



Principal's Message

Dear Groveport Elementary Families,

On behalf of the entire staff, I would like to welcome everyone to the 2019- 2020 school year. We are planning on having a terrific year! It is the mission of Groveport Madison Schools to build a community of learners, leaders and responsible citizens. Our Vision is Every Student, Every Lesson, Every Day!

We had an amazing turn out for Open House and we wanted to thank all the parents who were able to attend and also thank you for the huge amount of school supplies. There are many ways to stay connected with the school. There will be many opportunities to visit the school throughout the year. You can also follow Groveport Elementary on twitter @april_bray or @mr_spadaro or follow us on facebook @GroveportES or @GroveportElementaryPTO. I will continue sending the electronic newsletters out on Fridays, so please sign up to receive those newsletter emails.

I look forward to a GrEat year!

April Bray
Principal



Focus on Learning

Students have been learning a lot this 1st week. Many teachers have been going over the behavior expectations to set the tone for a great learning environment. Students have been learning what is expected behavior in the classroom, but also in the common areas: hallway, bathroom, cafeteria, playground, and auditorium. Ask your child what it looks and sounds like to Be A Cruiser STAR

Stay Safe, Take Responsibility, Act Respectfully, and Reach Goals



**Mr. Spadaro our new Assistant Principal/School Improvement Coordinator
enjoying some time in classrooms doing Read-Alouds!**



Welcome to Our Preschool and Kindergarten Students! Off to a great start :)





WALK-A-THON Fundraiser

PTO and the special area teachers (art, gym and music) are partnering in a fundraiser to help enhance these programs. Our event is planned for Friday, September 6th. Please consider allowing your child to participate in this event to raise funds for our school. Money is collected from friends, relatives and neighbors who would like to support our school PRIOR to the event. This money is used for curriculum resources, supplies and events that benefit all of our students. All students participate in the Walk-a-thon.

Our **INCENTIVE** levels are:

- \$2=Popcorn at lunch
- \$10=Fabulous extra recess
- \$25=Water recess
- \$40=Pizza party
- \$60= \$10 gift card
- \$100+=Prize basket

All incentives are cumulative. For all of those who bring in their money by August 30th, you will receive an extra recess. We will still collect money up until the day of the walk-a-thon.

THANK YOU - We are grateful for our community donations!

I want to thank all the businesses and community members for the generous donations of school supplies. We were able to provide many families with school supplies at our Supply Drop Off/Meet the Teacher Night. This helps support our vision Every Student, Every Lesson, Every Day - Thank you!!!

Upcoming Important Dates

September

6 = Walk-a-thon

10 = PBIS Meeting (PBIS Committee 8:00)

12 = 5th Grade SEED Field Trip

16 = PTO Meeting (5:00)

17 = Fall Picture Day

Thank You to Our Pledge of Allegiance Helpers

Ashton Barrett - Mrs. McGonigal

Brenden Bennett - Mrs. Cordell

Mason Holbrook - Mrs. Myers

Jeremy Finigan - Mrs. Monhollen

Josiah Blackburn - Ms. Townsend

Conner Armstrong - Mrs. McGonigal

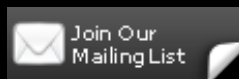
Happy Birthday



Landon Grossman, Adriana Marshall, John Monroe, Dylan Clinger, Alexzander Orta, Jalen Blair, Jacob Barrios, Maci West, Jayden Fassa, Charles Viton, Jessa Cornett, Kaydince McKee, Brooke Hammons, and Bracksden Bennett!

Cruiser STAR Students

Cruiser 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 -](#)



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