

Elementary Board Report September 2023

We had a great start to the school year! The focus of the first week of school was on teaching our PBIS expectations. We've introduced student of the week and student of the month. Grade levels have also introduced their TRIBE Carts to students.

We have begun our FAST testing for reading and math. The screening window closes at the end of the month. We use this data to help create our intervention groups and guide our instruction. We have restructured our master schedule to strengthen our reading intervention time.

Ms. Dunagan had our TK-4th grade students work together in creating a whole school mural. It has over 350 butterflies and is hanging across from the art room. They are now creating dots in celebration of International Dot Day.

Mrs. Thronson has pushed into classrooms helping introduce Seesaw to students and provided staff with the Seesaw updates today during professional development.

Mrs. Koster took her kindergarten class on a music walk to explore what music they could hear outside.

School pictures will be this week. We are excited to work through this process with a new company, Best Impressions Photography.

We are settling into a good routine with Little Sprouts in the building. We've had good communication and have been able to work through any hiccups together. It's been a really great partnership. As a parent I appreciate having the wrap around care at the elementary school.

