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Good Afternoon Powell Families, this is school Principal Curtis Brower with your weekly school message.

The National PTA Reflections Program is an arts recognition and achievement program for Pre-K- 12th grade students. It offers these students opportunities to express themselves creatively in six different art categories and to receive positive recognition for original works of art inspired by a pre-selected theme, which this year was "What is Your Story?" As you recall, I promoted this contest earlier in the fall and encouraged students to participate. I'm very excited to say Congratulations to two of our students who placed in the county-wide Reflections contest. 5th Grader Kyra Stringfield placed 2nd and Nia Stringfield placed 3rd both in the dance category. Way to go girls! We are so proud of you! Way to represent your school.

This week, students will be participating in their classroom spelling bees. Each classroom will be holding the spelling bee when it best fits in to their schedule. For more information, please contact your child's teacher. The winner from each classroom spelling bee will advance to our school wide spelling bee in January.

Mark your calendar for this Thursday evening at 7:00 PM for our Winter Dance and Chorus performance. We hope to see you there. A big shout out goes out to our band and orchestra groups for an awesome performance on Thursday evening and a school wide performance on Friday. We are so proud of our musicians.

Looking ahead to next week, students will only be attending school on Monday – Wednesday. On Thursday, December 22nd our Holiday and Winter Break begins. Students will be on vacation through Tuesday, January 3rd.

Have a great week!