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Bloomington Public Schools District 87

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Principal's Message

Happy New Year!

I hope you had an enjoyable holiday season with your family. We are happy to welcome the students back to school and are prepared for an exciting second half to the school year.

This Friday, students will bring home report cards documenting information about their progress in all areas during the 2nd quarter. Please review the information, then sign and return the comment card and envelope. If you have questions about your student's progress or information on the report card, please contact your child's teacher. The next scheduled Parent-Teacher Conference week is February 25-March 1, however, you may contact teachers with your questions or concerns at any time.

Sincerely,

Ms. Lambert

Please Call the Office to Report:

- Student absences for any reason.
- Changes in after-school plans.

Did You Know?

- **It is not too late!** If you have not taken The Illinois 5Essentials Parent Survey, the survey will remain open until January 18, 2019! Parents, guardians, or other caregivers with a child in grades prekindergarten through 12 should complete the parent survey. You can use this URL: <https://survey.5-essentials.org/illinois> to take the parent survey.

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Library News



If you are looking for some good online resources for your child to use outside of school, please visit our library website at <https://www.district87.org/domain/1855>. There are resource pages available for every grade level, a "Reference Resource" page for students who want to do research and a "Book Recommendation" page where students can recommend books to add to our school library.

Also, if you want to know about the different projects and topics your child is learning about in library there is a new Library Blog at <https://www.district87.org/domain/1877>.

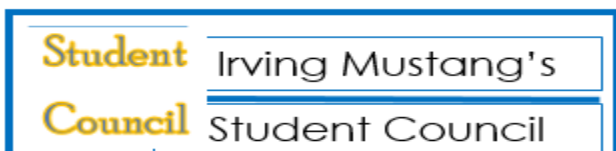
Elevate



Elevate (grades 3-5) winter session begins on Tuesday, January 15 at 7:45 a.m. The sessions will focus on character lessons and floor hockey. Elevate will meet on January 15, 16, 17, 22, 23, and 24th.

Permission slips are required.

Student Council



There will be no Student Council meeting this month.

Mark Your Calendars



- January 15th-Classroom and Group Picture Day
- January 21st- No School- Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
- January 31st-College Mentors for Kids Resumes meeting
- February 11th-No School-School Improvement Day
- February 6th-Student Council Meeting 8:15
- February 7th-BINGO night @Irving School.
- February 18th-No School-Presidents' Day

PTO



PTO meets the 2nd Wednesday of every month from 5:30-6:30 pm.

- Jan. 09th-Meet in teacher's workroom
- Feb. 13th-Meet at TBD location
- March 13th-Meet in teacher's workroom
- April 10th-Meet in teacher's workroom
- May 08th-Meet at TBD location