DEES MONTHLY BOARD REPORT

November

Academics & Instruction

- **Holding regular grade-level problem-solving meetings to address individual academic and SEL student needs.**
- **Strengthening structured literacy routines and small-group targeted reading intervention.**
- **Maintaining ongoing teacher observation and evaluation cycles through EvaluWise.**

Extracurricular & Community

Students of the Month for October for the Character Trait Responsibility (these students enjoyed a pizza party with the principal, and each got a student of the month t-shirt as well)

K - Destiny Wallace
K - Kalista Breaden
K - Ivory Haring
1st - Brielle Gramm
1st - Judith Johnson
1st - Adelynn Veath
K/1/2 - Theo Byong
2nd - Mary Daniels
2nd - Alaina Small
2nd - Sidney Adams

Professional Development & Staff Growth

I attended Great Lakes i-Ready Impact in Action Symposium held on November 4–5 in Chicago with Dr. Rodriguez and Mrs. Carpenter. The key takeaways I had: Math Presentations centered on shifting toward a strengths-based approach in math instruction, and emphasized using predictable Instructional Routines & Microroutines (such as Fostering Math Practices) to build mathematical reasoning habits and provide accessible learning for all students, including students with learning disabilities and English Language Learners.