

GCS JR./SR. HIGH SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

PRINCIPAL HILTON

JANUARY 20, 2023

UPCOMING EVENTS

- Jan. 25: Elective Recital 7 pm
- Jan. 25-27: NHS Carnation Sale
- Jan. 27: End of Quarter 2
- Jan. 30: Students in grades 5-8 will be viewing Angst
- Feb. 1: Senior Night, recognizing Hunter Kilmer
- Feb. 3: All-County Jazz Festival Concert 7 pm
- Feb. 7: Community showing, Angst 5:30 pm
- Feb. 9: Senior Night, recognizing Marissa Cidras

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 Jan. 12-19
Grade 7: 94.1%
Grade 8: 93.2%
Grade 9: 92.8%
Grade 10: 100%
Grade 11: 95.8%
Grade 12: 94.8%
Total: 95.1%

FROM THE COMMUNITY

PTSA:

The Reflections Contest is back at GCS!
Students in grades PK-12 submit entries around the theme "Show Your Voice" in any category: Dance Choreography, Film Production, Literature, Music Composition, Photography, Visual Arts. Local and national cash prizes available. More info in the coming weeks. More: www.pta.org/home/programs/reflections



The JV boys basketball team faced Rensselaer while the girls modified team played Catskill this week.

WEEK IN REVIEW

Last Friday, the Boys Varsity Basketball team beat Coxsackie-Athens 58-51! On Monday, school was closed for Martin Luther King, Jr. Day. On Tuesday, the Boys JV and Varsity Basketball teams played at home, and the girls played away. On Wednesday, after school buybacks were held (open to all students).

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.