



Cougar News



IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

**Mon. 1/17 - NO
SCHOOL; Martin
Luther King Jr. Day**

**Tue. 1/18 - 4:00
Beginning Band
Rehearsal @ RMS**

**Thur. 1/20 - 4:00
Advanced Band
Rehearsal @ RMS**

**Mon. 1/24 - NO
SCHOOL; Teacher
Workshop Day**

January 14, 2022



School Hours: 8 am - 3 pm

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Absences:

When your child is absent. Please call the school office (603) 332-2146. Leave your name, your child's name, the child's teacher's name and reason for absence. If we do not hear from you, district policy states we will call you. This is for your child's safety.

**Table Talk: Ask how
they did on their
assessment.**

Lunch Menu Link
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East Rochester School Expectations	
BE SAFE	
I will make safe and appropriate choices.	I will demonstrate behavior that is considerate of the community, the school and myself.
BE RESPONSIBLE	
I will be on time to fulfill my daily commitments.	I will be actively engaged in my learning by asking questions, collaborating and seeking solutions.
BE RESPECTFUL	
I will be truthful and accountable for my choices.	I will show respect and encourage the right to teach and the right to learn at all times.



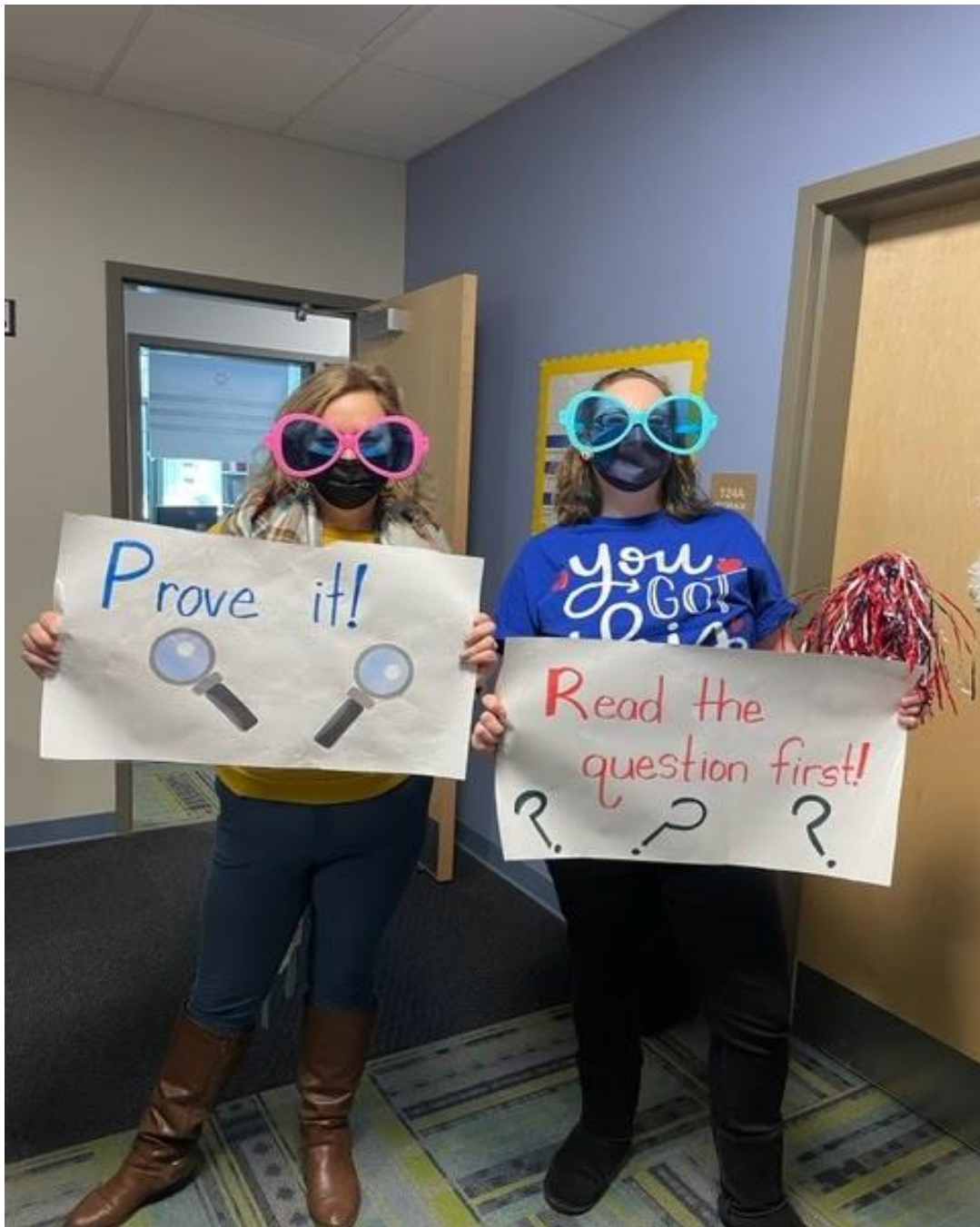
FUN ON THE KINDER FARM!!

Kindergarten had a fun filled day of hard work on the farm to finish their CKLA Knowledge book. They milked cows, churned butter, harvested the crops and even had to herd sheep!

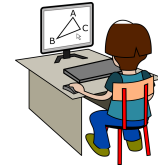
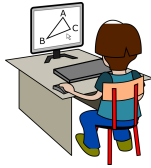
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Mid-Year Benchmark Testing Schedule

<u>Mon 1/17</u>	<u>Tues 1/18</u>	<u>Wed 1/19</u>	<u>Thurs 1/20</u>	<u>Fri 1/21</u>
No School	NWEA Reading 1st Grade	NWEA Math 1st Grade	NWEA Make-Up Testing	NWEA Make-Up Testing



THANK YOU!!!!
Mrs. Merrigan and Ms. Croft for cheering
on our students before testing!!



Hello ERS Families!

Testing has kicked off with a bang! Students have been learning and it shows! We are pleased with how hard they have worked to show us what they know and are able to do. We will continue with testing next week.

January is mid-year benchmark testing month. Throughout January, all students in grades K-5 will be administered the DIBELS mid-year test to assess reading fluency and other basic literacy skills. Over the course of the next week we will be finishing NWEA math and reading tests (see calendar below for your child's NWEA testing days). Please help your child be best prepared to demonstrate his/her ever-strengthening academic skills by reminding your child of the following tidbits for testing success:



Get a good night's sleep so you are rested and ready to show all you know!



Eat a good breakfast so you have energy to do your best!



Test-Taking Tips

Read the question first!

Guide your reading--know what you're looking for!

Break it down!

Split words you don't know into syllables so you can read them more easily!



Eliminate ridiculous answers!

Get rid of answers that don't make sense!



Prove it!

Look back in the text to find the evidence for your answer!



Twice is nice!

Double-check your answer!





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