

2019 January Board Report
Sandy Creek Elementary School
Mrs. Julie Studnicka, Principal

MAPS Testing-2nd through 5th grade students are taking the mid-year MAPS assessment. Data from the assessment will be paired with other assessments to guide instruction for the rest of the semester. Assessments are given in Math, Language Arts, Reading and Science.

Attendance-Our absentee from illness is running around 15 percent. 2nd Nine Weeks perfect attendance included 42 students, and 14 students had perfect attendance for the first semester.

Canuary-The fifth grade leadership group has asked classes to donate items to the food pantry. Each Friday the leaders collect the items from the classroom boxes, total points, and add the items to the Canuary display by the high school weight room.

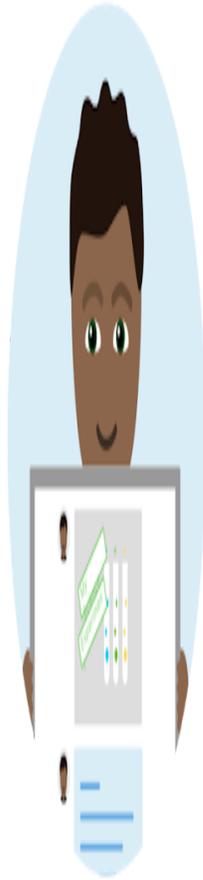
Family Fun Nights-2nd and 3rd Grade had their second semester Family Fun Night with the theme of Snow. Students made snowflakes, snow men, rode on a dog sled, and ate chili and cinnamon rolls. The Family Fun Nights are great to give parents additional ideas of activities to do with their kids, build a community relationship with the school, and counts for Title family engagement.

AR 3rd Quarter-The elementary students will be working on setting individual goals for the third quarter reading. We are wanting them to reach their all time best. Each student is given a graph with their first quarter goal and actual reading points earned. They will graph the goal in green and then add blue to the squares to represent surpassing their goal. The graphs will look like Minecraft buildings. In the front of the building the same type of graphs are in the display for the class and the school. The goal and the actual achieved points have already been filled in for the classes. We are hoping students will work for an all time best performance.

SeeSaw-Our classroom teachers are learning how to use a program called SeeSaw. It is a program that allows teachers, parents and students to communicate in one platform. The classroom teachers can explore free of charge initially while the school determines if they want to purchase a school-wide license to merge all classrooms and add additional activities with a subscription. Students express themselves, reflect on their learning and create a portfolio they're proud to show others. Students take pictures, draw, record videos and more to create portfolios. Student responses are collected digitally. Seesaw helps teachers see and hear what students know to better understand their progress and give more differentiated instruction. Families see the children's work and leave comments and encouragement.



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