December's Guiding Principle is... "Kindness"



From the Principal's Desk...

Dear Genet Families!

Happy Friday Everyone!

I hope you are all doing well and had an enjoyable week. A lot of excitement at Genet as December has arrived. Students are excited by the arrival of the snow.

Our Kindergarteners set the stage today with our character education assembly focusing on Kindness and Empathy. All month long, staff will be looking for students modeling our character education traits to be recognized and celebrated at our closing character education assembly on December 23rd.

I hope families enjoyed their conversations with their child(ren)'s classroom teacher and related services during our two Parent-Teacher Conferences days. If you have any questions or follow up items that you would like to discuss, I encourage you to reach out to your child(ren)'s teacher to set up a time.

Tonight's PTO sponsored movie night (featuring the 2018 film The Grinch) will begin at 6:30 PM. Our movie night will be held in person and streamed to our families. The link for the live stream can be found here: Genet PTO Movie Night - The Grinch. I hope you will be able to join us in one format or the other!

As we are all aware, with colder weather we tend to see an increase in colds or cold-like symptoms. I kindly remind families that students with any symptoms that also relate to Covid, are asked to have their child remain home until they are seen by their health-care provider. If you have any questions regarding this, please do not hesitate to reach out to our school nurse, Mrs. Condo, or myself.

This coming week will be a "B Week" for Genet.

Weather Alerts for Families:

(518) 207-2680

If you have not opted in to the district's text notification system in the event of severe weather, you can by following the directions at the link:

https://egcsd.org/departments/safety-health-and-wellness/alert/

Along with the winter months is the need for appropriate attire for students. Please remember to send your child to school with the necessary clothing for outdoor recess as we try to take students outside as much as possible. Warm jackets, hats, gloves and snow boots/appropriate foot attire is required

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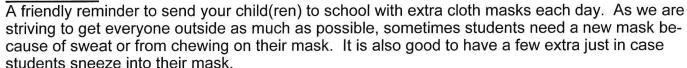


Regan's Acts of Kindness Follow-Up

I want to thank our school community for showing their support for Regan's Acts of Kindness! We have received so many wonderful holiday ornaments to spread some cheer to families in need. Thank you!



Extra Masks





Cleaning Cloth Mask:

Another friendly reminder to clean any cloth masks that your child(ren) may have on a regular basis.



Important Dates to Mark Your Calendars:

- TONIGHT!!!! December 3 PTO Movie Night The Grinch; starts at 6:30 PM
- Winter Wreath Pickup @ Genet starting at 5:30 PM in the main lobby
- December 6, 2021 Genet PTO Meeting @ 6:30 PM

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Thank you for your continued support of Genet and I wish you all the best this coming week! Additionally, Let's Go Buffalo on Monday Night Football against the Patriots! :)



Sincerely,



Wayne Grignon









