


# Gap Rap Newsletter

Growing in academic, social, physical and spiritual maturity.

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## EDUCATION SABBATH

The whole school (all grades) will be participating in a very special student Sabbath at the Standifer Gap Church this Sabbath, **April 29th**. Please have your child to the church by 9:45 am dressed in black and white. The service will begin at 10 am.

## RE-ENROLLMENT

Please complete your child's re-enrollment packet and pay the \$100 fee to hold their spot at our school. New applicants are currently being reviewed for acceptance. If you are not returning for the 2023-2024 school year, let us know ASAP so that we can plan.

## 8TH GRADE TRIP

Payment for the 8th grade class trip is due by this Friday. It is \$252 per person.

## JOB OPPORTUNITY

We are currently accepting applications for two part time teaching positions and also for the office manager job. If you are interested, contact Kent ([kkast@gccsda.com](mailto:kkast@gccsda.com)).

## STUDENT SUPPORT SERVICES

at Standifer Gap with Ms. Adams



In 6th-8th, students wrote instructions for making peanut butter and jelly sandwiches and then we made them exactly as they were written. This led to a discussion about how miscommunications happen, the importance of clear communication, and how other people may take things completely different than how we were intending. I challenged the students to think about their words before they say/write them. Think about how the other person might take it and look for ways to improve their communication with others.



The 4th-5th grade girls met for a lunch bunch and we discussed how the things we say and do affect each other. We illustrated this by writing hurtful things down on perfect hearts and crumpling them up.

Students then tried to get all the wrinkles out and make the hearts perfect again - which was not successful. This led to a discussion on how once something is said or done, it impacts the person forever and we are unable to take it back. To wrap up, we watched a video about spreading encouraging sticky notes around the school to uplift other students. Students asked to make their own encouraging sticky notes to spread around the school to encourage their peers and see how many times it could get passed around!

~ Ms. Bree Adams

## REMEMBER THIS

### \* Volunteer Hours

Please log your volunteer hours in the yellow binder in the front office. Those with 18 **logged** hours will get free admission to our end of year skate party!

### \* Student Progress

Parents can check grades with their FACTS Family Portal login.

### \* Card Processing Fee

There will be a 5% fee applied to all card payments made in the front office. We encourage you to make payments by cash, check or ACH (online).

### \* Online Payments

You can pay tuition, hot lunch and more online through the link on our website. Please use the ACH (direct debit) option!!

### \* Ukulele/Guitar

Wednesdays & Fridays at 7:30 am in the music room.

### \* Support & Shop

Club



# APRIL

## Birthdays

HOSEA

APR 1

KYLE

APR 15

LOTOA

APR 16

ARDEN

APR 22

AUDREY

APR 22

## CALENDAR REMINDERS

- Apr 26 - Pathfinder STAFF Mtg 6:30 pm
- Apr 29 - Education Sabbath (All Grades)
- May 11 - End of Year Concert 7 pm
- May 15 - Kindergarten Graduation 7 pm
- May 17 - 8th Grade Graduation 7 pm
- May 19 - Last Day of School - NOON Dismissal

## CREATURE FEATURE

