

Dear Metcalf Families,

Greetings from this year's Wildcat Student Council. We hope that you are having a great start to your school year and your fall season. We know that we are excited as ever to get this year going!

This letter is to inform you about this year's Spirit Week! Every year, Metcalf celebrates ISU or U-High's Homecoming by having Spirit Days where students (and faculty and staff!) get to dress up or down to fit the day's theme. This we are celebrating U-High - Go Pioneers! As always, feel free to consult our handbook pages 7 and 8 for what is considered to be school appropriate. A link to the handbook is provided for you and is linked below:

http://metcalf.illinoisstate.edu/downloads/2015-2016_Thomas_Metcalf_School_Handbook.pdf.

This year's spirit week is from **October 13-16 (that's next week!)**. **Don't forget that we do not have school on Monday.**

Each day, we invite students to dress up (or down) to celebrate the U-High Pioneers and Metcalf Wildcats as well as have some fun leading into the end of the quarter.

Below are the spirit days for your Metcalf student:

Tuesday 10/13: Pajama Day	Dress down and relax on our first day of the week!
Wednesday 10/14: Jersey/Sports Day	Represent your favorite sports team/sport/athlete/etc...!
Thursday 10/15: Crazy Mismatch Day	Mix and Match and clash!
Friday 10/16: Lab School Spirit Day	Show your Metcalf, U-High, or ISU pride on Friday! This is U-High's homecoming!

Each day, homerooms have the chance to win the Spirit Stick from a random drawing based on their homeroom participating. Spirit stick winners will get to have the Spirit stick for the next school day. Each day that a homeroom has some participation among students (and teachers!) will get their homeroom put into a drawing for a special grand prize.

If you have any questions about Spirit Week - please let Mr. Andy Goveia know. He can be reached at (309) 438-2485 or by email at agoveia@metcalf.illinoisstate.edu.

We look forward to seeing our Pioneer/Wildcat Spirit at Metcalf next week! Have a great fall season.
The Wildcat Student Council