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DEAR BMS FAMILIES.

HAPPY 2025! WELCOME TO A NEW YEAR! WE ARE SO EXCITED ABOUT WHAT NEW BEGINNINGS ARE ON THE HORIZON AND LOOK FORWARD TO CONTINUING THE POSITIVE MOMENTUM FROM THE FIRST HALF OF THE YEAR. I MET WITH EACH GRADE LEVEL TO WELCOME THEM BACK TO THE BUILDING. WE DISCUSSED HOW EVERYONE HAS A CLEAN SLATE-STRAIGHT AS AND ZERO TARDIES-TO START 2025 AND HOW THEY ARE THE ONES WHO GET TO DECIDE WHERE THEY GO FROM HERE. WE BELIEVE IN OUR STUDENTS AND KNOW THEY ARE CAPABLE OF GREATNESS.

NWEA TESTING TIME IS HERE AGAIN! STUDENTS WILL TAKE THE SECOND ROUND OF NWEA TESTING OVER THE NEXT FEW WEEKS. DURING THIS TIME, CHROMEBOOKS WILL NOT COME HOME. WE WANT TO ENSURE THEY ARE CHARGED AND READY EACH DAY FOR TESTING. WE ARE EXCITED TO SEE OUR STUDENTS' ACADEMIC GROWTH, STUDENTS WHO REACH THEIR NWEA WINTER TARGET WILL RECEIVE AN INCENTIVE! ONCE TESTING IS COMPLETE. WE WILL SEND HOME THE RESULTS WITH STUDENTS.

JANUARY CAN BRING SOME VERY INTERESTING WEATHER IN MICHIGAN. PLEASE REMEMBER THAT IF THERE ARE SCHOOL CLOSINGS OR DELAYS, THE INFORMATION WILL BE SENT TO LOCAL NEWS STATIONS, POSTED ON BUCHANAN COMMUNITY SCHOOL'S SOCIAL MEDIA, AND YOU WILL GET AN AUTO-DIALER PHONE CALL/TEXT MESSAGE/EMAIL. IF YOU HAVE NOT RECEIVED ANY AUTO-DIALERS THIS YEAR, PLEASE CONTACT THE OFFICE SO WE CAN ENSURE YOUR INFORMATION IS CORRECT IN THE SYSTEM. THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT AS WE CONTINUE TO FOSTER STUDENT LEARNING TO LEAD TOWARD ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT AND EXCELLENCE! GO, BUCKS!



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