Good Morning Georgetowne

Today is: Thursday, November 21st, 2019

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| **Please stand for the pledge of allegiance.**  **I pledge allegiance to the flag of the United States of America and to the Republic for which it stands,**  **one nation, under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.** |
| **We will now pause for a moment of silence.** |
| **The Cool Tool For this Week: Consequences of bullying for the victim and for the bully**  **2nd Quarter Skill Focus- Homework Completion** |

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| **Here are today’s announcements**   * **Did you know that by 6th grade, chronic absence becomes a leading indicator that a student will drop out of high school. And that when students improve their attendance rates, they improve their academic prospects and chances for graduating** * **Our goal at Georgetowne is 98% attendance each week. Last week 6th grade was at 93.7%, 7th grade was at 94.1% and 8th grade was at 90.2%.** * **Please do your part and be at school as often as possible.** * **Attention Student Council members...we have a meeting in Mrs. Short’s room on Friday after school. It will be a short meeting and will be finished by 3:05.** * **Our basketball team has another home game this evening beginning at 4:30 against Illini Bluffs. Come and support our team and get some of Mrs. Short’s famous popcorn!** * **Grandparents Day is today, students you will meet your grandparents in the library and take them down to the cafeteria during your lunch period. Please remember, if your grandparents need the elevator, please take them down in it.** * **Teachers, those having lunch from the cafeteria today, your lunches will be in the conference room instead of the teacher’s lounge at the beginning of your lunch period.** * **Are you a trivia champion? Join the Scholastic Bowl Team! Come to an informational meeting in Miss Hickey's room after school on Tuesday, December 3rd from 2:50-3:10. Hope to see you there!** * **A brave and unusual girl named Serafina lives secretly in the basement of the grand Biltmore Estate amidst the splendor of the Gilded Age. Serafina’s pa, the estate’s maintenance man, has warned her to keep herself hidden from the fancy folk who live on the floors above, but when children at the estate start disappearing, Serafina and her friend Braeden Vanderbilt must work together to solve a dark and dangerous mystery.**   **This page-turning thriller is a *#1 NEW YORK TIMES BEST SELLER* which has been on the bestsellers list for more than 50 weeks. A blend of history, mystery, and magic, read Serafina and the Black Cloak, the first book of the series and found on the Rebecca Caudill shelf.**   * **Happy Birthday to Ava Conway today!** |
| **Today’s Lunch Menu:**  **Chicken & Noodles, Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans, Roll and Pumpkin Pie**  **Friday’s Breakfast Menu:**  **Cereal, Blueberry Waffle Stick, Fruit** |
| **Have a Great Day!!** |