



Communication Sources

School Website

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517-467-2168

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## Coming Up

March is Reading Month!

March 16 & 17, 11:10am dismissal

March 16, Parent Teacher Conferences

March 23 Talent Show Public Performance

March 27-31, No School Spring Break

“Once you learn to read, you will be forever free.” — Frederick Douglass

## HOME CONNECTION

NWEA- what does it mean?

When students finish their NWEA MAP Growth test, they receive a number called a RIT score for each area they are tested in (reading, language usage, math, or science). This score represents a student's achievement level at any given moment and helps measure their academic growth over time. The RIT scale is a stable scale, like feet and inches, that accurately measures student performance, regardless of age, grades, or grade level. Like marking height on a growth chart, and being able to see how tall your child is at various points in time, you can also see how much they have grown between tests. Click [here](#) for more info.

## SPOTLIGHT ON:

### Family Input!

Please watch your email for our annual family survey. Our staff use this information to improve!

A poster for Onsted Middle School's After School Tutoring program. The poster is white with purple and black text. It features various mathematical formulas and diagrams in the background, including  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{x^n}{n!}$ ,  $\int (x \pm a^2)$ ,  $e=2.79$ ,  $\phi = \sqrt{\frac{\sum (x-m)^2}{n}}$ ,  $\cos$ ,  $\ln/x$ ,  $\frac{3a}{x}$ ,  $2x^2 +$ ,  $2ax +$ ,  $1/2 =$ ,  $(2a)$ ,  $\ln = \sqrt{axb}$ ,  $\frac{\Delta x}{\Delta z}$ ,  $\ln + b$ ,  $\sin a - b$ ,  $S_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 10 & 0 \\ 10 & 1 \\ 00 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ , and  $\beta$ . The text on the poster reads: 'ONSTED MIDDLE SCHOOL', 'AFTER SCHOOL TUTORING', 'Needing academic support?', 'REGISTER BY CONTACTING THE GUIDANCE OFFICE AT (517) 467-2168.', 'Tutoring sessions are facilitated by the teaching staff and will occur on Tuesdays and Thursdays in the Middle School Media Center from 3-4. Sessions will begin the week of February 13th.', 'Students must be registered prior to session start, come prepared, and have transportation. No walk-ins will be allowed.'