



GRANTFORK GAZETTE



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HOME OF THE PANTHERS



We are one week away from 3rd quarter midterms – they will come home next Friday, February 4th! Your child should be half way to his/her AR goal at that time.

Every year, we participate in a roller skating unit in PE classes. Permission slips are coming home today – **please fill them out (especially the shoe size) and return them to school along with the \$10 fee by February 11th.** If you need to write a check, please make it payable to Grantfork Elementary!

The Illinois State Board of Education is administering the Illinois 5Essentials Survey again this year. This is your opportunity to give feedback on how your school is doing. You can anonymously bring attention to issues & concerns. Please take some time & fill it out. The window to participate will only be open for a short period of time. The website is: <http://survey.5-essentials.org/illinois/survey/parent/>

Please mark your calendars for April 5-13. These are the dates all grades will be doing IAR (Illinois Assessment of Readiness) testing! 5th graders will also take the IAR Science test on April 27th & 28th. Please do not take your child out of school for appointments or vacations during this time. These tests are taken as a class & are difficult to make-up!

Have a great weekend!

Upcoming Events

January

28 – Solo & Ensemble permission/fee due
28 – Skating in PE permission slip comes home

February

4 – half day teacher in-service 11:50 dismissal
4 – 3Q midterms come home
11 – Skating Permission slip & fee DUE
21 – No School – President's Day



Check out the
calendar above for
important events!

Quote of the week:

“Be good to people – you will be remembered more for your kindness than any level of success you could possibly attain!!”

Mandy Hale

VIP Word for January: HONESTY – doing all you can for others!