



## FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK

January 29, 2021

*"Do your little bit of good where you are; it's those little bits of good put together that overwhelm the world." Desmond Tutu*

### **ATTENDANCE REPORTING**

As we continue to provide instruction across both the live and virtual environments, I wanted to take this opportunity to provide a few points of clarification for our families.

- Please report your child's absence to the classroom teacher AND main office.
- Our attendance reporting is a state requirement.
- You may move your student to a virtual instructional setting at any time; however, re-entry to the live classroom must occur with notice provided on the 15<sup>th</sup> of the month and re-entry on the 1<sup>st</sup> of the month.
- Students may NOT move to and from virtual and live settings for reasons other than illness or as outlined above.
- If your child is registered as an in-person student but is absent and participates in virtual learning, they will still be reported as absent.
- School hours are from 8:30 AM to 3:00 PM with 12:30 to 1:30 lunch/recess

As always, if you have questions, please feel free to reach out.

### **COLD WEATHER & SNACK**

Our students did an AMAZING job today – with your support – and we were able to provide a snack and mask break for all. When I asked a few students if they would rather remain inside or get out for a quick break and bite to eat, the response was unanimous....break & snack! Thank you for your support in continuing to make this happen for our students.

### **INCLEMENT WEATHER ALERTS**

A significant shift from traditional snow days, the district now has a choice of either maintaining the traditional "day off" or moving from a live to a virtual instructional day. Please be sure to listen to the alert messages or read the emails carefully to see which selection was made.

*Please remain mindful of recommendations to keep us all healthy and safe!  
Have a wonderful weekend.*

*Mrs. Tierney*