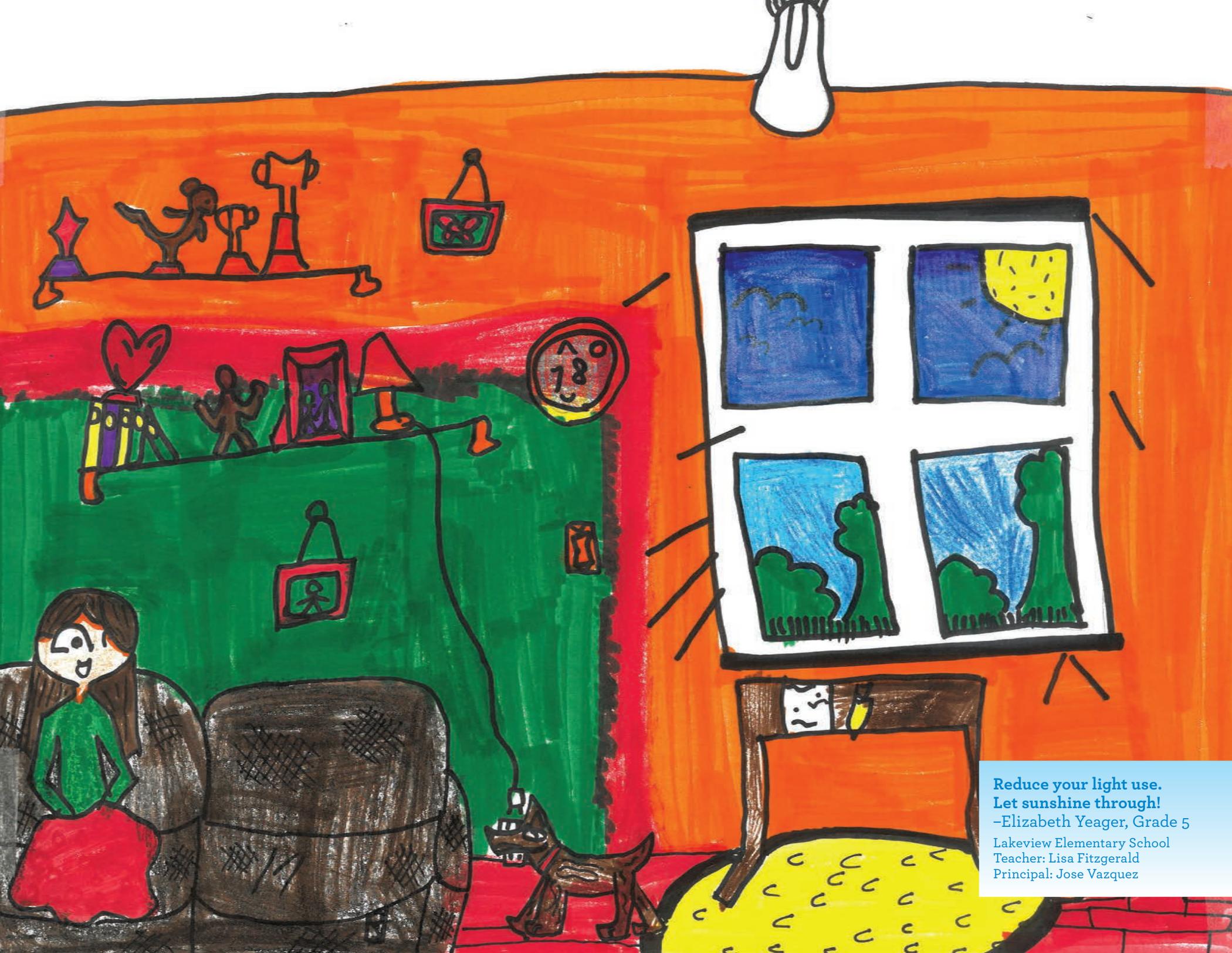
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March

IMPORTANT DATES:

9	Daylight Saving Time Begins
14	End of Third Grading Period
17	St. Patrick's Day
17-21	Spring Break / Teacher Holiday / Student Holiday
20	First Day of Spring
24	Teacher Workday / Student Holiday
25	Classes Resume / First Day of Fourth Grading Period
30	Ramadan Ends

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**Reduce your light use.
Let sunshine through!**
-Elizabeth Yeager, Grade 5
Lakeview Elementary School
Teacher: Lisa Fitzgerald
Principal: Jose Vazquez

04

April

IMPORTANT DATES:

- 1** April Fools' Day
- 12** Passover Begins
- 13** Palm Sunday
- 15** Tax Day
- 18** Good Friday
- 20** Easter Sunday / Passover Ends
- 22** Earth Day
- 23** Administrative Professionals' Day
- 25** Arbor Day
- 28** Student Holiday / Teacher Holiday

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**Save electricity
for positivity!**

-Stefan Dilone, Grade 5
Lakeview Elementary School
Teacher: Lisa Fitzgerald
Principal: Jose Vazquez

05

May

IMPORTANT DATES:

- 5** Cinco de Mayo

- 11** Mother's Day

- 17** Armed Forces Day

- 26** Memorial Day / Teacher Non-Workday / Student Holiday

- 30** End of Fourth Grading Period / Last Student Day

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Harness the power of nature's energy! It's free and reduces your carbon footprint.
-Risbely Reyes, Grade 4
Lakeview Elementary School
Teacher: Lisa Fitzgerald
Principal: Jose Vazquez



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June

IMPORTANT DATES:

2 Teacher Workday / Last Teacher Day

14 Flag Day

15 Father's Day

16 Juneteenth

20 First Day of Summer

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Play board games with your friends and family instead of energy-draining electronic games!

—Charlotte Amodeo, Grade 4

Lakeview Elementary School

Teacher: Lisa Fitzgerald

Principal: Jose Vazquez



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July

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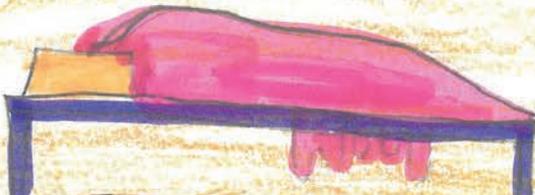
4 Independence Day

27 Parents' Day

Don't leave the lights on
While sleeping.

Turn off your lights at night
-Brooklyn Howard, Grade 4
Michigan Avenue Elementary School
Teacher: Linda Robinson
Principal: Diane Crook-Nichols

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August

IMPORTANT DATES:

- 11** First Day of School / First Day of First Grading Period

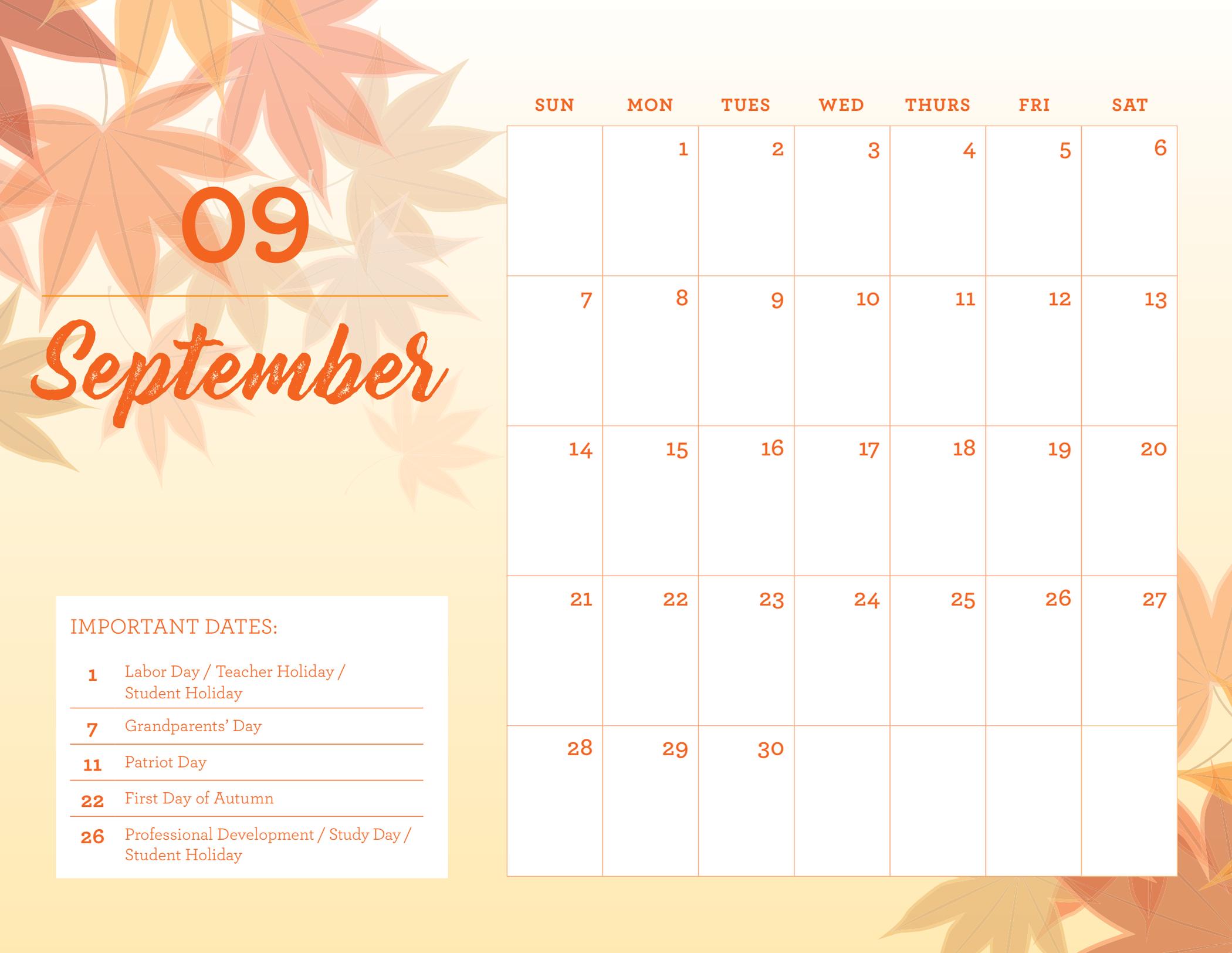
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**Be a part of the solution,
not part of the pollution!**

-Faithlyn Selvam, Grade 5

St. Cloud Elementary School
Teacher: Bethanie Marquez
Principal: Dr. Amy Flowers



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September

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IMPORTANT DATES:

- 1** Labor Day / Teacher Holiday / Student Holiday
- 7** Grandparents' Day
- 11** Patriot Day
- 22** First Day of Autumn
- 26** Professional Development / Study Day / Student Holiday

Less energy, more future!

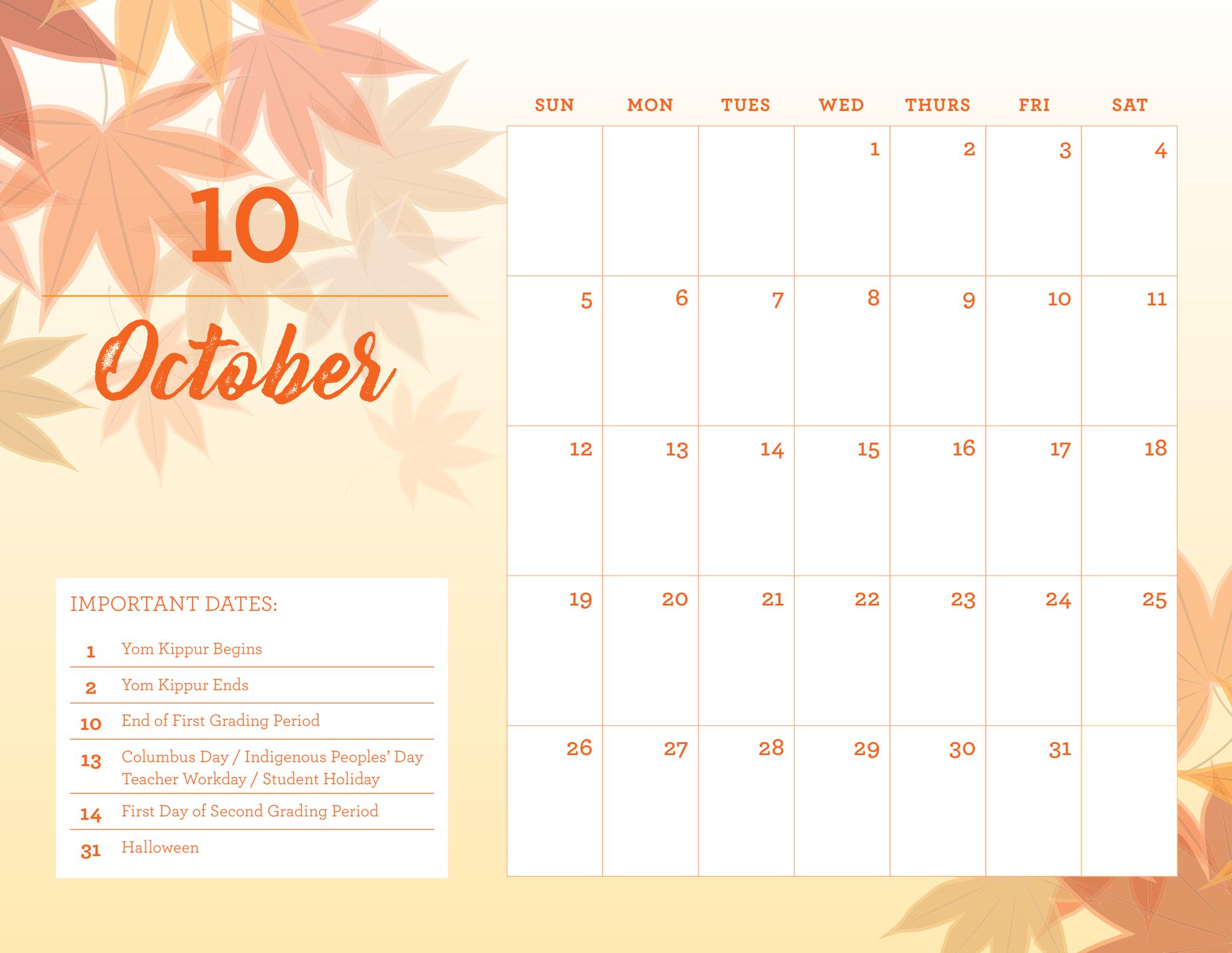
-Zayra Ortiz, Grade 4

Voyager K8

Teacher: Zori Jekov

Principal: Dustin Sassie





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October

IMPORTANT DATES:

- 1** Yom Kippur Begins

- 2** Yom Kippur Ends

- 10** End of First Grading Period

- 13** Columbus Day / Indigenous Peoples' Day
Teacher Workday / Student Holiday

- 14** First Day of Second Grading Period

- 31** Halloween

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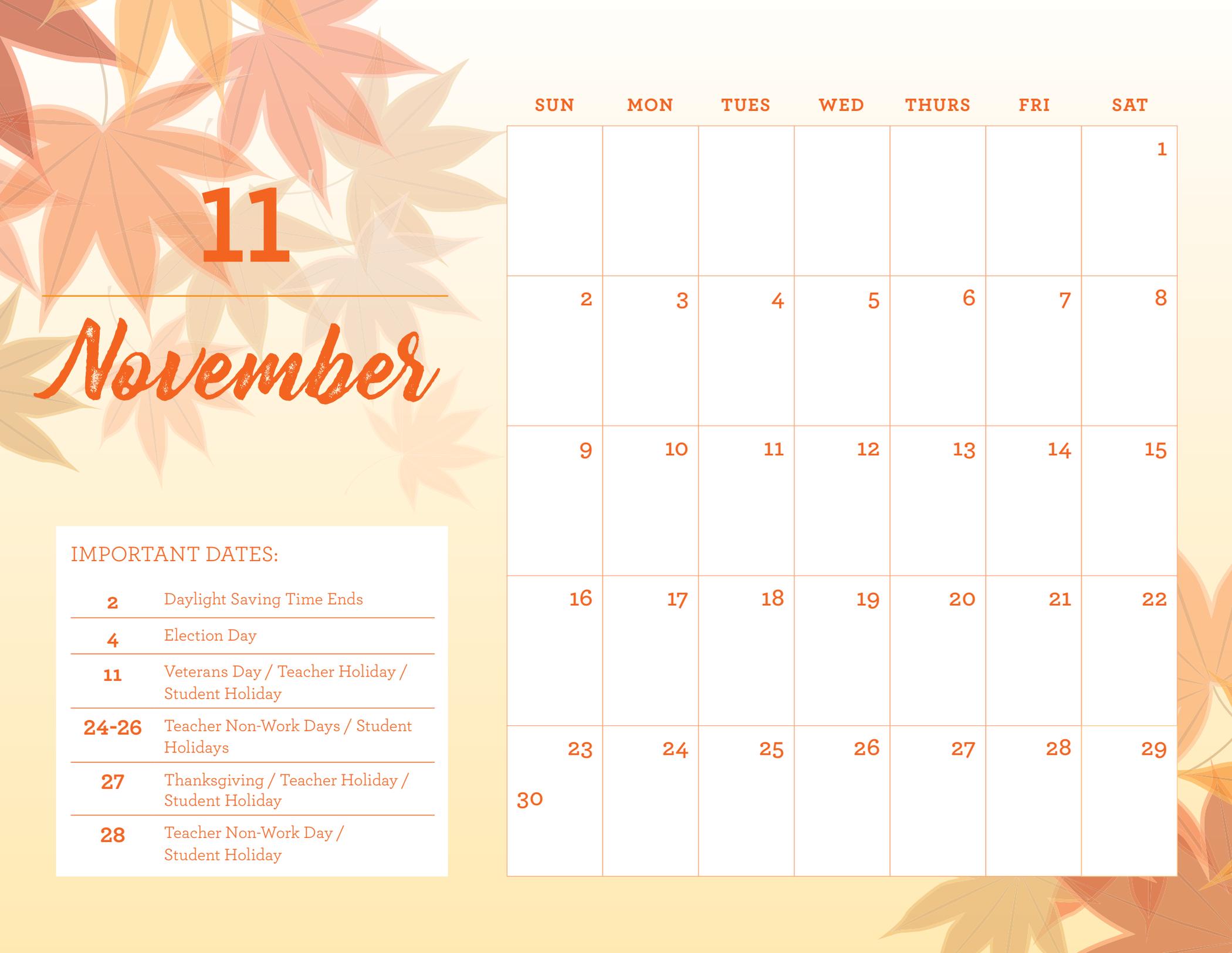
Today



Tomorrow



Light up your future
-Camila Garcia, Grade 5
Voyager K8
Teacher: Zori Jekov
Principal: Dustin Sassic



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November

IMPORTANT DATES:

2 Daylight Saving Time Ends

4 Election Day

11 Veterans Day / Teacher Holiday / Student Holiday

24-26 Teacher Non-Work Days / Student Holidays

27 Thanksgiving / Teacher Holiday / Student Holiday

28 Teacher Non-Work Day / Student Holiday

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Bright minds save energy!

-Daira Euid Morell, Grade 4

Voyager K8

Teacher: Zori Jekov

Principal: Dustin Sassic

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December

IMPORTANT DATES:

7 Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day

19 Last Day of Classes / End of Second Grading Period

21 First Day of Winter

22 - 31 Winter Break / Teacher Holiday / Student Holiday

24 Christmas Eve

25 Christmas Day / Hanukkah Begins

26 Kwanzaa Begins

31 New Year's Eve

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