



GMS WEEKLY

NEWSLETTER #21

Feb. 6, 2023

MESSAGE FROM MRS. JOHNSON -

Welcome to the start of semester 2! We will see everyone bright and early at 7:45 am Monday morning. New schedules will be handed out in the middle school gym. Quick reminder of the start and end times.

M, T, W, Th, F: Start at 8:00 End at 3:10
Early Release Wed.: Start at 8:00 End at 1:00



Please feel free to contact me at any time if you have a question or concern. Here is my email address: toni_johnson@gervais.k12.or.us or phone number at GMS 503-792-3803 ext. 2020.

Be Proud to be a Wolverine!
Mrs. Johnson

IMPORTANT UPCOMING DATES: Feb. 6 - Feb. 10

Feb. 6 - Monday - Regular Schedule

- Boys Basketball Game at Jefferson @ 4:00 pm.
- Unified Basketball practice in the middle school gym 3:30 - 4:15

Feb. 7 - Tuesday - Regular Schedule

Feb. 8 - Wednesday - Early Release Schedule

- Boys Basketball Game against East Linn at 4:00 pm in the GMS gym. *The boys MUST stay at school if they want to play in the game. They will be supervised in the gym until the release time and coaches arrive.

Feb. 9 - Thursday - Regular Schedule

- Unified Basketball Game at 5:30 pm at Gervais High School

Feb. 10 - Friday - Regular Schedule

- Early lunch begins at 11:20 for perfect attendance this week plus 1 or fewer tardies.
- All school assembly @ 2:15 in the gym

WEEKLY ACTIVITIES FOR Feb. 6 - Feb. 10

Attendance and Sports

Reminder - If a student is not in school the day of practice or a game, they are not allowed to attend either practice or the game. The only exceptions are Russian Holidays and family emergencies that are excused by the office. Athletes will be sent home if they show up after school for these events.

2nd Quarter Reward Trip

The 2nd quarter reward trip is scheduled for Tuesday, February 14th. All students who earn a B- (80% or higher) in all classes will be invited to go to Langer's Entertainment Center. They will be able to do laser tag, bowling, rock climbing, arcade games, and an obstacle course. Students with straight A's go for free and students with A's and B's will pay \$5.00. Permission slips will be going home Monday, February 6th if your child meets the grade criteria to go.

Early Lunch Reward on Fridays

Starting this week, all students who meet the following criteria will earn an extra 15 minutes of lunch/recess every Friday.

- No unexcused absences for the week
- ONLY 0 or 1 tardy for the week

I am hoping this will encourage better attendance and timeliness getting to school and classes throughout the day.

7th Period Study Hall

Starting this semester, students who did not pass a core class (History, Science, Math, Language Arts) are being assigned a 7th period study hall and given a contract to fulfill. They will have up to 6 weeks to finish the contracts and be approved by the subject teacher. As soon as the contract has been approved, the student will be removed from study hall and changed into an elective class. If the contract is completed earlier than 6 weeks, the student will be moved out of study hall.