

Week 27: March 8, 2024

CMMS Electronic Announcement Board

State testing is coming soon! Please take a look at the letters linked below for more information pertaining to the Illinois Assessment of Readiness. Students will participate in this assessment right after spring break! Today during our core classes students participated in practice tests and teachers reviewed test taking strategies. Students can help themselves grow by daily practice in math on ALEKS and in reading on ACHIEVE. 8th graders will additionally be completing the Illinois Science Assessment during the same testing window. Please reach out to your child's teachers if you have any questions about testing.

State Testing Information: Please read the attached letters for more information about this year's standardized testing taking place in April 2024. Click blue links!

6th, 7th & 8th Grade	8th Grade ONLY
23-24 IAR Parent Letter (English) (1).pdf	23-24 ISA Parent Letter (English) (1).pdf
23-24 IAR Parent Letter (Spanish) (1).pdf	23-24 ISA Parent Letter (Spanish) (1).pdf

Congratulations to Shane Goldstein, our CMMS Spelling Bee Champion who participated in the Will County Spelling Bee Last Night! Shane did a great job representing our school!!

We hope to see you at Parent Teacher Conferences next week!!

Please join us for a quick check in on your child 's progress this year. Advisory teachers and case managers are ready to review Winter NWEA/MAP data with you and update you on your child 's academic progress this year.

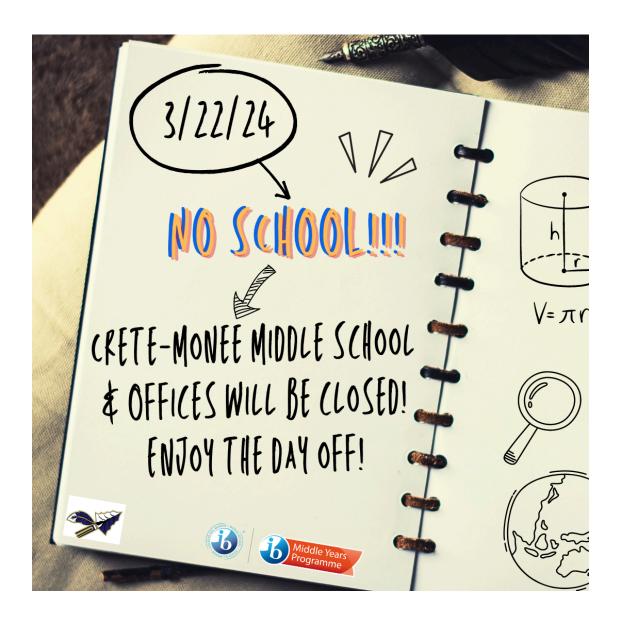
First 50 families to attend that evening will be entered to win a \$50 Amazon Gift Card!





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Starting to Plan for the Summer?? Click <u>HERE</u> for more information about Youth Summer Theater Camps @ GSU!







HELP our National Junior Honor Society!!

!CMMS Shoe Drive!

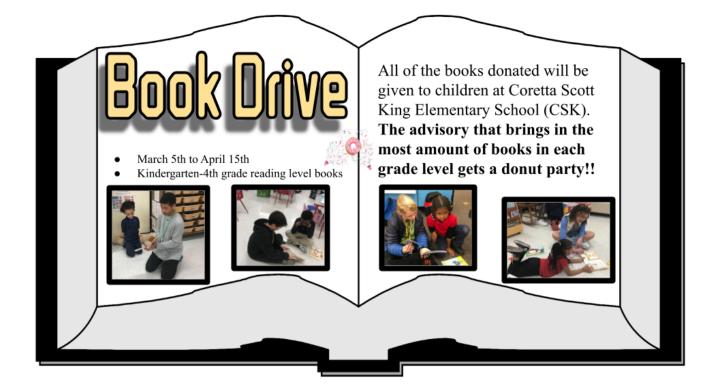


Have you grown out of your old shoes? If so, consider donating them to the NJHS shoe drive! March 5 to April 12



We need your help! Donate as many shoes as you can for the NJHS shoe drive! We take ALL used shoes - children's, men's, women's of ANY style

Best part - any advisory that collects 25 or more pairs will be entered into a raffle for <u>open gym</u>. Together we can collect shoes for people in need!





Thank you to all of the parents who have already completed our IL 5 Essentials Parent Survey! Please complete the survey & enter to WIN! This week 's winners are: <mark>Kayla</mark> Barbosa & Ava Diette.

ENTER TODAY!!



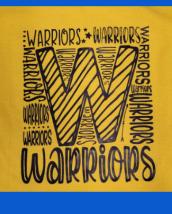
TAKE THE ILLINOIS 5ESSENTIALS SURVEY TODAY & BE ENTERED TO WIN WEEKLY PRIZES OR ONE OF OUR GRAND PRIZES !!



Weekly Raffle

TURN IN YOUR SURVEY CONFIRMATION TO MS. CHRISOS BY THE DATES LISTED BELOW AND YOUR CHILD WILL BE ENTERED TO WIN ONE OF OUR EXCLUSIVE WARRIORS T-SHIRTS! ONLY A LIMITED NUMBER OF SHIRTS WILL BE AWARDED! WEEKLY DEADLINES:

- FEBRUARY 1
- FEBRUARY 8
- FEBRUARY 15
- FEBRUARY 22
- FEBRUARY 29
- MARCH 7
- MARCH 14
- MARCH 21



Grand Prize Raffle

ALL COMPLETED SURVEY ENTRIES WILL BE ENTERED INTO OUR GRAND PRIZE RAFFLE! YOUR FAMILY COULD WIN:

- OLIVE GARDEN DINNER ON US
- EMAGINE THEATER GIFT CARD
- URBAN AIR GIFT CARD
- AMAZON GIFT CARD

Do you have more than one student in our building? Complete the survey for each of your students for more opportunities to win!

Want to order some cool CM2O1U Gear? Click here for our CMMS: <u>WARRIORS</u> <u>STORE</u>



SHOW YOUR SCHOOL SPIRIT!

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Get your school spirit gear and share your school pride!

IMPORTANT! 8th Grade Information

8th Grade Information—ALL EVENTS & ACTIVITIES—PLEASE READ

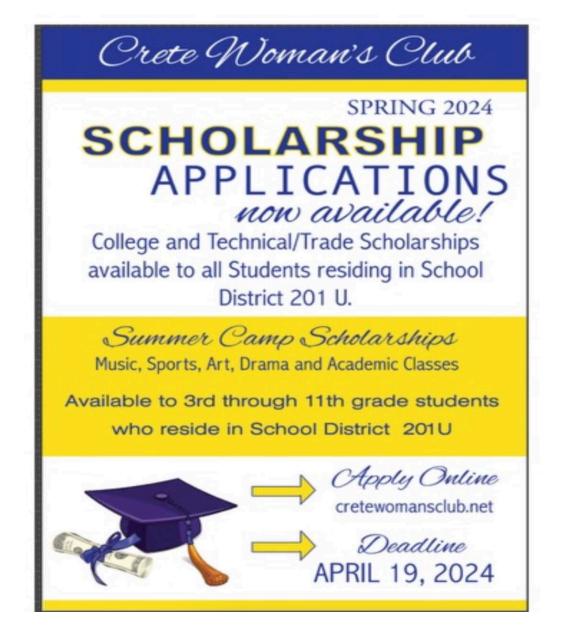
- CMMS 8th Grade Information_2024_English .docx.pdf
- EMMS 8th Grade Information_2024_Spanish.docx.pdf

Mark your Calendars!

- Thursday, March 21, 2024 Spring Parent Teacher Conferences 5-8 pm @ CMMS
- Friday, March 22, 2024 NO SCHOOL/School Holiday
- Wednesday, March 27, 2024 PTO Meeting @ 6pm
- Friday, March 29, 2024 NO SCHOOL/School Holiday
- Monday, April 1st-Friday, April 5th NO SCHOOL/SPRING BREAK
- Monday, April 8, 2024 SCHOOL RESUMES IAR Testing Begins
- Friday, April 12, 2024 7th Grade Springfield Trip
- Wednesday, April 24, 2024 11:30 AM Dismissal Day for Students & School Improvement Day for Staff
 - Annual Career Day,



Monday, 3/18	Tuesday, 3/19	Wednesday, 3/20	Thursday, 3/21	Friday, 3/22
Day 5-Orange	Day 1-Red	Day 2-Blue	Day 3-Green	NO
After School IMSA 6th Grade (Rm	After School Spanish Club (Rm 200)	After School HIGH IMPACT TUTORING	After School HIGH IMPACT TUTORING	SCHOOL
410) IMSA 7th Grade E-Journalism (Rm 116)	IMSA 8th Grade Gloria J. Taylor (Rm 99) FIne Arts Club (Rm 404)	Student Council Mtg. (Rm 118) Chess Club Practice (Rm	Battle of the Books Track & Field Practice	Enjoy
Math Club (Rm 112) Track & Field Practice Track & Field Photo	Track & Field Practice	120) Track & Field @ Columbia Central vs. Huth, Columbia & Obama (4:15 pm)	Spring Parent Teacher Conferences 5-8 pm @ CMMS	your extra day off!!





Please check the following	Community Resources! Please check the following links for community resources or events that may be of interest to your family [.]		
	 English - Community Health, Education, Jobs and Trades Resource Fair Flyer.pdf SPANISH - Community Health, Education, Jobs and Trades Resource Fair Flyer.pdf 		
<u>Home Weatherization_ENG</u> <u>Home Weatherization_SP</u>	<u>GSU Legal Clinic</u>		
Community Closet <u>Richton Park</u>	Illinois Welcome Flier English & Spanish		
Food Pantry List (Spanish)	Schoolhouse Counseling (Spanish)		
Catholic Charities Re	Catholic Charities Rent & Mortgage Assistance		
Will County Center for Community Concerns			

KEY REMINDERS:

- **DRESS CODE UPDATE**: Please take a moment to review our **REVISED STUDENT DRESS CODE** with your child.
- ID's: All students received a color coded ID and lanyard. It is the student's responsibility to wear both around their neck at all times during the school day and on our buses. Your account will automatically be charged \$5 every time a replacement ID/lanyard needs to be issued.
- <u>Clear Backpacks</u>: ALL students have received their school issued CLEAR Backpacks. <u>CMMS Backpack Expectations</u> were reviewed and all students received a physical copy as well. Every student has the same backpack, so to help with any confusion, we welcome your child individualizing their bag by adding a distinctive sticker or name tag to their backpack.
- <u>Cell Phones</u>: All cell phones and non-school issued electronic devices need to be turned off and put away during the school day. Students who fail to adhere to this expectation will be subject to Board sanctioned consequences.
 <u>cm201u-cell-policy-flyer.pdf</u>
- **<u>Chromebooks</u>**: Students are expected to bring their charged chromebook daily. If your child has LOST their charger, please purchase a replacement on Amazon. Click on the appropriate grade level to go straight to the website.
 - <u>6th Grade Charger</u> <u>7th & 8th Grade Charger</u>
- **Water Bottles**: We have bottle fillers located throughout the building. It is up to your child to bring in a filled OR refillable water bottle from home, particularly on hot days. Please make sure your child's name is clearly written on their bottle.

CMMS Contact List: Please take a moment to save this list for any future needs that you may have. This is contact information for our Administrative Team, Secretarial Staff, Grade Level Counselors, Pupil Personnel Services Staff and Instructional Facilitators. <u>CMMS Office Staff Directory & Contact Information</u>

Parental Involvement Information:

- REVIEW and SIGN OFF on the Parent, Student & Staff Compact Form
- REVIEW our <u>Student & Family Handbook</u> with your child
- CHECK Family Access WEEKLY! Grades are updated every week!
- Join the PTO: 🚾 CMMS PTO Membership Form 8.2023.docx

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Spring Break

March 29th-April 5th School Resumes on Monday, April 8, 2024



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