



## CENTER DRIVE SCHOOL

### *HOME OF THE EAGLES*

To: Members of the School Committee

Fm: Judy Marvin, Principal

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I am writing this on the last day before the Thanksgiving holiday. We know how quickly the next big holiday comes upon us. I hope everyone has a restful Thanksgiving and is ready to take on the next busy season!

Our school is buzzing in anticipation of the upcoming winter sport season and our two holiday concerts. With all of this comes a building filled with parents, grandparents and community members. I am proud to show off what Center Drive is all about.

By December break all continuing contract teachers will have had two mini-observations. All probationary teachers will have had one formal observation and two mini-observations. I have been very busy visiting classrooms, writing up observations and having pre and post conferences with the teachers. I continue to be impressed with the instruction that I see on a daily basis with our students. I see more and more teachers using I Can statements with their students, work that we have been developing through our Assessment Literacy and Science instruction. I observe small group and one to one interventions taking place, work that we have been developing through Response to Intervention. I think all of this is reflected in the NWEA scores that I shared last month with all of you.

The Fall Coach Feedback forms have been distributed to both parents and students. I will now analyze these in order to have the necessary end of season conversations with the coaches.

Have a wonderful holiday with your families!