

Weekly Newsletter - September 25, 2020



Groveport Elementary School

The Groveport Madison Local School District will build a community of learners, leaders and responsible citizens.

Every Student, Every Lesson, Every Day



Principal's Message

Dear Groveport Elementary Families,

I wanted to give you an Attendance Update - These first several days of school we have been very forgiving with attendance so parents and students could adjust to the schedule and work through any technical problems (Internet, chromebook issues, etc.) Now that we are going to be starting the 4th week of school and progressing through the standards we will strictly be following the attendance guidelines.

Starting Monday, September 28th:

- Students are expected to attend (virtually) all live meetings scheduled by teachers.
- Students are expected to keep pace on assignments and/or projects as directed by their teachers.
- Students will need to work on assigned digital platforms.
- If students do not attend and complete the majority of the meetings and assignments they will be marked absent.

*Attendance is taken 5 days a week. Assignments will be posted on Wednesdays but they will be minimal. Students will need to login and complete those assignments and catch up on any other missing assignments. Teachers may also schedule small groups or one on one lessons and assessments on these days.

Ways to help your child be successful while learning online.

Encourage your child to work hard, do their own work, and follow the teacher's directions and scheduled.

Provide your child with a quiet work environment, free from distractions, for learning to take place.

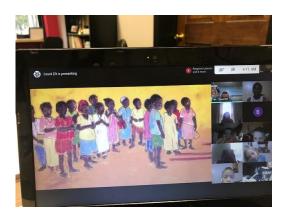
Communicate with the school team about the student's academic and social emotional well-being as much as needed

If you have any questions, please let us know.

Thank you, April Bray Principal 614.836.4975

Focus On Learning

Mr. Eft's 3rd graders were listening to the story *Rain School* to later analyze the text to determine theme through the key details. We are proud so proud of how hard the students are working.





Mrs. Geisler received a caterpillar a couple weeks ago and recorded a video of it as a caterpillar and then as a chrysalis. The students were excited about the butterfly and asked to see it everyday during Google Meets. On Tuesday it finally emerged from the chrysalis and is now a beautiful monarch butterfly! The butterfly is a boy. Kendall and Shayla were at school for assessments and so excited to help release it. They both wanted to hold the butterfly, and they did! Mrs. Geisler then put him on the flowers, he waited a minute and then flew off.





In Mrs. Sperk's Art Class student in grades 1 -5 learned how to use our camera, save to our drive and add images to a google classroom assignment. The assignment was for them to find at least 5 objects that represent them. They could be any of their favorite things. We talked about the differences between self-portraits and portraits as well as how to have good composition in our art. They had to arrange these objects in a balanced way then lay beside

them and take their picture. Of course they were allowed to have help because it can be tricky doing that by themselves. Check out these cool, creative kids!

















Sean Tucker, Kelsey Deskins, Isabelle Alleyne, Addison Meuser, Sebastian Quinonez, Xaylinh Kayavong, and Laila Cooper!

Grab and Go Breakfast and Lunch

Our school district will be serving Grab and Go breakfast and lunch again this school year. It will start on Wednesday, September 9th. Here are the locations where you can pick up the meals every Monday and Wednesday 11:30 - 12:30.

Asbury Elementary
Dunloe Elementary
Glendening
Middle School North
Middle School Central

If you can't make it at 11:30 - 12:30, the meals will be available at the High School from 4:00 - 5:00.



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