

Student Attendance  
95.82%



Classified Attn.  
77.8%  
Certificated Attn.  
88.5%

## Weekly Staff Newsletter: November 3 - 7, 2014

### PBIS (POSITIVE BEHAVIOR SUPPORT)

Please continue to review the SOAR expectations with your class daily.

- S**afe
- O**n task
- A**ttitude to Achieve
- R**espect



In each setting in the school we have expectations for students like: Using equipment properly, Stay in approved areas, Keep hands, feet and body to yourself and Play approved games. Which setting/area do you think we are talking about being safe? **The Playground**

### CURRICULUM CORNER / PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Thank you to our first grade team for participating in a **Lesson Study** this past week. They had the opportunity to learn how to improve instruction while working with Mr. Chase Orton, Mathematics Practice Coach. Lesson study is as much a culture as a professional development activity. Being successful at lesson study requires teachers to feel comfortable sharing with each other and observing each other teaching. Having a collaborative culture in the first place benefits the group's ability to engage in lesson study. Lesson study may also show teachers the value of working together more closely. The steps they took for the lesson study included:

1. Forming a lesson study team
2. Focus the lesson study
3. Plan the study lesson
4. Prepare for the observation
5. Teaching and observing the lesson
6. Debriefing the lesson
7. Reflecting and planning next steps

\*We were able to utilize our Super Sub to cover classes so teachers could meet together with the help of our district providing an additional sub. Thank you everyone for helping our first grade team be our "trailblazers" in this collaborative effort!

### IT'S HAPPENING AT GABILAN SCHOOL!!!

#### Halloween Parade

#### Red Ribbon Week Posters



#### Student Council Activities



### KUDOS - THANK YOU'S - THUMBS UP - WHOOP WHOOPS

- ☺ Kudos to Mrs. Maturino and the Student Council for all the work, planning, and implementation of Red Ribbon Week and the activities involved! What a great job they did!
- ☺ Thank you to all the classes who did such a fantastic job on the Slogan posters for Red Ribbon Week! Great ideas and things to think about to make good choices. We took them down so they didn't get rained on and will be putting them up in the cafeteria/multi for a few weeks to enjoy.
- ☺ 3. Whoop-whoop to Rudy for all the set up and take down for Red Ribbon Week activities and to you Rudy, John, Mr. Douty and Mrs. Rocha for helping Mrs. Villasenor get room 1 ready for Junior Kindergartners.

### SPECIAL REMINDERS

1. Teachers and After-School Program Personnel please remember to have the same students use the same computers in the lab, report problems to you, take proper care of the computers, headphones and furniture at all times. Report any problems to the office and leave the lab in the condition you found it. We have a wonderful lab that needs to be taken care of. Thank you for doing your fair share of maintaining it and expecting all students to do the same.
2. Teachers if you did not pick up your iPad charger from Mrs. Brusa or Mr. Douty, please pick it up from the office.
3. Teachers we will have a professional development training on Monday, November 3, to prepare us for the NWEA testing that will take place in K-6. K-2 will meet in the computer lab and 3-6 meeting place is TBA and we will post on the whiteboard on Monday. It will be from 3:15-4:15. Please put on your calendar.

### DUTIES THIS WEEK:

**CAFETERIA HELPERS:** Pantoja & Nevarez  
**CAMPUS CLEAN-UP:** Avila, Martin & Jacinto  
**AM/PM RECESS DUTY:**

- **PRIMARY (9:35 - 9:45 & 1:05 - 1:15)**  
Yarborough, Avila & Jacinto
- **PRIMARY (9:45 - 9:55 & 1:15 - 1:25)**  
Garduño, Jordan & Magaña
- **INTERMEDIATE (10:00 - 10:10 & 1:30 - 1:40)**  
Nevarez & Padilla
- **INTERMEDIATE (10:10 - 10:20 & 1:40 - 1:50)**  
Bullock & Pantoja

Refer to Recess Duty handouts for playground supervision location

MONDAY (11/03)	TUESDAY (11/04)	WEDNESDAY (11/05)	THURSDAY (11/06)	FRIDAY (11/07)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Pupil Supervisor Meeting, 8:15 am</li> <li>• Pre-Conference Meeting, 10:00 am</li> <li>• IEP - Brusa, Berrin, Bumgarner, 2:00 pm</li> <li>• PD - NWEA, 3:15 pm, Computer Lab</li> <li>• Curriculum Council Meeting, 3:30 pm</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Formal Observation, 9:00 am</li> <li>• DLT, 3:45 pm</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Office Meeting, 8:30 am</li> <li>• Formal Observation, 9:00 am</li> <li>• Faculty Meeting, 3:15 pm</li> <li>• Girls Inc., 6:00 pm</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• ELAC Meeting, 8:15 am</li> <li>• 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade All Day SST Marathon</li> <li>• PLC's</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Fun Friday/Spirit Day</li> <li>• IEP - Douty, Lee, Feinberg</li> </ul>
<b>Vision testing for Kinder, 3<sup>rd</sup> grade &amp; 6<sup>th</sup> grade and color vision testing for all 1<sup>st</sup> grade boys.</b>				