



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

Today was the end of the 3rd nine weeks. Report cards will come home next Friday, April 5th. Reward Day for 3rd nine weeks will be April 18th and it will be Games Galore. If you child met 2 out the 3 criteria, you will receive a letter.

Focus on Learning

The fourth and fifth grade students attended an Eastland and Fairfield Career Center fair today in the school auditorium where they rotated among 6 stations to learn about 6 of 30 programs offered. The programs involved were welding, animal management, criminal justice, landscape design and management, pharmacy tech, and pre-engineering. The junior and senior students represented their program with hands on activities for the students to explore showing how they learn to care for animals, count medications, welding sculptures created, hand-cuffs, 4-D printer and working with dirt. These programs are offered as a partnership with Groveport Madison Schools when students enter their second half of high school. The focus was to create awareness of another option that students may consider when choosing career paths.





















Students completed an interest survey and then viewed their results which showed them some careers that aligned to their interests. Some students were surprised to see some careers that matched their interests.

Two Campuses. Five Satellites. Endless Opportunities Explanation of your results:

Blue

If you mostly prefer caring for or treating people. Consider these pathways through programs at EFCTS:

- Animal Management & Services
 Vet Assistant/Pet Groomer/ Animal Trainer
- Bioscience Technologies
 Bioengineering/Research/
 Microbiology
- Criminal Justice
 Security Officer/Police
 Officer/Forensics/Military
- Dental Assisting
 Certified Lab Technician/Dental
 Assistant/Office Manager/Dental
 Insurance Claims Adjuster

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If you mostly prefer working with machines/tools or in the outdoors, consider these pathways through programs at EFCTS:

- Ag & Heavy Equipment Technologies
 Field Service Technician/Fleet Mechanic/Heavy Equipment Mechanic/Service Manager
- Auto Technology
 Entry-Level Technician/Parts
 Sales/Tune-up Technician/Front-end Technician/Car Sales/Brake
 Technician
- Collision Repair
 Automotive Refinishing
 Technician/Collision Repair
 Manager/Claims Estimator

Red

If you are interested in business & service related industries, consider these pathways through programs at EFCTS:

Architecture & Construction
 Management

Architect/Construction Manager/ Civil Engineer/Interior Designer/ Landscape Designer

Cosmetology Cosmetologist/Est

Cosmetologist/Esthetician/ Nail Technician/Platform Artist/Salon Manager

Culinary Arts Academy
 Caterer/ Restaurant Management

Caterer/ Restaurant Manager/ Executive-Sous-Personal Chef

Cyber Security

Computer Engineer/Support

Lexia Contest Winner!!!!

Congratulations to the first and second graders in Mrs. Pence's Reading classes! Out of 8,880 classes that competed in the national Lexia Learning usage contest, and the 1,274 classes that met 100% usage, only 14 classes won...including HERS! That's fantastic! Students who met 100% usage for 4 of the 5 weeks will be rewarded for their hard work with a Dominoes Pizza Party!

Pennies for Patients

Thank you to Student Council and to all the people who donated to Pennies for Patients. We collected a total of \$2548.19 beating our goal of \$2020. Thank you all for helping this fundraiser be a success!!

#1 Mrs. Stoever's class = \$589.04 (winning the Olive Garden Lunch)

#2 Mrs. Myers' class = #284.02

#2 Mrs. Downing's class = \$279.23

#4 Ms. Townsend's class = \$189.11

Congratulation to Cam Lindsay for winning the raffle!



Important Levy and Bond Information

Groveport Madison Schools has a combination operating levy and bond issue on the May 7, 2019 ballot. The operating levy portion of the measure simply replaces the 2014 levy that expires at the end of 2019 - it is not a tax increase. The bond issue will replace the District's aging, deteriorating, and severely overcrowded elementary and middle schools by constructing three K-6 buildings and one 7-8 building. The new schools will create a much-improved academic environment for students and staff, provide the needed space to accommodate an array of events and activities, and include the latest in safety and security measures.

The total cost of the combined issue is less than fifty cents a day (based on a \$100,000 home value), and the State of Ohio will contribute 53% (\$65 million) in matching funds to build the new schools.

If you aren't already registered to vote, you can do so online at myohiovote.com or we have copies of voter registration forms in our school's office. We also have chromebooks in the office you can use to quickly register by the registration deadline of Monday, April 8th.

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☐ You are a citizen of the United States.
\square You will be at least 18 years old on or before the day of the general election.
☐ You will be a resident of Ohio for at least 30 days immediately before the
election in which you want to vote.
☐ You are not incarcerated (in jail or in prison) for a felony conviction.
☐ You have not been declared incompetent for voting purposes by a probate court.
☐ You have not been permanently disenfranchised for violations of election laws.
More information regarding the combined operating levy and bond issue (Issue 5) can
be found on the District's website, at www.gocruisers.org/Issue5, or feel free to call or
stop in to ask me about it. I will make sure you have all of the facts necessary to make

Hallway STAR Award

Our students have to hang their coats and bookbags in the hallway because of limited space in the classrooms. We noticed this to be untidy and unsafe as students were stepping over items that would drop to the floor, so we've started a clean hallway challenge. Mrs. Bray will walk the halls throughout the week to recognize the class that has the neatest hallway area and announce the winning class on Fridays. Mr. Miller our school custodian will present the award to the class each week.

Congratulation to the winner this week = Mrs. McGonigal

Assessment Information

April 9th = ELA Part 1 (grades 3 and 5)

April 10th = ELA Part 1 (grade 4)

April 11th = ELA Part 2 (grades 3 and 5)

April 12th = ELA Part 2 (grade 4)

Upcoming Important Dates

April

5th = March Principal Breakfast

an informed decision on May 7.

5th = Parent Prom

9th = Parent Teacher Conferences (4:00 - 7:15)

11th = Parent Teacher Conferences (4:00 - 7:15)

15th = PTO Meeting

18th = 45 minute early dismissal

19th = No School - Good Friday

22nd - 26th = No School Spring Break

29th = Classes Resume

Thank You to Our Pledge of Allegiance Helpers

Joshua Biddle - Mr. Yurasek Jared Birchfield - Mrs. Myers Anakin Deskins - Mrs. Stoever Mathew Estudillo - Ms. Townsend

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!!!

Roseliane Perdomo, Juan Stewart, Austin Combs, Aiden Combs, and Carter Persinger!



Cruiser STAR Students

Gold STAR Awards are given to students by staff members for students who show characteristics of being a Cruiser STAR - Stay Safe Take Responsibility Act Respectfully Reach Goals. Students come to the office and put their gold STAR in our Treasure Box. Every Friday, Mrs. Bray picks 15 -20 STARs from the Treasure Box and calls those students to the office for a prize. Congratulations - Maci West, Eli Williams, Soffia Niemann, Olivia Hart, Abby Stover, Nataliegh Ford, Tyler Butts, Jaylen Johnson, Djeinaba Kane, Jeremiah Robbins, Yezra Parish-Kone, Nick Otero, and Aubry Gibbs!



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