# Principal's Quarterly Report to the Raymond School Board

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### April

Continuation of Enrichment session 1 4/19 Full return to school for students!

4/23 Our first of 7 LRES Spirit Fridays (PJ day, Hat day, 80's day, sports day, red/white/blue day, beach day, & LRES day)

## May

5/10 Enrichment Session 2 began 5/10 Parent/Teacher Virtual Conferences 5/10 3rd Benchmark assessments 5/24 SAS Testing for Grade 3

#### June

SAS Testing for Grade 3 continued 6/7-6/10- Grade level Field Days 6/11- Grade 3 Step Up day to IHGMS- walking field trip 6/14- Preschool Step Up Day 6/15- Kindergarten Celebration 6/16- 3rd grade BBQ

6/16- 3rd grade Bridge Picture Day with Families

6/17- K-2 Step up day for students

6/17- Car parade for remote students/families

## **Grade Level/Team Highlights**

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Kindergarten - In the third trimester, Kindergarten finished up addition and started subtraction. We continued practicing long and short vowels, digraphs, and nonsense words. In science, we completed units on both insects and ocean animals. We also had our annual ABC countdown for the end of the school year where we completed lots of fun activities to reinforce the alphabet! The year ended with a fun filled field day and a Kindergarten Celebration! Now we are on to first grade!

First Grade- First graders have started adding and subtracting double digit numbers in math and in reading we are working on our comprehension and fluency. In Fundations we learned about blends and in science we started our heredity unit where we are writing an informational piece on an animal.

Second Grade - In trimester 3, second graders have been working on time, money and shapes in math! We have been learning about habitats and writing opinion pieces. Some remote second graders returned for our in person field day and had a fun day playing musical hula hoops and singing t-shirts.

Third Grade- In the third trimester, third graders have learned about fractions and shapes in math. We have moved to reading more complex stories and studying characters as well as comparing nonfiction reading sources. We learned about countries and studied how animals work together to survive. The third grade team was also excited to take on the end of the year activities for our students including step up day at IHGMS, bridge pictures, a BBQ put on by administration, and the clap out on the last day of school. We wish all our students the best as they move on to middle school!

UA- Art: Here are the 2020-2021 Virtual art shows for each grade level

2020-2021 Kindergarten Virtual Artshow 2020-2021 1st Grade Virtual Artshow 2020-2021 2nd Grade Virtual Artshow 2020-2021 3rd Grade Virtual Artshow

Library: The spring was filled with STEAM activities in the library! Kindergarten and 1st grade read picture books and created clock towers as an extension to *Fix that Clock*. They also listened to the

	Napping House and built a bed to balance the characters on. 2nd and 3rd graders built and tested hoop gliders and escaped a beach break out room.	
Acknowledgements	Thank you to the following LRES staff who facilitated enrichment and remediation activities for our second set of sessions:, Andrea Elliott, Jess Jortberg, Nicole Hauswirth, Miranda White, Stephanie Boyd, & Sara Shaffer.  Thank you to our teachers and UA team for making it possible to have a week of fun-filled Field day activities for students.  Thank you to 1st grade parent Sarah Groleau. She is a welder that makes customized artistic creations! In the past she has donated a basketball hoop she made for the kindergartners and most recently, this school year, garden decorations of flowers, insects and a turtle welded out of old horseshoes and other materials! She surprised our students and teachers with these unique pieces when she donated her time to help Mrs. Michaud and Mrs. Ajemian's students clean out 3 of our garden beds. She brought them seeds, soil and gardening tools and helped these 2 classes plant marigolds, pumpkins and sunflowers! They are looking forward to seeing how our garden grows.  Thank you to our Girls on the Run coaches for the spring season- Amy McAvoy, Michelle Munson and Kim Surette. GOTR ran from April 13 to June 10 with the 5K on June 12 at the IGHMS track.  A special acknowledgement to our first grade remote teacher, Crystal Ajemian, for winning the Raymond	
	School District "You Make a Difference" award for the 20-21 school year!	
Updates	Our second After School Enrichment and Remediation sessions were a great success (total participation 89 students). This was a 4 week offering. The sessions included; STEM, Storytime/Book Club, math intervention, calligraphy/origami, Pokemon, Board games, Yoga, and Lego Robotics.	
Challenges	Finding creative ways to have our end of year celebrations. In need of substitutes.	
Discipline	In School Discipline Numbers:  • K = 19 • 1st = 11 • 2nd = 11 • 3rd = 15 Total= 56  0 - Out of School Suspensions 2 - In-School Suspensions	
Student Achievement	Our school continues to use the STAR and Acadience Assessments as universal screeners for all students at the beginning, middle, and end of the school year. Teachers and interventionists continue to analyze the data they get from both assessments to learn what students already know and determine which students may need additional help (intervention in reading and/or math with Title I and specialists)	

# LRES Benchmark Assessments 2020-2021

Grade	STAR September % Proficient	STAR January % Proficient	STAR May % Proficient
K Early Literacy	51%	65%	54%
1st Early Literacy	45%	57%	
1st Grade Reading			45%
2nd Reading	46%	52%	57%
3rd Reading	40%	50%	49%
1st Grade Math	51%	33%	50%
2nd Grade Math	49%	52%	62%
3rd Grade Math	40%	36%	48%

	Acadience September % Proficient	Acadience January % Proficient	Acadience May % Proficient
K Reading	60%	36%	42%
1st Reading	28%	28%	24%
2nd Reading	59%	56%	46%
3rd Reading	71%	54%	64%
K Math	60%	56%	48%
1st Grade Math	33%	24%	26%
2nd Grade Math	55%	55%	50%
3rd Grade Math	59%	31%	23%

	2 total Investigations
Bullying	0 Substantiated 2 Not-substantiated/Unfounded
Upcoming Events	Summer Programming and Ed Camp
	Enrollment As of 6/17/2021
Other	K- 84 1- 103 2- 96 3- 73
	Total: 356 Students