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Topic	Page	Discussion Points / Activity Ideas
Veterans Day	B Section	***Be Inspired:*** As you read the feature articles about David Dishman, Jesse Jackson and Wayne Prevatt, think about their military career. Why might these dedicated people be considered role models? How can it be helpful to have a role model? **Standards:** ELA.K12.EE.1.1; ELA.K12.EE.2.1; ELA.K12.EE.4.1; ELA.K12.EE.6.1
Election results	1A	***Government:*** Who was elected in the General Election held on November 3? Which newly elected officials will represent all people in Jefferson County? Which will represent only a certain district of the county? Look at the math ... which elections were "closest" in Jefferson County and which were not very close? How can you tell? **Standards:** SS.K.C.1.1; SS.K.C.1.2; SS.K.CG.1.2; SS.412.A.1.1; SS.312.C.1.1; SS.312.C.1.2; SS.312.C.3.2; SS.3.C.3.3; ELA.312.V.1.1; ELA.312.EE.1.1;ELA.312.EE.2.1; ELA.312.EE.4.1; ELA.312.EE.5.1; ELA.312.EE.6.1; ELA.312.C.1.2; ELA.312.C.1.4; ELA.312.C.2.1; ELA.312.C.3.1; ELA.312.R.2.4; ELA.312.R.3.2; ELA.312.C.4.1
The spirit of Thanksgiving	1A	***Get Involved:*** What is going to happen? When? Who can join in? ? Why are these opportunities important to the community? ***Standards:*** *ELA.312.V.1.1; ELA.312.EE.1.1;ELA.312.EE.2.1; ELA.312.EE.4.1; ELA.312.EE.5.1; ELA.312.EE.6.1; ELA.312.C.1.2; ELA.312.C.1.4; ELA.312.C.2.1; ELA.312.C.3.1; ELA.312.R.2.4; ELA.312.R.3.2; ELA.312.C.4.1*
Firefighter Challenge champion	2A	***Recognize achievement:*** Who is being recognized? In what way? For what reason? By whom? Why are their achievements noteworthy? **Standards:** ELA.K12.EE.1.1; ELA.K12.EE.2.1; ELA.K12.EE.4.1; ELA.K12.EE.6.1
Miss Jefferson County 2026	7A	***Enjoy!***
Football Contest	13A	***Do it!***
Six school stories	14A-17A	***Read all about it!*** Enjoy articles about JROTC cadets, a new NFC center, Brookwood drama champs, PLUS The Tiger Beat, a page with articles written by Jefferson K-12 students about the Fall Festival and Volleyball Senior Night. **Standards:** ELA.312.V.1.1; ELA.312.EE.1.1;ELA.312.EE.2.1; ELA.312.EE.4.1; ELA.312.EE.5.1; ELA.312.EE.6.1; ELA.312.C.1.2; ELA.312.C.1.4; ELA.312.C.2.1; ELA.312.C.3.1; ELA.312.R.2.4
JCS Nursing Instructor Francis Collins	21A	***Explore a career:*** As you read the article, think about how Francis Collins is making a difference. Would you be interested in a healthcare career? Why or why not? Share your thinking. **Standards:** ELA.312.V.1.1; ELA.312.EE.1.1;ELA.312.EE.2.1; ELA.312.EE.4.1; ELA.312.EE.5.1; ELA.312.EE.6.1; ELA.312.C.1.2; ELA.312.C.1.4; ELA.312.C.2.1; ELA.312.C.3.1; ELA.312.R.2.4; ELA.312.R.3.2; ELA.312.C.4.1
Mental math	See an insert	***Practice practical rounding:*** Look through the insert(s) for several items with prices that include parts of a dollar, such as 5^{99} or 3^{29}. Use rounding to simplify adding the prices in your head to determine a close estimate of what you would pay at checkout for all of them. For example, the two prices above could be rounded to $6 and $3, costing about $9 together at checkout. **Standards:** MA.K12.MTR.1.1; MA.K12.MTR.3.1; MA.K12.MTR.4.1; MA.K12.MTR.5.1; MA.K12.MTR.6.1; MA.K12.MTR.7.1