

# PARENT NEWSLETTER

Week of March 11, 2024

## SCHOOL PLEDGE

Right now, today, this very moment, I am capable of giving myself, the gift of absolute self-assurance, self-belief, and powerful non-stop confidence in myself.



“ TO THROUGH AND BEYOND COLLEGE ”

## MESSAGE FROM PRINCIPAL DUNGEY



### Tips for a Successful Parent Teacher Conferences

- Start with a positive attitude - You're a team!
- Prepare questions in advance - write them down
- Take Notes - what are areas of strength and concern?
- Discuss the whole child - social emotional is just as important as academics.
- Leave with a plan of success - What will everyone commit to working on ?
- Follow up - Don't just stop here follow up with your action plan.

When students improve their attendance rates, they improve their academic prospects and chances for graduating.

Parent Teacher Conference Link – PLEASE SIGN UP ASAP!!!!  
[PTC LINK](#)

**Re-Enrollment – PAST DUE** -It's that time! Time to re-enroll for next year! Save your space for next year! Please click the link and complete ASAP. [Re-enrollment link](#)

DAY	ANNOUNCEMENTS
Monday 3/11 ANET PLC's	Read and Respond Goes Home Spelling words & Book Clubs go home!
Tuesday 3/12 Reading Rally SFA PLC's	<b>Exact Path during intervention</b>  Attendance Incentive 1:30-3:15
Wednesday 3/13 5-8 Science Fair Project Due	<b>Exact Path during intervention</b> PTC 4:30-7:00 Students may wear a top representing Detroit! Lions, Tigers, Red Wings, Pistons or other Detroit Gear!! Writing contest on Why I love Detroit! With prizes! 313 Day This day was created to celebrate the city of Detroit. Founded in 1701 the city has a lengthy history, and is best known as the Motor City for being the heart of the American Automotive Industry.
Thursday 3/14 Reading Rally	Pi Day is an annual celebration of the mathematical constant $\pi$ . Pi Day is observed on March 14 since 3, 1, and 4 are the first three significant figures of $\pi$ . It was founded in 1988 by Larry Shaw, an employee of the San Francisco, California science museum, the Exploratorium.
Friday 3/15 5-8 Science Exhibition 2-4:30	<b>Exact Path during intervention</b> <b>Read and Respond/C3 Due</b> Science Exhibition 2-4:30 <b>Parents WELCOME!</b>
UPCOMING	<b>3/27 – REAL MEN READ</b>
3/29-4/7 SPRING BREAK	<b>3/29 SPRING BREAK BEGINS</b>

### UPCOMING

Countdown to the MSTEP  
30 days

- **Test Taking Tip of the Week** As you read, underline keywords in the question, so you don't get confused while finding the answer.

**Attendance Initiative!!** 8<sup>th</sup> Grade won the Attendance WIN contest! Congratulations! They earned a Pizza Party!!!!

**EXACT PATH** – WE ARE DOWN FROM LAST WEEK! WE NEED TO PUSH OUR STUDENTS TO COMPLETE ACTIVITIES DAILY AND AT HOME IF POSSIBLE!

Attendance Matters!



Every Student, Every School, Every Day

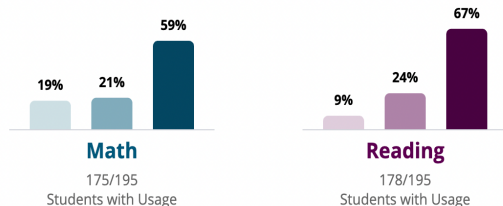
Glazer Attendance Week of 3/4 **Overall 83%** - our Goal is 95%

K	77%
1	84%
2	73%
3	89%
4	89%
5	81%
6	90%
7	90%
8	91%

Are Students Meeting Usage Goals?

Time Period: Previous Week

<20 min per week     20-39 min per week     40+ min per week



How Many Skills Have Students Mastered?

Time Period: Previous Week



March is Reading Month

Dive into a good book!



Black History & Women's History Fact



Mary McLeod Bethune (1875-1955) was a highly favored and influential educator who spent her life teaching and educating African Americans. However, most people don't know what U.S. President made her special advisor on minority affairs, or what her and James M. Gamble of the Procter and Gamble Company of Cincinnati, Ohio, have in common.