

Dear Kindergarten families,

During the month of November, we will study the Woodland Natives that lived on the banks of the Saline River. On Friday, November 17th, we will culminate our studies with a Powwow. All kindergarten classes will participate in the Powwow. In order to be ready, each child will need to bring in a man's large, white undershirt (new or old) along with 5 tea bags. **Please fringe your child's shirt as shown in the drawing below and write his/her name in permanent marker inside the t-shirt on the back collar. All shirts and tea bags should be in by this Monday, November 6th.**

We will also need: (Please watch for the Shutterfly sign up)

- 24- large quill feathers
- 24- 6-8" sticks about 1/2" in diameter (to be used for growing sticks)
- 24- 10-12" sticks about 1-1 1/2" in diameter (to be used for talking sticks)
- 24- brown lunch bags filled with popped popcorn for snack
- 24- brown paper grocery bags with handles (local grocery stores like Busch's or Trader Joes have been known to donate a class set)
- stringable pasta (such as: ziti, penne, rigatoni, wagon wheel, etc.)
- pipe cleaners
- pony beads
- white Model Magic clay
- face painting sticks
- colored tipped yarn (Amazon or Discount School Supply)
- wooden medallions (Discount School Supply)
- 1 yard of burlap
- 1 yard of fur
- bean seeds
- small bag of field corn

I am also in need of a few volunteers to help prepare some projects in advance for me. If you are able to do some simple projects at home, please let me know at your earliest convenience.

Finally, I will need **several** parents to help supervise groups of children as they rotate to other classrooms on the 17th. If you are able to help, please sign up on the Shutterfly site.