Good Morning Georgetowne

Today is: Tuesday, October 27th, 2020

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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.** |
| **This week’s Cool Tool is-- Effects of Bullying**  **2nd Quarter Skill Focus- Homework Completion** |

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| **Here are today’s announcements**   * **October is Bullying Prevention Awareness Month.** * ***“Each of us deserves the freedom to pursue our own version of happiness. No one deserves to be bullied.” –*** [***Barack Obama***](https://www.goodreads.com/author/show/6356.Barack_Obama) * **Your challenge this week is You Can STOMP Out Bullying!**   + **REPORT It!**   + **BE A FRIEND TO SOMEONE WHO IS BULLIED**   + **STAND UP TO THE BULLY**   + **This is your month to take up leadership in our school and carry it through all-year-round!** * **Tomorrow is our last Bullying Prevention Awareness spirit day.**    + **Wednesday, October 28th: Wacky Tacky Wednesday**   + **“We are all unique; be kind to everyone!”**   + **How many patterns and mismatched clothing items can you wear? Rock your craziest clothes and funkiest hairdos** * **The Student Council is holding a blood drive Monday, November 2nd from 1-6pm. The blood drive will be held @ the First Missionary Church, 114 Lincoln Blvd in North Pekin in the fellowship area. To make a reservation please call the GMS office @ 309-382-3456.** * **Students can pick up a flyer in the GMS office. Please tell your family and friends, as giving blood SAVES LIVES!** * **Picture retakes will be next Friday, November 6th.** * **Don’t forget the daily reminders:**  1. **Stay home if you are sick** 2. **Maintain physical distancing inside the building and outside.** 3. **Wash your hands.** 4. **Keep your mask on when you’re inside the building.**  * **This Thursday is an 11am dismissal day. We will follow the AM schedule with a little break to have some Halloween fun! You can dress up to try and win one of our costume contests. The categories are:** * **Funniest** * **Scariest** * **Best group** * **Best Superhero/Comic Book/Gamer** * **Best homemade/handmade.**    + **BUT You must wear your mask with your costume.** * **Virtual Parent Teacher conferences are Thursday from 3pm-8pm and Friday from 8am-1pm.** * **There is no school on Friday due to conferences.** * **Happy Birthday today to Aubri Sluser.** * **As is being stuffed into last year’s dress pants at his cousin’s wake weren’t uncomfortable enough, thirteen year old Jimmy has just learned from his mother that he has to say a few words at the funeral the next day. Why him? What could he possibly say about his cousin, who ruined everything they did? He can’t recall one birthday party, family gathering, or school event with Patrick that didn’t result in injury or destruction. As Jimmy attempts to navigate the odd social norms of the wake, he draws on humor, heartfelt concern, and a good deal of angst while racking his brain and his memory for a decent and meaningful memory to share. But it’s not until faced with a microphone that the realization finally hits him: it’s not the words that are spoken that matter the most, but those that are truly heard. Read SPEECHLESS, another selection from the Rebecca Caudill list.** |
| **Today’s Lunch Menu:**  **Teriyaki Chicken, Fried Rice, Broccoli & Fruit**  **Wednesday’s Breakfast Menu:**  **Biscuit & Gravy & Fruit** |
| **Remember, Tigers, Have a GRRRRRREAT Day!** |