Good morning, Gateway! Welcome to the Gateway Broadcast News (GBN). Today is Wednesday, March 12, 2025.

_____ This coming Monday, March 17th, is St. Patrick's Day! Your Leadership class has come up with a fun spirit day and whole school activity! We're celebrating on Monday with a Green, Gold & Rainbow Spirit Day! Deck yourself out in green, gold, or rainbow attire! Shirts, socks, hats—get creative and colorful! Show your school spirit and bring some St. Paddy's Day magic to our halls! And there's a competition too! Leprechaun pots filled with gold chocolate coins will be hidden in classrooms and throughout the school! If you find one, you get to keep the gold! The catch is you MUST be wearing green in to keep the pot. If you're not wearing green your teacher will get to take the pot back and hide it again for their next class!

_____ Our Shamrock Book Swap is happening today in the library! Attention 6th graders: If you signed up for the event, please grab your lunch first today and bring it to the library. It will take the full lunch period, so we will eat together while we do the book swap. 7th grade: The event is canceled for your grade level today. 8th grade: please eat your lunch in the cafeteria as usual and then meet in the library when you are excused.

_____ T-shirts are now available for purchase. Another big congratulations to our design winners! If you would like to buy a grade-level shirt for \$15, they are now up for purchase through the gateway website. Instructions are posted on the student Canvas page; shirts are available now through the 21st.

___ The following clubs meet today after school:

- Fandom meets in room 304.
- Musical Theatre meets in room 401.
- Study club meets in the Library; remember to sign up on the blue list in the Commons and include details of what you plan to work on.
- Remember to sign up for the Activity Bus by the end of 8th grade lunch if you need a ride home.

____ Cooking Club meets virtually from 4 – 5 pm. Check your email for the Zoom link.

_____ The following clubs will meet tomorrow after school: AV, Study, and Youth & Government. Remember to arrange transportation in advance or sign up for the Activity Bus if you need a ride home.

Congratulations to our 7th grade girls who won their final game of the season last night, at home against Olympic View by a score of 45 -10. Mason, Sage, and Lilly provided some amazing post to post passing and scoring for a combined 16 points. Ivory led well and had double digit scoring. Calista and Theona each chipped in 6 points. Additional scoring was provided by Penelope and Eunseul. Great defense and team play was contributed by Tanya, Shelby, Ashlene, and Aditi. Thank you, girls, for at tremendous season, finishing with a record of 7 and 1. We are so proud of you!!! Coach Forsyth and Baker

_____ The 8th grade girls battled against an undefeated team from Olympic View. Though the girls lost 48 to 38, they played amazingly and kept the game close all the way through. Trisha, Courtlyn and Sarah all contributed in scoring to add to the game high total of 23 from Camille. All girls contributed on defense and a highlight of the game was Zainab's defense and shot blocking. This season made coaches proud, and it is hard to imagine a group that improved more since last year, and throughout the season.

_____ The Gateway Guardian wrestling team started the season yesterday on the road at Explorer Middle School. The speed of this dual meet was one for the ages, as all but one match ended in a 1st round pin. As a team we were short a few wrestlers , but the ones who wrestled represented well! Victories were recorded by Aiden Kao, Jalen Gonio, Logan Keller, Ivan Ovechko, and Nolan Morgan in win-by-pin decisions, accounting for 30 of our teams 48 points! We are hoping to have a few more wrestlers eligible for our 1st home meet of the season later this week, so join us on Thursday, March 13, as we take on cross-district rival Eisenhower Middle School. Wrestling begins at 3:45pm. We anticipate seeing many of you there to support!

Remember, Students, to be kind and respectful – it's the GATEWay!