



Nippersink District 2
Board of Education



The mission of Nippersink District 2 is to foster academic growth, instill integrity, confidence, and civic responsibility while preparing all students for an ever-changing global society.



Curriculum:

IAR Spring Training and the IAR - students and staff around RGS are getting ready for the Illinois Assessment of Readiness taking place in early March. Our spring training consists of test taking strategies, test prep and review, and students grades 3-5, have a daily, positive notes of affirmation, walk up songs during the announcements, spring training themed school lunches and more to help keep their positive energy and stamina going through testing. Test dates - RGS, SGE and NMS: Math sections 1-3, March 3-5, 2026, Reading will be March 10 and 11, 2026. Students who missed testing will make up those days upon their return. We recommend on days students are testing they get a good night's sleep, hearty breakfast, and to bring their water bottle to school with them.

Celebrations:

Kindness Month and the 100th Day of School: RGS has been celebrating kindness the whole month of February! Staff and students have been using a variety of curricular resources that have been gathered and shared by staff to bring kindness to our classrooms, hallways, cafeteria, playground and buses. We also celebrated the 100th Day of School by counting to 100 and dressing up.



Student Council Candygrams and Valentine's Day Cards:

Student Council spread kindness and cheer this month with their annual candygram sales and Valentine's Day cards. They sold 500 candygrams this year, which were delivered throughout the week. Students also created Valentine's Day cards for seniors in assisted living across the county. This sweet show of kindness did not go unnoticed!



Upcoming Dates

- March 3rd-5th - IAR Math
- March 6th - SIP Day
- March 10-11th - IAR ELA
- March 12th - Student Council Skate Night at Skate on Grand, 6-8pm
- March 19th - 2nd Grade Concert
- March 23-27 - Spring Break