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# Principal Simmons Says...

We have just 2 weeks until our winter vacation! We have a lot to accomplish in just 10 school days. On Monday, December 11, we begin NWEA middle of the year testing. It is vital that students are rested, on time to school and eat a healthy breakfast in order to ensure a successful testing session. We will be

testing Monday, Tuesday and Thursday with make-up session following. As an incentive for students to do their very best, any student who meets their NWEA projected growth goal for math, reading and language arts will earn a day out of dress code the following week. With all the hard work and digital content achievements that I've witnessed in classrooms, I know we will have many who earn this reward.

During the last week before winter break, our PBIS Tier One team has planned events to acknowledge and reward students who have shown CORE consistently throughout term two. On Tuesday, December 19th, students who earned the high distinction of the CORE Plus Celebration will be going to Roller Cave. Wednesday the 20th, students who were nominated by their teachers for Gold Club will receive treats and a certificate during their lunch period. Finally, Thursday, December 21 will be our CORE Carnival. Students will use their hard earned CORE Cash to play games, buy treats, dance, color, have their face painted and much, much more during their related arts time. Thank you to all the parents who have signed up to volunteer for this event! We want all our children to celebrate their successes in and out of school and to know how important they are in this world. Kids matter!

## **November Gold Club Students!**

These students demonstrated improvements in behavior or academics or both ... Great Job!

Aaron Durham Akeem Brogan Akilah Brogan Breanna Dean Cafante Jackson Carson Bullard Chelse Childs Ciara Walker Daniel Peralta Dynasty Dillard Gavin Tandy Hadlie Wade Hanna Beller

Isaiah Richardson Janiyah Hart-Barnett Jarelle Slides Jasmine Bennington Jayden Jones Jenika Springfield Jordan mejia Josh Pizarro Keisean Grey Ju'kvlen Jones Latrell Whitfield Mareeon Walker

Rashad Bellamy Ron-niyah Robinson Roosevelt Mason Samaya Joseph Saul Vazquesz-Cuenca Shakira Hawkins Tamiyah Brown Travell Hampton Treasure Johnson Treeonna Harper Treeonna Harper Yadhria Curiel



## **Upcoming Events**





#### TONIGHT!

CIA Family Community Presents Cookies & Canvas

December 8th from 6:00-8:00pm

We will begin the night with cookies, a photo booth, gift baskets and filled stockings. Numerous of other activities. planned including, Pixar Short Films with popcorn and even a special appearance from a "Jolly Man". We'll conclude the evening events with canvas painting.

Hope to see you!

Robotics Tournament at Stonybrook M. S.	December 9th @ 8am
Late Start for Students Wednesday	December 13th
WINTER RECESS	December 22nd- January 5th



Did you know?

Regular school attendance has a huge impact on a student's academic success. It's important that your child attends school daily. Our attendance percentages for last week were 5th grade at 95.19 percent and 6th grade 94.02 percent.



# FOR DECEMBER 2017

**Team 5A- Hanna Kegerreis & David Young** 

**Team 5B- Charlene Cruz & Jazmin Valenzuela** 

**Team 5C- Brittany Lopez & Caden Kerr** 













Team 6B- Juan Merito & Sean Vonhauger

**Team 6C- Zion Preston & Laniya Evans** 

**Team Benedict- Lincoln Pullen** 



# Congratulations!

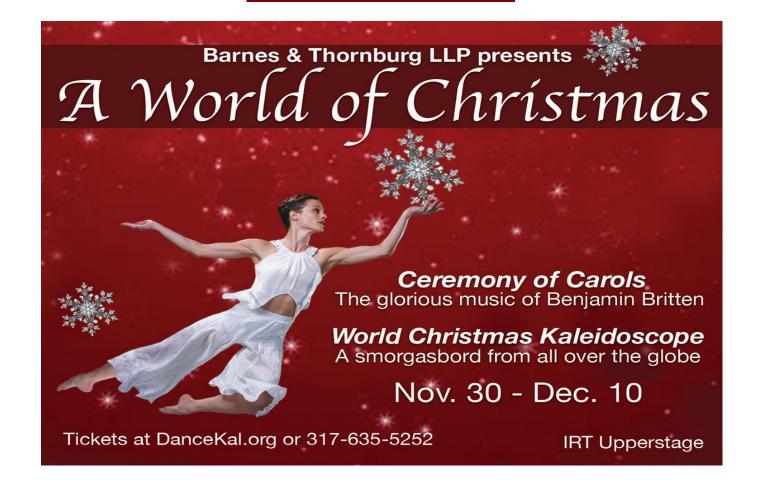
#### INDIANA SENATE PAGE PROGRAM

Did you know you can take a day off from school to serve as a page for the Indiana Senate? State Senator Aaron Freeman invites students in grades 6-12 to come to the Statehouse and spend an exciting day seeing our state government in action. You will have the opportunity to tour the Statehouse, meet Senator Freeman, and observe the legislative session from the Senate floor. Siblings and friends can sign up together, too! Interested students can apply online at the Indiana Senate Republicans homepage:https://www.indianasenaterepublicans.com/page-program

Aaron Freeman Indiana State Senate – District 32 200 West Washington Street Indianapolis, Indiana 46204



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## Meijer "Simply Give" Donations

Hunger strikes individuals from all walks of life. It may be a child of a single parent, it may be a grandparent that has taken in their grandchildren and does not have enough to cover today's cost of living, it could be someone dear to you and you may not be aware. "1 in 5 children in America are affected by hunger."

Meijer on E. Washington is doing their part to help with this growing crisis with their "Simply Give Donations". Take part in helping to stock the Food Pantry for Community Outreach Ministry Eastside where 9 local churches have joined ranks to help fight hunger. This pantry services Sugar Creek, Buck Creek and Warren Townships and is housed at Cumberland First Baptist Church. (open every Wednesday from 1:00 – 3:30 p.m.)

On Friday December 8th and Saturday December 9th every "Simply Give" donation will be double matched by Meijer! A special card must be picked up from the "Simply Give Kiosk and located near the registers and given to a cashier.

Buy a \$10 card, it becomes \$30. Put \$40 on a card, it becomes \$120 Put \$100 on a card, it becomes \$300

Consider stopping by The MEIJER location at 11351 E. Washington Street, Indianapolis location and help feed those in need by participating in the Meijer Simply Give Campaign.