

Tiger Tracks



December 2018

Terrific Tigers

Each month the Tiger Team Faculty will be selecting Terrific Tigers to recognize students for shining in the areas of behavior, academics, citizenship or integrity. The students will receive a certificate, Picnic with the Principal and have a group picture made.

Terrific Tigers for November 2018 are Iyandia Lawrence, Divine Nwabueze, Ahlizzabeth Graham, Piper Bable, Banyan Pierson, Marlee Strickland, Zarielle Guest, Jaylon Clark, Paisley Petterson, Jacob Williams, Trevor Laycox, Antwan Johnson, Dakota Russell, Lucas Walker, Brayden Blount, Kenadee Sims, Desirae Angerbrandt, Emily Tucker, Tayler Dease, and Toni Wesley

Congratulations to each of you for representing yourselves, your family and your school so well.

Accelerated Reader (AR) Goals

Last year GES students earned 7,614 AR points. Due to the recent loss of school days, this year our SCHOOL goal has been changed to 8,500 points! Student goals have been set using their Independent Reading Level and the minimum number of minutes the student should be reading a week.

Students have some time each day to read at school and are asked to read at least 20

minutes outside of the school day. At the end of each month the student from each grade with the most points and the highest vocabulary progress is being recognized with their picture on the front hall bulletin board. The classes are in a competition as well. There is a display in the lunchroom to show which grade is in the lead! Ask your Tiger about their progress.

Highest AR Points for November: Havyn Walters, Jamarion O'Neal, Madison Purecka, Marlee Strickland, De'Auana Robinson and Audrey Hamilton

Highest AR Vocabulary Words Learned for November: Unique Cromartie, Jamarion O'Neal, Salena Robinson, Christian Hancock, De'Auana Robinson and Joey Brown

K2 AR Points Class Champion for November: Mrs. Parish's 2nd Grade

K2 Vocabulary Class Champion for November: Mrs. Parish's 2nd Grade

3-5 AR Points Class Champion for November: Mrs. Prince's 4th Grade

3-5 Vocabulary Class Champion for November: Mrs. Prince's 4th Grade

Race Track Update: 1st Place – 4th Grade Girls; 2nd Place – 5th Grade Girls; 3rd Place – 5th Grade Boys

“The more you **read**
the more **things** you know.
The more that you **learn**
the more **places** you'll go.”
-Dr. Seuss

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Parents,

Please take a few minutes to help GES reflect and improve. The survey link is below:

<https://goo.gl/forms/dyJF0klhcvivSHNO2>

Paper copies are available in the office.

Thank you!!!



Congratulations!!!

Olivia Ridgeway

GES Spelling Champ

Volunteers

If you are willing to become a volunteer to help our students, please complete the volunteer application and let us know of your interest. There is a link on our website and we have two computers in the lobby for you to use in the application process. Volunteer applications are also required to attend fieldtrips. If you have questions, contact Mrs. Gilmore in the office.

Please mark your calendars for these upcoming events!

Please Note the Changes*



December

- 7 – Progress Reports*
- 11 – School Advisory Council Meeting* 4 PM
- 11 – Title I Parent Night* 5:00PM
- 14 - ART Night ***Must pre-register***
- 14 – Pancakes & Pajamas Day
- 18 – Christmas Fieldtrip for all grades
- 19 – Last student day for 2018

January

- 3 – Teachers return to work
- 7 – Students return to school
- 16 – End of 1st Semester
- 21 – No School – MLK Day

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