

GREENFIELD INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL

COUGAR CONNECTION

Dear GIS Families:

A Few Important Items:

- **(NEW) Goals** - A few weeks ago, I mentioned you should ask your child about his/her academic goals for this school year. Now that we are starting to get results back from our middle of the year NWEA testing, now would be a great time to ask your child about their progress!! NWEA reports will be available for viewing in Powerschool in the coming weeks.

- **Sneak Peek** - Want to see what your child's ISTEP+ test format will look like? [Click here](#) to see a sneak peek. This would be a GREAT thing to go over with your child in advance of the test next semester.

- **Character First** - The character trait for the month of December is Discernment. We are defining Discernment as "Finding out why things happen." Please take a minute to speak with your student about this month's character trait.

Upcoming Dates:

- Blue or Gold Day? - Monday will be a GOLD Day

- 5th Grade Field Trip - 12/19

- End of Quarter Two - 12/22

- Winter Break - 12/25-1/5

- Students Return To School - 1/8