March/April Dates and Activities

March is here and it is a busy month! In an effort to prepare for Leap testing for faculty and staff, we have made adjustments to dismissal times on some school days. Please review the schedule and dismissal times for March and April.

**March**

13- Parent/Teacher Conferences (12:30-4:30) - No School for Students
   **this is the last scheduled conference for this year**

18- Last Day for Enrichment for Students (4pm dismissal)

19- Noon Dismissal for Students - Staff PD 12:30-3:30

20- GSS Golf Tournament - No School for Students

**March 30 thru April 8- LEAP Testing - Late arrivals are not permitted during testing time.**

April 9-13- Easter Holidays - No school for students

**Beginning on March 23rd- Student dismissal is at 3pm Monday thru Friday until the last day of the school year. No early dismissal after 2:30 p.m. Late fees apply for any student dismissed after 3:15.**
As we prepare for LEAP testing and the end of the school year, we are asking for your support and reminders of the school expectations as stated in the handbook.

**Cell Phone Policy**- Any student that brings a cell phone to school MUST turn it in upon arrival. The phone is labeled with the student name and locked up until it is distributed at dismissal. NO cell phone possession or usage by any student is allowed on campus (including in restrooms and dismissal time) at ANYTIME.

**If necessary, students are allowed to use the school office phone at their recess/lunch time ONLY.**

**Snacks or drinks are NOT allowed anywhere on campus.**

**Arrival/Dismissal Reminders: The safety of our students is our priority. We appreciate your review of the following information in order to ensure the safety of everyone at GSS.**

There is no student drop off on Agriculture Street during morning carpool. If you prefer to walk your student to the gate, please park on the side street and walk safely across the street.

Late arrival- All students must be signed in the front office after the carpool gate is closed. There is no student drop off at the front of school. A parent/guardian should accompany the student and follow the proper sign in procedure.

No parking on Agriculture Street at anytime during morning arrival and afternoon dismissal.