## **DIXON PUBLIC SCHOOLS #170**

"A Place to Grow"

www.dps170.org

## BUILDING REPORTS - Sept. 15, 2021 Board meeting

## **Events/activities at Dixon High School**

STAR Testing is complete and we are in the process of grouping students by skill. Homecoming dance will be September 25th on the Riverfront from 8 - 11 p.m.

### **Events/activities at Madison School**

# 5<sup>th</sup> grade band tryouts coming soon!

5<sup>th</sup> grade beginner band students will get the opportunity to test out band instruments in their general music class in the coming days. We hope to have many students sign up for this great opportunity!



Lots of great hands on learning happening at Madison School!

Students have participated in STEM challenges, computer games, math partner games, and many more activities as they get hands on opportunities to apply what they are learning and build teamwork!









# Getting to know you in music!

Each student made a personalized note for the board as Ms. Purlee gets to know her students in music class. Looking forward to a fun year in music at Madison!!!



# **CLEAR** training and consultation continue

We kicked off the year with CLEAR training for all staff reviewing the past year's content. Dr. Cunningham was also available to teachers as they set up their rooms in an effort to make spaces "trauma informed."



Beautiful art and getting to know you!

Students in Mrs. Bork's class showing their artistic talent and getting to know each other through self portraits!



# 4<sup>th</sup> grade team building!

Our 4<sup>th</sup> grade team shows style and team spirit as they matched each other this past Friday!



## **Events/activities at Washington School**

### **CLEAR Social Emotional Program:**

Dr. Beth Cunningham is a Clinical Psychologist, from Florissa, that has been trained by CLEAR to provide Washington and Madison Schools a variety of Social Emotional supports throughout the school year and beyond. Dr. Cunningham provided staff with consult days on August 4<sup>th</sup>, August 26<sup>th</sup>, September 2<sup>nd</sup>, and will provide a day on September 23<sup>rd</sup>. These days are used to discuss various student issues with teachers and develop programming. Dr. Cunningham also provided professional development on August 13th. This ongoing student/staff training, and consultation, will continue in October.

### STAR 360 Testing

Kindergarten and 1<sup>st</sup> Grade STAR 360 testing was completed on September 3<sup>rd</sup>. Title I Staff and teachers are currently administering 1:1 CBM testing to all students. Staff hopes to have most of those tests wrapped up by September 10th. Staff professional development to help better interpret this STAR 360 data will occur on September 22, 2021 during our School Improvement ½ Day.

### **ALICE Training**

Washington's entire staff had ALICE (Alert, Lockdown, Inform, Counter, and Evacuate) training with Officer Lamandola and Officer Dempsey from the Dixon Police Department on August 13, 2021. The officers reviewed the previous ALICE plan and the plans for enhancements to the ALICE program.

### **Registered Students:**

- 80 Pre-K students have registered
- -188 Kindergarten students registered
- -159 1st Grade students registered

### **SeeSaw Communication Data up to September 7, 2021:**

- -128,160 Posts Added
- -23,254 Comments made on student work
- -53,390 Likes of Students Work
- -25,428 Visits by Family Members
- -539 Guardians are connected to SeeSaw