Upcoming Events

Tuesday, October 1: Genesee PTP Meeting, 5:00 p.m. @ Genesee Elementary Library

> Thursday, October 10: School Picture Day

Monday, October 14: Columbus Day - NO SCHOOL

Wednesday, October 23: District Rope Jumping Contest, 3:30 p.m. @ Seward Elementary

> October 23-31: Red Ribbon Week www.redribbon.org

Thursday, October 31: Halloween Parade, 10:45 a.m.

October 30-31: Parent/Teacher Conferences Students will be dismissed at 11:30 a.m. both days. Please be sure to schedule a time to meet with your child's teacher.

> Friday, November 1: Staff Development Day NO SCHOOL for students

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FROM THE PRINCIPAL:

Dear Genesee Families,

We have had a great start to the school year! I have enjoyed meeting students, parents, and family members! We had a fun PBIS (Positive Behavioral Interventions and Supports) event on September 6 with our PRIDE Kickoff. PRIDE at Genesee means the following: **P**roductive Struggle, **R**espect, In Control, **D**edication, and **E**mpathy in all areas of the school.

Students made class banners and the leadership group from last year donated a "buddy bench" for our playground. This PRIDE Kickoff was featured as a "Cool Schools" segment on NewsChannel 9 which was very exciting to see!

The Harriet Tubman Singers marched in the Rochester City Suffragist Parade on September 14. They performed two of their songs in a park at the end of the parade. We are very proud of them!

I am looking forward to a great school year! Genesee Elementary is a wonderful school and you should feel proud to be a part of it!

Sincerely, Heather Costello

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PBIS Kickoff Parade

Our classes showed great PRIDE at our PBIS kickoff!







Anonymous Alerts

Anonymous Alerts is an online system accessed via our website, www.aecsd.education, that allows students to quickly, easily, and anonymously report strange behavior and information to school officials.

Possible incidents to report could include:

- Bullying/cyberbullying
- Family difficulties
- Self-harm
- Drug and alcohol abuse
- Student depression

The best way to address problems faced in school is by telling a teacher, principal, psychologist, or counselor. However, we do understand that sometimes a student may want to communicate something anonymously. The most important thing to remember is: See something, Do something!

All reports submitted through Anonymous Alerts remain completely anonymous, but students do have the option to reveal their identity. The program is monitored from 8:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m. on school days, but it is very important to understand that school officials will not be on the system every minute. Anonymous Alerts should only be used for serious matters, but if something seems disturbing or life threatening, call 911 immediately.



Bright futures begin with good school attendance

Please make sure your student is in school whenever possible. Every day is a gift of education.

If your child is not present, please call the main office at (315) 255-8640 to report his or her absence.

Please help us reduce chronic absence. For more information, please visit: www.everystudentpresent.org/parents

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Back to School!

We had so much fun welcoming our students back for the first day of the new school year!



