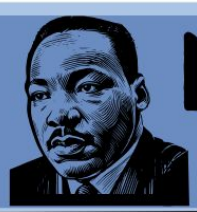
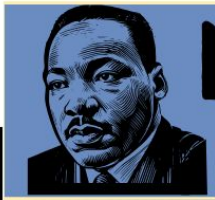
FITZGERALD Public Schools

# Week of January 19
# Week 20 Newsletter

| | SCHOFIELD EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTER | WESTVIEW LOWER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL | MOUND PARK UPPER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL |
|---|---|---|---|
| **19 MONDAY** |  **NO SCHOOL** *Martin Luther King Jr. Day* | | |
| **20 TUESDAY** | **NO SCHOOL** *Staff Professional Development Day* | | |
| **21 WEDNESDAY** | | | |
| **22 THURSDAY** | | **Start of Quarter 3** | |
| **23 FRIDAY** | | **NWEA Goal Celebrations** | |

FITZGERALD Public Schools

# Week of January 19
# Week 20 Newsletter

| | CHATTERTON MIDDLE SCHOOL | FITZGERALD HIGH SCHOOL |
|---|---|---|
| 19 MONDAY |  NO SCHOOL Martin Luther King Jr. Day | |
| 20 TUESDAY | NO SCHOOL Staff Professional Development Day | |
| 21 WEDNESDAY | Video Game Club (2:50 - 3:50 pm) | |
| 22 THURSDAY | | Start of Semester 2<br>Boys Home Basketball Game @ 5:30 pm<br>Home Swim Meet @ 6:00 pm |
| 23 FRIDAY | | Girls Home Basketball Game @ 5:30 pm<br>Semester 1 Report Cards Emailed Home |

# FITZGERALD ATHLETICS

# THIS WEEK

| | FITZGERALD | CHATTERTON |
|---|---|---|
| M 19 | | |
| T 20 | Boys BBall 5:30/7<br>@ Lanse Creuse North | Boys Basketball<br>HOME v.<br>Hazel Park @ 4:30 pm |
| W 21 | **Wrestling 4:30**<br>**@ Lincoln**<br>**GBB 4:30/6**<br>**@ Lake Shore** | |
| R 22 | **Boys Bball 530/7**<br>**Vs Romeo** | Boys Basketball<br>HOME v.<br>Wolfe @ 4:30 pm |
| F 23 | Girls Bball 5:30/7<br>Vs Marine City | |
| S 24 | Wrestling<br>Girls Tournament @ Mott | |

FITZGERALD Public Schools

# DASHBOARD

*Links to things you may need....*

## DISTRICT CALENDARS

- District Academic Calendar
- GSRP Calendar
- ECSE Calendar

## TECHNOLOGY HELP

- Parent Powerschool Account Help
- Apptegy Information

# Fitzgerald Public Schools JANUARY SCHEDULE UPDATE

| | Schofield Westview Mound Park | Chatterton | Fitzgerald |
|---|---|---|---|
| **FRIDAY JANUARY 16** | **HALF DAY**<br>**Dismissal Times:**<br>Schofield - 12:05 PM<br>Westview - 11:35 PM<br>Mound Park -11:25 PM | **HALF DAY**<br>**Exams -**<br>• **1st, 2nd, 3rd Hour**<br>• Dismissed at 10:40AM | **HALF DAY**<br>**Exams -**<br>• **3rd & 4th Hour**<br>• Dismissed at 10:35AM |
| **MONDAY JANUARY 19** | **NO SCHOOL**<br>*Martin Luther King Jr. Day*  | | |
| **TUESDAY JANUARY 20** | **NO SCHOOL**<br>*Staff Professional Development Day* | | |
| **WEDNESDAY JANUARY 21** | **FULL DAY OF SCHOOL** | **HALF DAY**<br>**Exams -**<br>• **4th, 5th, 6th Hour**<br>• Dismissed at 10:40AM | **HALF DAY**<br>**Exams -**<br>• **5th & 6th Hour**<br>• Dismissed at 10:35AM |
| | **Semester 1 will now end on Wednesday, January 21** | | |
| **MONDAY JANUARY 26** | **Report Cards:**<br>• Sent home in Student's Backpacks | **Report Cards:**<br>• Posted by 4pm on PowerSchool<br>Directions are shared in the January 19 Parent Newsletter | **Report Cards:**<br>• Posted by 4pm on PowerSchool<br>Directions are shared in the January 19 Parent Newsletter |

# FITZGERALD Public Schools

January 9, 2026

Fitzgerald Families,

We are pleased to share a new, optional way for families to add money to student accounts using an electronic payment option. This new feature is designed to make managing students funds more convenient and accessible for families. The Meal Magic portal is a secure way to share funds with your child(ren) at school. At the middle and high school this method with be accepted in the cafeteria for a-la-carte purchases. At our elementary schools this method can be used to purchase extra slices of pizza on Monday.

Why this may be helpful:

- Add funds anytime, anywhere without sending cash or checks
- Reduce the risk of lost money
- Save time with quick and secure payments
- More flexibility and control - purchases are detailed in your account.

While traditional payment methods will continue to be accepted, this electronic option is being offered to help make things easier for families who choose to utilize it. We hope to expand our offerings to include this option for other school-related events such as prom and other activities.

## Meal Magic Portal Link:

**Electronic Link**

Family Portal

Meal Magic Family Portal provides a convenient, one-stop place to check your child's meal purchases, make deposits, order food, and apply for benefits.

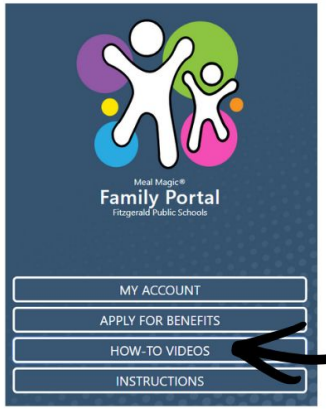
familyportal.cloud

**QR Code**

**To set up an account you will need your child's school ID Number**

**ID Numbers can be found:**

- In the Meal Magic email sent to you
- In PowerSchool
- By contacting your child's school main office




**Need help setting up your account?**

- Select the How To Videos on the main Meal Magic Family Portal site. They walk through the process of setting up an account.

**Win a $50.00 Amazon Gift Card!**

To be entered to win make sure to complete each of the following:

- ☑ Create your child's account in Meal Magic
- ☑ Make at least a $5.00 deposit
- ☑ Complete this by Wednesday, January 21, 2026

## What is Continuous District Improvement?

District Improvement is an ongoing process to increase student achievement and our overall effectiveness.

## How does Fitzgerald complete District Improvement?

- Collect and Analyze Data
- Assess Needs and Identify Priorities
- Create a Comprehensive Plan
- Set Measurable Goals
- Implement Strategies to meet the Goals
- **Monitor our Progress**
- Adjust and Improve
- Evaluate Goals






# STUDENT SURVEY

All students will be surveyed in January as we continue to monitor and plan our district continuous improvement initiatives. Two surveys will be used:

- one for elementary students
- one for secondary students.

Both will be available on our website for parents to preview. The surveys will be given electronicdlly during the school day.

-Elementary Survey
-Secondary Survey

SCHOFIELD

Schofield Early Childhood Center

# PARENT GROUP MEETING

**Tuesday, January 27, 2026**
**4:00pm**

Fundraising
Family Activities

## Your Voice Matters!

**Help us plan upcoming events and get involved in our school community!**

Free childcare will be available in the school gym.
(Please notify us in advance if you require childcare)
Sign up today by using the QR code or returning the bottom.

Contact Information:
Ms. LaDon Williams
ladwil@myfitz.net



_____Yes, I will attend.

Name_____ phone/email_____

How many children for childcare_____

SCHOFIELD

# You're Invited!

## Schofield Early Childhood Center
## Sweetheart Skate

**Thursday, February 12th, 2026**
**5:30 PM-7:30 PM**
**Great Skate**
**29100 Hayes Rd.**
**Roseville, Michigan 48066**
*$7.00 per skater/skates included*

***Parents are welcome to walk on the floor with younger skaters at No Cost!***
***(skates can be locked for beginners)***

Purchase non-refundable tickets in the school office or return the attached ticket request with Money by February 9th, 2026

Tickets available at the Door!

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**Advanced Ticket Sales**

Child'name:_____
Teacher: _____
Number of tickets: _____ Amount $:_____

# আপনি আমন্ত্রিত!

## স্কোফিল্ড আর্লি চাইল্ডহুড সেন্টার
## সুইটহার্ট স্কেট

**বৃহস্পতিবার, ১২ ফেব্রুয়ারী, ২০২৬**
**বিকেল ৫:৩০-সন্ধ্যা ৭:৩০**
**গ্রেট স্কেট**
**২৯১০০ হেইস রোড।**
**রোজভিল, মিশিগান ৪৮০৬৬**
***$প্রতি স্কেটার/স্কেটের জন্য ৭.০০ টাকা অন্তর্ভুক্ত***

***নো কস্ট-এ ছোট স্কেটারদের সাথে মেঝেতে হাঁটতে বাবা-মায়েদের স্বাগতা***
***(নতুনদের জন্য স্কেট লক করা যেতে পারে)***

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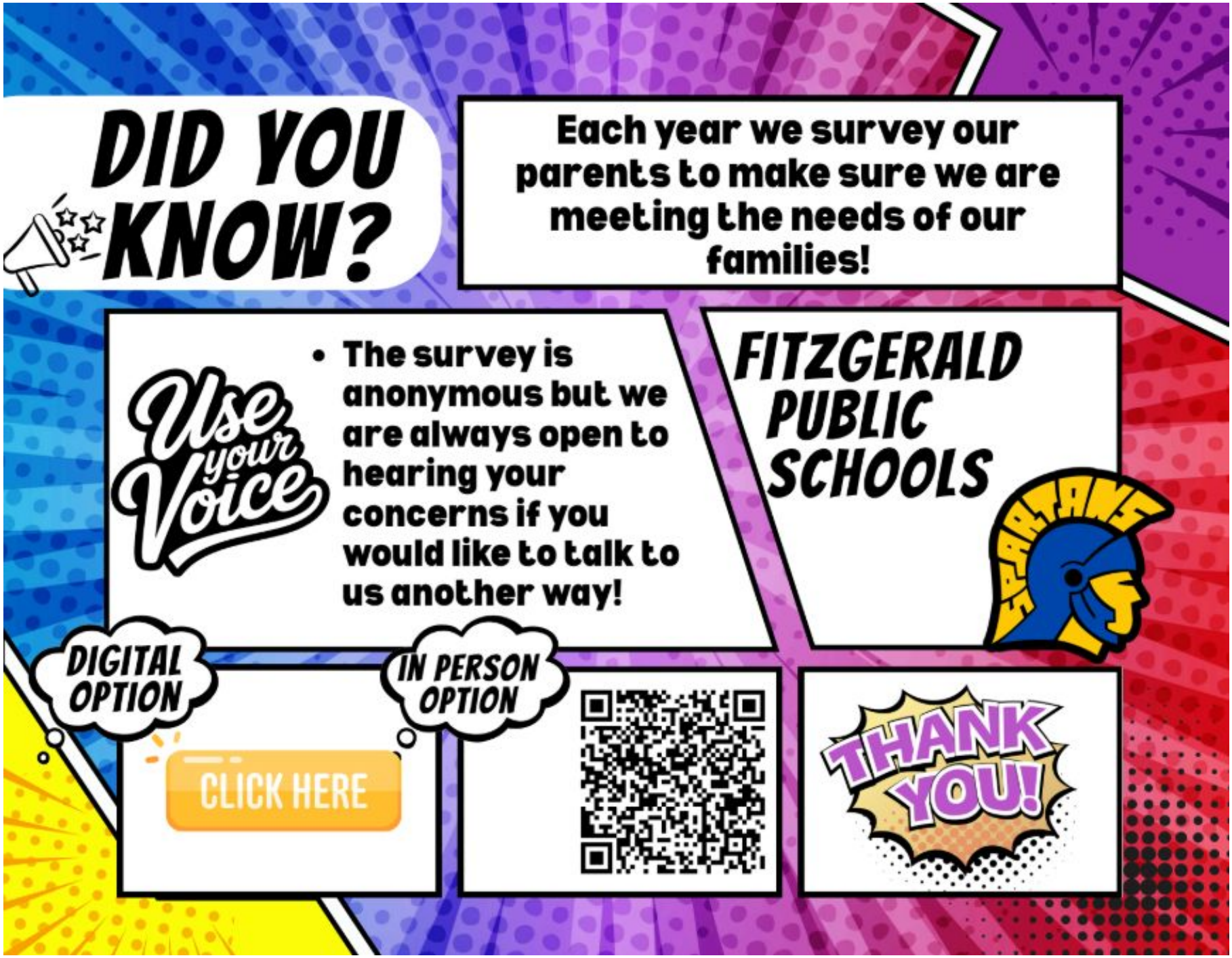
টিকিট দরজায় পাওয়া যাচ্ছে!

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**উন্নত টিকিট বিক্রয়**

সন্তানের নাম: _____
শিক্ষক: _____
টিকিটের সংখ্যা:_____
পরিমাণ $:_____

WESTVIEW


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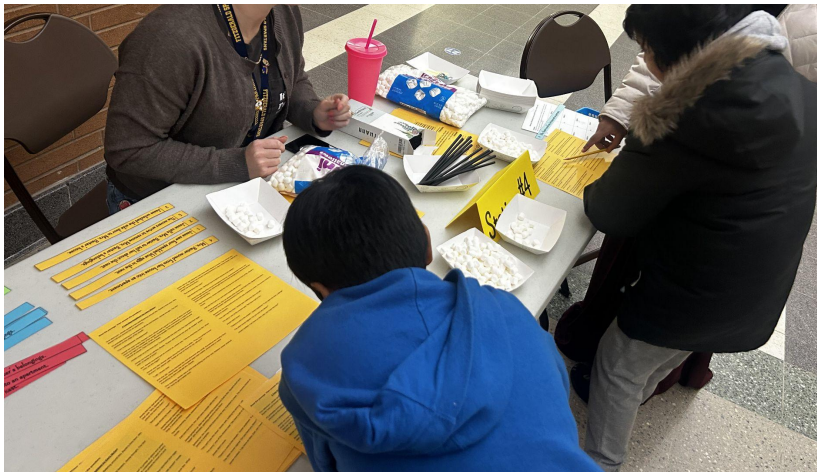
WESTVIEW

# Family Engagement

Thank you so much to all of our families who came out to our 3rd Grade M-STEP Family Races event! Check out some snapshots of the event below.









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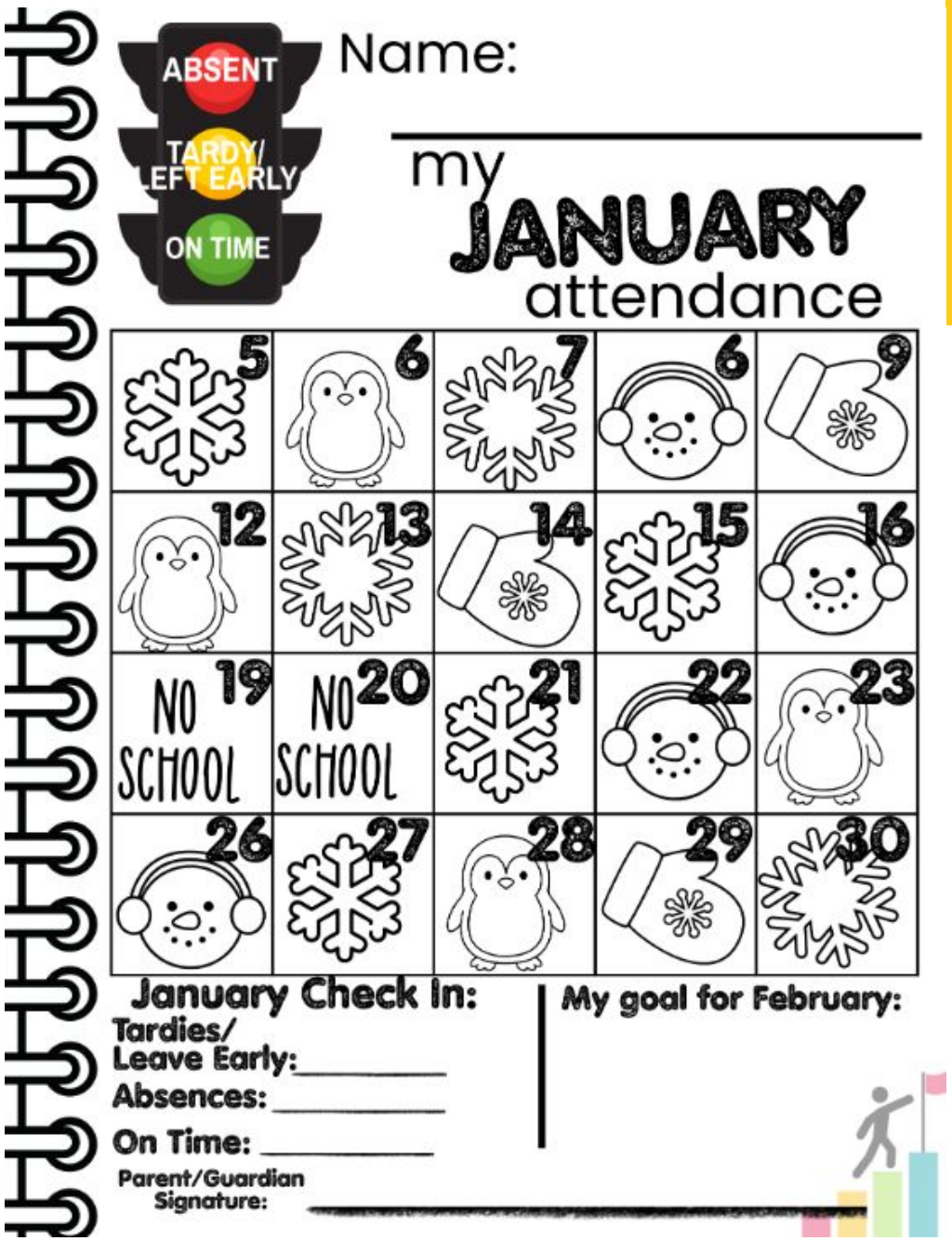
# Student Engagement

We are always looking for ways to celebrate our students here at Westview! Check out our students enjoying our Donut Party for turning in their December Reading Calendars. Students had a chance to select a book from our Book Vending Machine.





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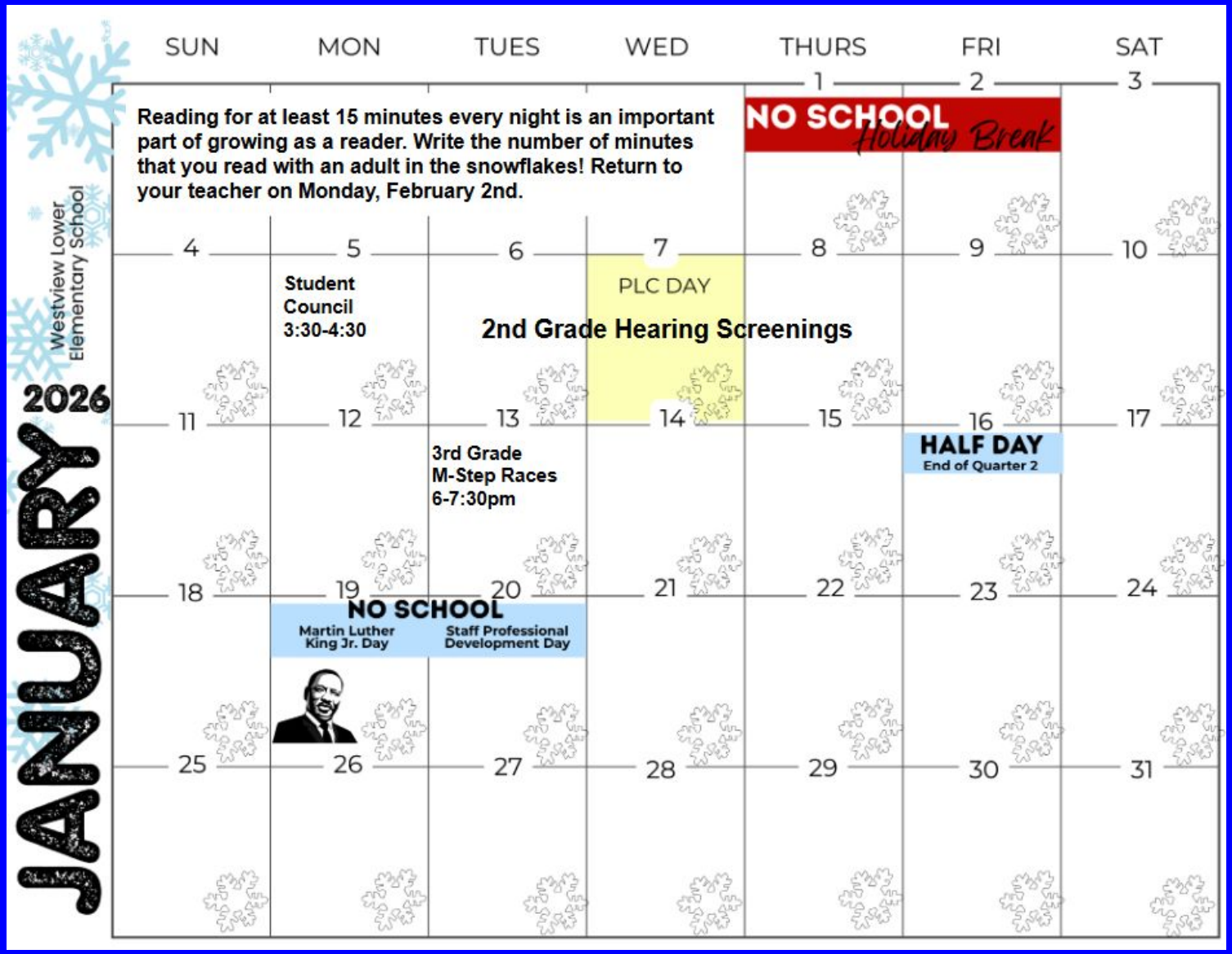

**Our January Attendance Calendars are in full effect and we are aiming for 90% or above attendance for ALL students this month!**

**Please sign and return January calendars by February 2nd for your student to earn a prize.**



WESTVIEW

The January Reading Calendar came home with students this week! Students who complete and return the calendar to their teacher are recognized, enjoy a Donut Party, and select a book to take home!




**January calendar will be due on February 2nd.**

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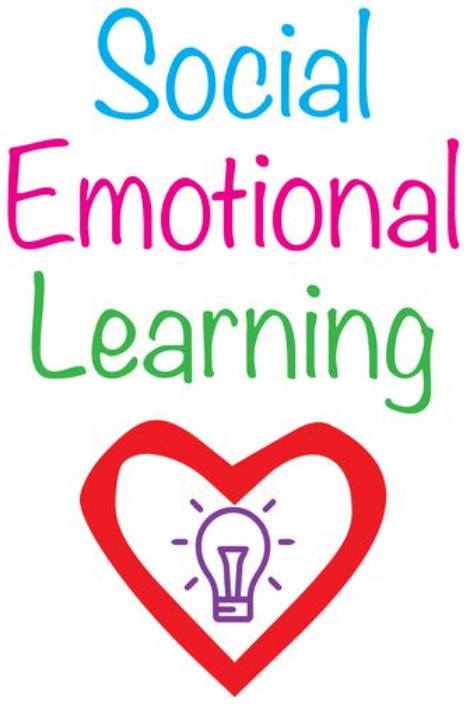
# Weekly SEL Focus

Each week, our students take part in a Social-Emotional Learning (SEL) lesson that helps them develop important life skills like empathy, self-control, and problem-solving.

**Week of January 26:** *Emotions & Using the Calm Down Corner*

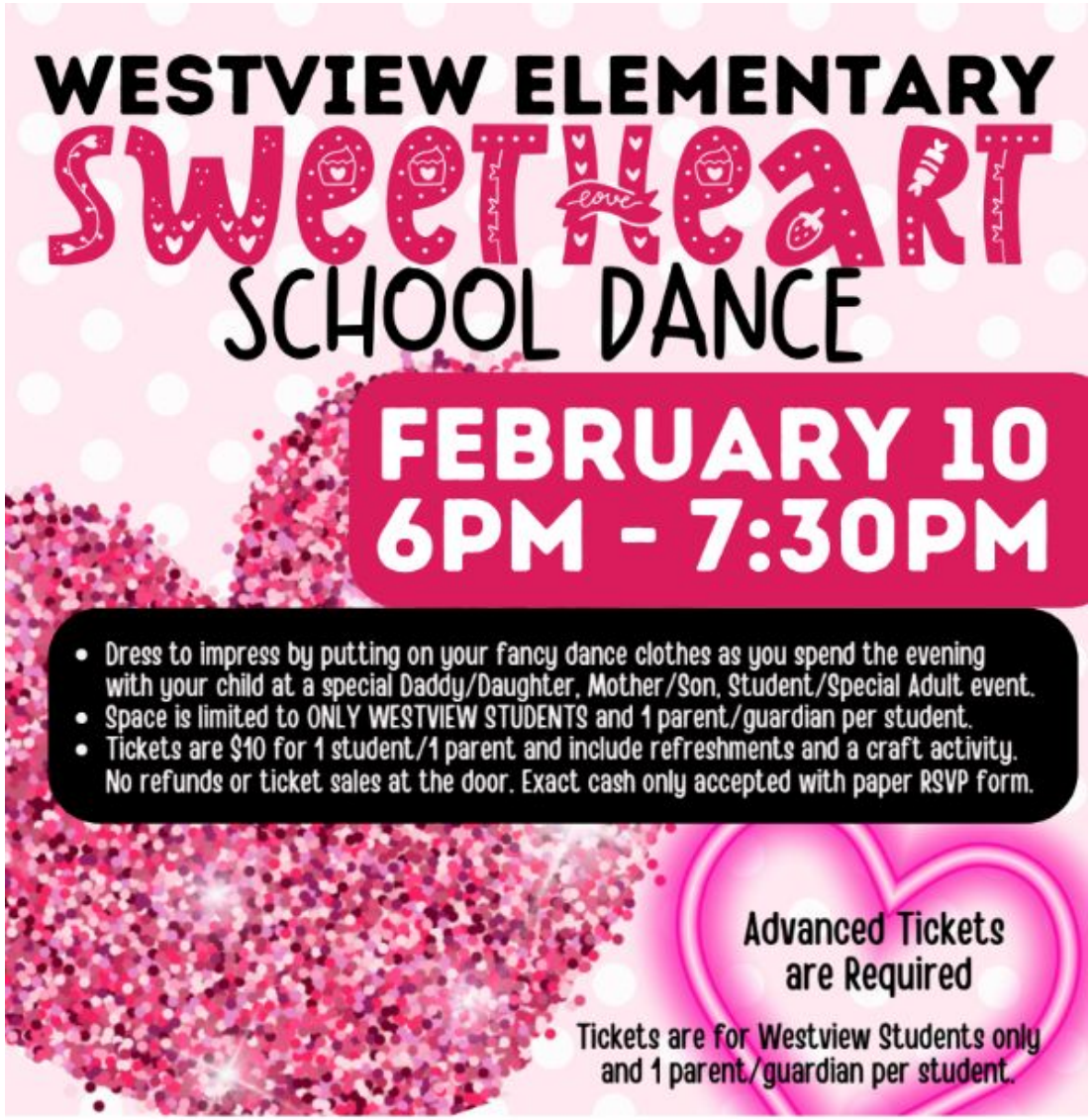
Student learning goals:

- I can identify different emotions
- I can describe two days I can down when I have big emotions
- I can demonstrate how to use the classroom calm down corner when I have big emotions.



WESTVIEW

# Upcoming Events



MOUND PARK

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THANK YOU!

MOUND PARK

# MOUND PARK Upper Elementary School

# JANUARY 2026



| MON | TUE | WED | THU | FRI |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 5<br>SPIRIT SPARTY MEETING 7:35-8:00 | 6<br>SPIRIT SPARTY MEETING 7:35-8:00 | PLC DAY! STUDENTS DISMISS @ 1:41 PM 7<br>STUDENT COUNCIL MEETING 7:40-8:05 | 8 | 9 |
| SPIRIT SPARTY VALENTINE SALES BEGIN 12<br>SPIRIT SPARTY MEETING 7:35-8:00<br>BAGEL FORMS DELIVERED | 13<br>SPIRIT SPARTY MEETING 7:35-8:00 | GIRL SCOUT MEETING AFTER SCHOOL UNTIL 4PM IN THE GYM 14<br>girl scouts<br>BAGEL $$ DUE | 15 | ½ DAY STUDENTS RELEASE AT 11:25 16<br>END OF QUARTER 2<br>BAGELS DELIVERED |
|  19<br>NO SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS AND STAFF |  20<br>STAFF PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT DAY | 21<br>STUDENT COUNCIL MEETING 7:40-8:05 | 22 | 23 |
| REPORT CARDS DELIVERED TO STUDENTS THIS WEEK 26<br>SPIRIT SPARTY MEETING 7:35-8:00<br>BAGEL FORMS DELIVERED |  MOBILE DENTIST FOR RESTORATIVE SERVICES 27<br>SPIRIT SPARTY MEETING 7:35-8:00<br>SPARTY STORE OPEN | 28<br>SPARTY STORE OPEN<br>BAGEL $$ DUE | 29<br>SPARTY STORE OPEN | 30<br>SPARTY HONORS ASSEMBLY<br>BAGELS DELIVERED |




**BATTLE OF THE GRADES ALL MONTH LONG**



CHATTERTON

**Students are now working to uphold positive SPARTY expectations, attendance and academics in order to be eligible for the End of Year Grade Level Trips.**

**At school, we focus on helping students demonstrate respect, responsibility, and accountability in their actions toward peers, staff, and the learning environment.**

**SPARTY PRIDE**

CHATTERTON MIDDLE SCHOOL

# END OF YEAR TRIPS

## Requirements:

TO BE ELIGIBLE

6 GREAT SKATE - MAY 15

7 CJ BARRYMORES - MAY 29

8 CEDAR POINT - JUNE 1

- 15 OR LESS ABSENCES (1/9/26 - DATE OF TRIP)
- 1.8 OVERALL GPA
- NO SUSPENSIONS (AHS OR ISS) 1/9/26 - DATE OF TRIP

CHATTERTON

**Dear Parents and Guardians,**




Regular school attendance plays a critical role in student success. When students attend school consistently and arrive on time, they are better able to engage in instruction, build relationships with peers and teachers, and stay on pace academically. Frequent absences or tardies can quickly impact learning, even when assignments are made up.

We ask for your continued support in ensuring your child attends school daily unless illness or an emergency occurs. Establishing strong attendance habits helps students develop responsibility and prepares them for future academic and career expectations.




**Thank you for partnering with us to support your child's learning and success.**

# CHATTERTON

## Semester 1 Updates

**Report cards** and **NWEA student progress reports** will be distributed digitally this year within the parent PowerSchool portal. Parents received an email with instructions on how to set up their PowerSchool account and access the report cards online at the end of Q1.

Semester 2 starts on
Thursday, 1/22 = FULL DAY

## CMS Semester 2 Schedules

**All Students will report to their 1st Hour from Semester 1 on Thursday 1/22/26.**

Teachers will pass out copies of the Semester 2 schedules and students will then move to hour 1 if it has changed by PA announcement.

**Exam Update:**

Friday 1/16 - HALF DAY

- Exams 1, 2, 3

Wednesday 1/21 - HALF DAY

- Exams 4, 5, 6

CHATTERTON

# THANK YOU!!

## Fitzgerald Board of Education!




Mud Balls presented by Chatterton Middle School Art Students led by CMS



**Thank you to all parents who brought CMS students to be recognized or speak at the Board Meeting.**

***We appreciate the participation immensely!***

CHATTERTON

**Please make sure that you have an updated physical on file in order to try out.**

Contact the Henry Ford Health Center, located within the high school to set up an appointment for a physical if needed.

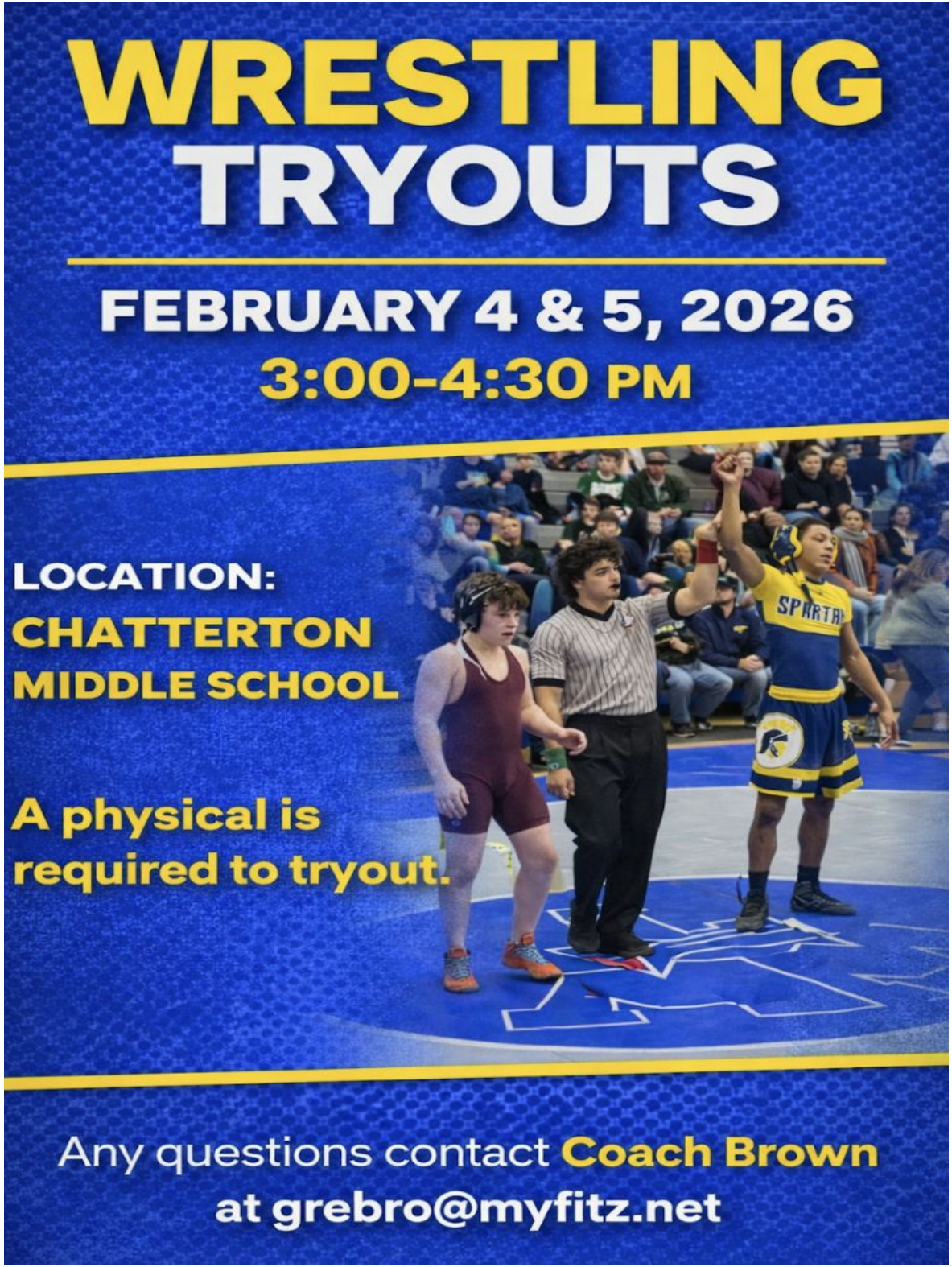
**PHONE:**
**(586) 759-9070**

Monday – Thursday

8:00 am – 4:30 pm

Friday

8:00 am – 12:00 pm



FITZGERALD

## WHAT IS THE SAT?

The SAT is a standardized test that ALL 11th graders take in Michigan. The test is widely used for college admissions in the US but can be used in other areas as well. Come learn more about the test and how you can help support your child!

**Calling all 11th Grade Families! Join us for Dinner and SAT information!!**

# SAT POP UP DINNER

Thursday **JANUARY 29, 2026**

**6:00 PM - 7:30 PM**

@ the Community Engagement Center
23200 Ryan Road, Warren 48091

SIGN UP!

**Reserve your spot today!**

RSVP

**by Monday, January 26 @ 3:00pm**

**Call Shana Ramsey: 586-757-7070**



## Have DINNER & Learn:

- What is the SAT?
- How to help your child prepare for the test
- Tips & Tricks for test taking

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FITZGERALD

# January 2026

| Schedules: | MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY | TO DO: |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| **Full Day Schedule**<br>1st Hour 7:30am - 8:30am<br>2nd Hour 8:35am - 9:35am<br>3rd Hour 9:40am - 10:40am<br>4th Hour 10:45am - 12:25pm<br>A LUNCH 10:40am - 11:15am<br>B LUNCH 11:15am - 11:50pm<br>C LUNCH 11:50pm - 12:25pm<br>5th Hour 12:30pm - 1:30pm<br>6th Hour 1:35pm - 2:33pm<br><br>**PLC Schedule**<br>1st Hour 7:30am - 8:10am<br>2nd Hour 815am - 8:55am<br>3rd Hour 9:00am - 9:40am<br>5th Hour 9:45am - 10:25am<br>4th Hour 10:30am - 12:15pm<br>A LUNCH 10:30am - 11:05am<br>B LUNCH 11:05am - 11:40am<br>C LUNCH 11:40am - 12:15pm<br>6th Hour 12:20pm - 1:03pm<br><br>**Exam Schedule**<br>1st /3RD/5TH 7:30 am 9:00 am<br>2nd/4TH/6TH 9:05 am 10:35am | **5** | **6**<br>Garden Club Meeting @ 2:45 pm<br>Girls Home Basketball @ 6:00 pm | **7**<br>PLC Day Early Dismissal @ 1:03pm<br>Girls Home Basketball @ 7:00 pm<br>Home Wrestling Meet @ 5:00 pm | **8**<br>Student Government @ 2:45pm<br>Boys Home Basketball @ 5:30 pm | **9** | SPORTS:<br><br>Girls Basketball<br><br>Boys Basketball<br><br>Sideline Cheer<br><br>Swimming |
| | **12**<br>NHS Meeting @ 2:45 pm<br>January Board Meeting @ 6:30pm | **13** | **14**<br>Final Exams Hours 1&2<br>Half Day Dismissal @ 10:35 am<br>Boys Home Basketball @ 5:30 pm | **15**<br>Final Exams Hours 3&4<br>Half Day Dismissal @ 10:35 am<br>Girls Home Basketball @ 5:00 pm | **16**<br>Final Exams Hours 5&6<br>Half Day Dismissal @ 10:35 am<br>Senior Celebration | |
| | **19**<br>NO SCHOOL MLK Day | **20**<br>NO SCHOOL Teacher PD Day | **21**<br>Start of Semester 2 | **22**<br>Boys Home Basketball @ 5:30 pm<br>Home Swim Meet @ 6:00 pm | **23**<br>Girls Home Basketball @ 5:30 pm | |
| | **26**<br>NHS Meeting 2 2:45 pm<br>WIDA Testing | **27**<br>Garden Club Meeting @ 2:45 pm<br>WIDA Testing<br>Girls Home Basketball @ 5:30 pm | **28**<br>Gleaner's Food Bank @ 9:00 am<br>WIDA Testing<br>Home Wrestling Meet @ 5:00 pm | **29**<br>WIDA Testing<br>11th grade SAT Parent Dinner @ 6:00 pm<br>Girls Home Basketball @ 5:30 PM | **30**<br>WIDA Testing | |