# GCS JR./SR. HIGH SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

### **PRINCIPAL HILTON**

### **DECEMBER 16, 2022**

### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

- Now-Dec. 23: Winter Walk Youth Art Exhibition
- Dec. 20: Jr./Sr. Winter Concert 7:00 P.M.
- Dec. 21: Q2 Progress Reports on Portal
- Dec. 22: Concert Snow Date
- Dec. 23-Jan. 2: Holiday Recess

## ATTENDANCE

One of our goals is to improve our attendance. All members of the school community (students, families, faculty and staff) are partners in this endeavor. We want all of our students here, every day.

Attendance 12/8-16 Grade 7: 87.3% Grade 8: 87.2% Grade 9: 88.96% Grade 10: 91.0% Grade 11: 90.2% Grade 12: 89.52% Total: 89.0715

# FROM THE COMMUNITY

#### **Germantown Library:**

Makerspace Holiday Cooking

- Sun, 12/18: 10 am 12 pm or 12 2 pm.
- · Downstairs in the Makerspace
- RSVP: germantownlibrary.org

We're celebrating the library's brand new kitchen by cooking up some delicious foods. We're offering two sessions to help us figure how many carrots to bring but you can stop by any time. We've got griddles and the super fun Thermomix on hand to help us make reindeer soup (made with sweet carrots and tasty ginger and zero reindeer) and Irish griddle bread. **PTSA:** 

The Reflections Contest is back at GCS! Students in grades PK-12 submit entries around the theme "Show Your Voice" in any of these categories. Local / national cash prizes available. Learn more: www.pta.org/home/programs/reflections



#### Germantown faced Greenville in Patroon Conference boys basketball action.

# WEEK IN REVIEW

The Girls and Boys Basketball teams had games on Monday and Wednesday, and there are more tonight; there are two games at Hudson. The boys JV team plays at 5, and the Boys' Varsity team plays at 6:30. The Girls' Varsity Team is hosting Hudson at Germantown at 6:30. The full schedule is available on the website. The National Honor Society met on Wednesday after school, and the History club met on Thursday. Clubs and programs often meet after school. We have a late bus every Monday, Wednesday and Thursday, which leaves the school about 3:40.

### **DISTRICT GOALS**

- **Goal 1:** Provide a Safe, Inclusive, Welcoming Environment for All.
- Goal 2: Promote Community Engagement.
- **Goal 3:** Strengthen and Implementation of Innovative K-12 Curriculum.
- Goal 4: Re-Establish Pre-Pandemic School Routines.