

FGMS: Spreading Holiday Cheer

December 2024 Newsletter



Forest Glen Principal



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FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK

Greetings Wildcat Families:

As the holiday season approaches, I want to send you warm wishes for a joyful and festive winter break! This is the perfect time to recharge, create cherished memories with loved ones, and celebrate all that we've accomplished together this year.

Looking back on this past semester, I couldn't be prouder of the incredible achievements our Wildcats have made, both in and out of the classroom. Their hard work and dedication shine brightly, and I can't wait to see all the amazing things they will accomplish in the year ahead.

On behalf of our entire staff and faculty here at The Glen, we wish you a holiday season filled with love, laughter, and plenty of holiday cheer. We're excited to welcome our students back on January 6, 2025, ready to kick off a fantastic new semester together!

Thank you for your continued support, and may your holidays be as vibrant and spirited as our Wildcat community!

Dr. Norris

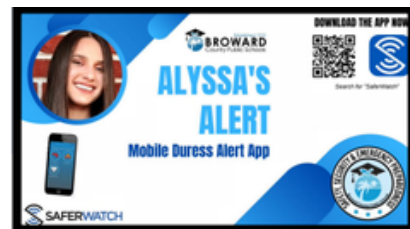
#StrongerTogether



Parent & Student Corner



At FGMS, we are promoting a safe culture by encouraging everyone, parents, students and staff, to say something if they see something. Saying something keeps us all SAFE. How? Use any of the apps below. They can be found in any APP store. You may also call the school at 754-322-3400 to report safety concerns, and/or send an email to any staff member.



FOREST GLEN MIDDLE SCHOOL PTO

How can you help our Wildcats?

1. JOIN FGMS PTO

\$10 Membership Fee

You can purchase merchandise & banners here as well. Membership is not a commitment to volunteer or donate.



2. VOLUNTEER FORM

All volunteers must fill out the Volunteer Form with Broward County Public Schools. Click at the top where it says: The online application for the 2023/24 school year is now available. To volunteer, all individuals must complete an application.



4. PTO MEETING

Join us every first Thursday of the month for our meetings in the Media Center at 6:00pm

5. FOLLOW US ON SOCIAL MEDIA

Facebook: @ForestGlenMiddleSchoolPTO
Instagram: @FGMSPTO

3. SIGN-UP TO VOLUNTEER AT EVENTS

All upcoming volunteer opportunities will be posted on our SignUp.com page.



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December Dates to Remember

- 4- Holiday Zone Choral Concert
- 5- Special Olympics
- 9- Volleyball Game vs Central Charter @ 4:30 pm (Home Game)
- 10- FAST PM 2 (Math)
- 11- FAST PM 2 (Reading)
- 11- Coral Springs Holiday Parade (Band & Cheerleaders)
- 9-11- Flag Football Tryouts
- 12- Volleyball Game vs Ramblewood @ 4:30 pm (Home Game)
- 13- KONA Ice (All Lunches)
- 16- Volleyball Game vs. Coral Springs Middle @ 4:30 pm (Away Game)
- 17- Band Winter Concert @ 7 pm
- 17- Volleyball Game vs. Renaissance Charter @ 4:30 pm (Home Game)
- 18- SGA Movie Night @ 6 pm
- 19- School Advisory Council (SAC) Meeting @ 8:35 am in Media Center
- 23-Jan. 3- Winter Break



SCHOOL
SUPERVISION
HOURS ARE FROM
8:30 AM- 4:30 PM

Friendly Reminders

ID Badges are required daily. Badges should be on & visible all day, everyday.
Check FOCUS weekly.



WILDCAT WINTERFEST

12/16 Merry Monday

Candy Cane Style - Red and White

12/17 Tinsel Tuesday

Shine Bright in Blue, Silver, and White



12/18 Winter Wonderland Wednesday

Don your Holiday Headgear



12/19 Thermal and Flannel Thursday

Sport your holiday sweater or flannel



12/20 Festive Friday

Pajama Day!





Reading



During the month of December, we are excited to be starting Part 2 of our HMH Read 180 Workshop One. Students will be learning about the important role of activists and activism. Students will be immersed in text pieces that will increase their proficiency with summarizing.

We are also excited to be involved in various "Book Study" sessions with famous authors who share the background behind their latest novels and provide us with their strategies for writing.

Students will be assessed using our Mid-Map Growth Assessment which provides us with the data we need to ensure they are on the appropriate pathway for success.

Please encourage your students to share with you what they are learning and encourage students to read at home. We hope all of our students will develop a love of reading.

Junior Honor Society



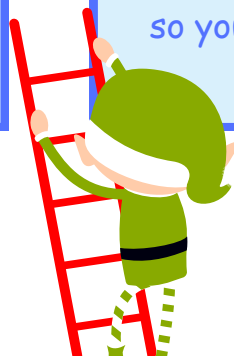
Junior Honor Society has been busy giving back this semester. They sponsored multiple children through Heroes Hub for the Christmas PJ project. Mila Tam and her family attended a beach cleanup in Fort Lauderdale with One Beautiful World. Members packed fortified Manna meals with Feed My Starving Children. They also attended multiple trunk or treat events for Halloween and collected donations for Hurricane Relief with Heroes Hub.



Media Center



We are up to nearly 20% of our annual goal for minutes read this year on Beanstack! Keep logging those minutes and earning badges and prizes from Ms. Orbesen. Ana Lopez Mazo was our big raffle winner in November. We have had fun learning with Kwame Alexander and his live author studies. We have hundreds of brand new books available for checkout. Stop in and check one out so you can keep reading over winter break.





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