Month of the Military Child 2021

Anderson Elementary	 A door decorating contest for the teachers A coloring sheet contest for the students Purple Up, April 16th
Arctic Light Elementary	 Military Kid Pencils and Coloring Books Rubber Wristbands with Military Child Month Spirit Week April 19-23 April 16th Soldiers cheering students as they come to school - we'll make a video Stars for classrooms with military staff Ribbons for students/ stickers for students Ms. Tamera, MFLC, and Ms. Daniela, tutor, are doing something nearly every day. Morning announcements, coloring contests, stories many of our staff have a lot of fun with this month!
Ben Eielson Jr/Sr High	Spirit week April 12th-16 th Monday: red/white/blue Tuesday: stars & stripes Wednesday: super hero; Thursday: PURPLE UP DAY (April 15th) Friday: school spirit gear day Collaborating with the Eielson AFB USO, goodie bags are being created to hand out next Thursday at the end of the school day, with an after school pick up time available too!
Crawford Elementary	 Month of the Military Child bulletin boards Purple Up goodie bags! Special thanks to Corvias & the USO for their support! Spirit Week, April 12th-16th Monday: Red, White, and Blue Day Tuesday: Crazy Camp Day Wednesday: Super Hero Day Thursday: Stars and Stripes Day Friday: PURPLE UP!

Fairbanks BEST	 The BEST office will be open every Friday in the month of April from 3 pm – 5 pm for families to come and tour the office, chat, and have some goodies! Families are welcome to wear purple to show their support for their military connected friends. Purple Up, April 16th!
Ladd Elementary	Ladd's Nonth of the Military Child Spirit Week April 12th-16th Thursday Purple Up Day Pavorete Branch Thursday Purple Up Day Thank you to our military families for serving our country! Creating a student created bulletin board Art lessons
Midnight Sun Elementary	 School Newsletter! Write up MSN military connected student t-shirts Bulletin board decorated for MOMC MOMC spirit week the week of April 12-16 There will be photos taken for staff and students during the spirit week and especially Purple Up Day, April 16. Buttons and certificates Writing prompts for students
North Pole Elementary	Decorating the school purple!Purple Up Competition w/classes
North Pole High	 Every Wednesday is MOMC trivia! Creative Writing/ Art Contest Spirit Week, April 12th-16th Monday: Cool Shades Tuesday: Decades Day Wednesday: Neon Day Thursday: Twin Friday: Purple Up Day: April 16th

North Pole Middle	 World map in the library where students can come put a sticker of all the place's they have lived in the School Library Display posters made by teachers who are military affiliated in the Library Offer writing prompts to military connected students to be displayed on banners of red, white and blue. MILKIDS and purple shirts Spirit Week, April 12th-16th Monday: Hat's On! for the Military Tuesday: Wear stars and/or stripes Wednesday: Crazy camo day Thursday: Wear red, white or blue Friday: Wear Purple!!!!
Salcha Elementary	 Craft of purple tye-dye masks for Purple Up Day Gummy Bear Day: We are "Beary" happy to have military families at Salcha Elementary Military Connected Student Trivia, with the help of Student Council; displaying facts, quotes, and a little bit of trivia around the school for students to stop and read as they are passing by Spirit Week, April 12th – 16th Monday: America Day: Wear red-white-blue Tuesday: Camo Day: Wear Camo Wednesday: Hat Day: Wear your favorite hat Thursday: Favorite Branch of Military Day
Tanana Middle	 Flipgrid: Students express what it is like to have a parent in the Armed Forces. Students can discuss how they cope with deployments/station moves and what they want others to know about them. This is the platform for students to tell their story. Paper Chains: Students who are military affiliated write their name on a purple strip of paper. All of the strips are linked together to form a chain displaying all students who are military affiliated. These chains will be displayed throughout the school.

- Military Fact of the Day: A fact about the different branches of the military is read out loud during the announcements.
- I am Proud to be Military Affiliated because...
 The Prevention & Intervention Specialist will make posters students can write on expressing why they are proud to be military affiliated. Pictures can be taken of the students holding their posters and can post them on bulletin boards throughout the school.
- Purple-Up Day Will be April 16th of Spirit Week
 Wear purple on April 16th!



"Oh, the places I have been!"
 A Google form is sent out in the parent newsletter on April 11, 2021. Parents can complete the form and list all the stations they and their child have lived at. The Prevention & Intervention Specialist could then input all the locations onto Google earth.

April is Month of the Military Child. Tanana Middle is celebrating by making a Google map of locations where our military students have been stationed throughout their lives before coming to Fairbanks. We are proud of the diversity of our military students!

Note: Please include each station location separately.

A paper copy of the map will be proudly displayed in main hallway of the school where students can also put stickers representing where they have been.

Student Ambassador-Ms. Camielle, School MFLC
 One of our 8th grade military students has agreed to be
 the MOMC Ambassador. This will entail some minimal
 time out of class, just to assure she does not miss
 anything.

MOMC Ambassador expectations list, responsibilities are listed here:

- Assist in cutting strips of purple paper that will be given to each military child, asking them to write their name on it, and will then be made into a purple paper chain
- Set the pace for other military kids to participate in Spirit Week
- Be an excellent leader and example for all 7th and 8th grade military kids
- Cross Cultural Resources Advisory Lesson Plan
 - Navajo Code Talkers videos from the Department of Veterans Affairs
 - World War II in Alaska video

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- Purple up day on April 16th
- Spirit week the last week of April due to PEAKS testing April 26, Monday – R.E.D.

April 27, Tuesday – red, white, blue

April 28, Wednesday - camo day April 29, Thursday - bright and

sparkle! Wearing stars/shiny/sequins etc.

- April 30, Friday pajama day For families that want to share: Sending in photos and
- little tidbits of information (ex: where they PCS'd from) to be displayed in the hallway.
- Having students color ribbons to be displayed and asking students to write notes of encouragement to our military students.

Fairbanks North Star Borough School District PURPLE UP, April 16th!
Wear purple to show your support for military children/tweens/teens!

MORE TO COME!!!