## Babb Elementary School Board Report August 2018

Enrollment:Grades K-2:6 studentsGrades 3-6:13 studentsTOTAL:19 Students

Referrals: 0

Perfect Attendance: Grades K-2: 3/6 students = 50% Grades 3-6: 11/13 students = 85%

## **Upcoming Dates:**

9/6	PTO/JOM/MBI Meeting
9/10-14	Homecoming Spirit Week
9/11	Family Literacy
9/14	Homecoming Parade

## **Babb Happenings**

We are just getting into the swing of things: working on routines and procedures and familiarizing ourselves with our students. We expect that we will have an increase in our enrollment after labor day. We haven't tested our students (ISIP/Star Math) yet but plan on setting the baseline in the next coming days. This will determine the students who will be screened for ELL (English Language Learners) so that we can put necessary plans in place to assist students who are determined as ELL students.

We are currently down one TA and will be interviewing for the position in the coming weeks.

Babb is pleased to be working more with the BNAS Director Robert Hall who will be coming to the school every Monday to provide our students more access to cultural activities.

We are excited to have two counselors on board this year: Dawn Cobell (BES) who will be working primarily with the K-2 students and Dana Bird (Napi) who will be working primarily with the 3-6 students. The counselors will alternate weeks so that a counselor is available to all of the students each week.

Babb currently does not have a librarian – I was notified in August that the librarian that was going to Babb once a week will no longer be going to Babb. Any ideas that the district has to provide a librarian for our students once a week (preferably Wednesday, Thursday, or Friday) would be greatly appreciated.

We are working with the GNP Ranger program to provide monthly science activities to the students. Not only will students have hands on experience learning Astronomy but they will

also be participating in several field trips to the park. We are working to increase our student's knowledge and practice of science so we are looking forward to the activities.

Here are our current 3-6 grade students participating in a science experiment.



We hope that you have a great September!! Until next time....

