



# GIS NEWSLETTER

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## New teacher joins GIS

We are pleased to inform you that a new teacher has joined GIS this week. Mr Scott Gericke will teach Grade 1 for the rest of this academic year. A dual citizen of South Africa and Ireland, he has worked at schools in South Africa, the UK and most recently Singapore. This week, Mr Gericke is shadowing Mrs Rasen to ensure a smooth transition for all involved. We would like to take this opportunity to thank Mrs Rasen and Ms Kaczor for their outstanding work in Grade 1 for the past few months.

## Grade 1 report cards

Grade 1 report cards were released last week on Managebac. Parents need to log into the system to access the report. All new parents were sent an invitation at the beginning of this academic year with a link to create a secure password. You may want to check your spam box for an email from Managebac. Please contact Mr Armanski if you are unable to access Managebac.

## Applying to high schools

This is a reminder that Ms Tone Breivik, a careers advisor from Gjøvik High School, will be available to interested Grade 10 students at GIS on 17 and 19 February to review their applications and ensure they are ready to be submitted. Please follow the [link](#) to book a session with Ms Breivik. As you will see, there are fewer sessions than students but, following a quick survey, we found out not all students were interested in the opportunity. If you are unable to find a free session but would like to book an appointment, please contact Mr Armanski at [adam.armanski@gjovikis.no](mailto:adam.armanski@gjovikis.no) The deadline to book an appointment is the end of Thursday this week.

## School support contact details

If you have any questions about the matters below, please contact the relevant person:

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