



MORTON GINGERWOOD SCHOOL

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Dear Morton Gingerwood Families,

The students and staff have been working hard completing the winter benchmark assessments for AIMSweb and Star360. Letters were sent home last week so you can see your child's progress. If you have any questions about those letters or the assessments please feel free to contact the teachers or myself.

The cold weather has hit hard and I want to encourage our students to read and spend some time on Reflex Math on days when we are not in attendance. Stay warm by staying inside and spending some time with a good book.

We are very excited to be welcoming 3 student teachers starting next week. Ms. McLoughlin will be in room 102, Ms. Gardiner will be in room 106, and Ms. Zelek will be in room 110. We have a great relationship with local universities. The professors love the personal touch and guidance that Morton Gingerwood teachers and staff provide. I'm proud that Morton Gingerwood School is a sought after placement location for their student teachers. Great job teachers and staff!

February is a short month that is jam packed with great things at MGS. Feb 4th we have an assembly from the American Heart Association to kick off our jump rope for heart fundraiser. Mr. Umana will be sending home more information soon. Feb 8th will be having 100s day. Feb 13th we have a dental assembly. The students will be learning about the importance of brushing and caring for their teeth. Feb 15th is Biography Day for our 2nd graders. We love learning about the people they portray. More information on Biography Day will be coming soon. After school Science Club will be starting up in February. Ms. Person has a letter in Friday folders. Space is limited so return the forms quickly! Feb 21st we be having our PBIS assembly. The students will enjoy learning about and seeing reptiles! Report Cards will be coming home on Feb 22nd.

Stay warm everyone,

Tom Flynn
Principal