

Cougar Connection

Dear GIS Families:

We had a great week back!! We are gearing up for the last push to the end of the school year. We still have so much to do!

A Few Important Items:

- **(NEW) On The Road To The Junior High** - It is the time of the year when we start talking about transitioning our 6th grade students to GCJHS! The incoming 7th grade parent night will be held at GCJHS on Tuesday, May 15th from 7:00pm-8:00pm. Additionally, our 6th grade students will be visiting the Junior High during the school day on Thursday, May 17th.

- **(NEW REMINDER) Quarter Three Report Cards** - Report cards are available for viewing today. Please take some time to review your child's progress.

- **(NEW REMINDER) Visiting GIS** - Now that the main office has moved, all visitors to GIS will need to park in the lot on the north side of the building (door 11). There will be designated visitor parking spaces there, but if those are full you may park in other nearby spaces as well.

- **Character First** - The character trait for the month of April is Compassion. We are defining Compassion as "Helping others feel better." Please take a minute to speak with your student about this month's character trait.

- **PTO** - Calling all parents! Greenfield Intermediate School currently does not have a PTO. We are hoping to change that for next school year! If you think you might be interested in participating in this endeavor, please email me at dmarine@gcsc.k12.in.us or reply to this email.

- **Volunteer Opportunities** - Are you interested in volunteering to help at GIS? Great! We have many things we could use your help with! If you are interested, you can sign up by [clicking here](#). We'd love to have you :)

Upcoming Dates:

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

- Spring Pictures - 4/10
- 4th Grade Field Trip - 4/20
- ISTEP+ Testing - 4/23-4/30
- NWEA Testing Window Opens - 5/1
- 6th Grade Field Trip - 5/15
- Incoming 4th Grade Parent Night at GIS - 5/16 @ 7:00pm-8:00pm
- 6th Grade Visit to GCJHS - 5/17
- 6th Grade Field Trip - 5/22
- Memorial Day (No School) - 5/28
- 4th Grade Awards - 5/29 @ 9:00am
- 5th Grade Awards - 5/29 @ 1:00pm
- 6th Grade Awards - 5/31 @ 8:00am
- Last Student Day - 5/31