

Site Report – Meshik School– October, 2019

To: Superintendent Ty Mase
and LPSD School Board Members

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Staff

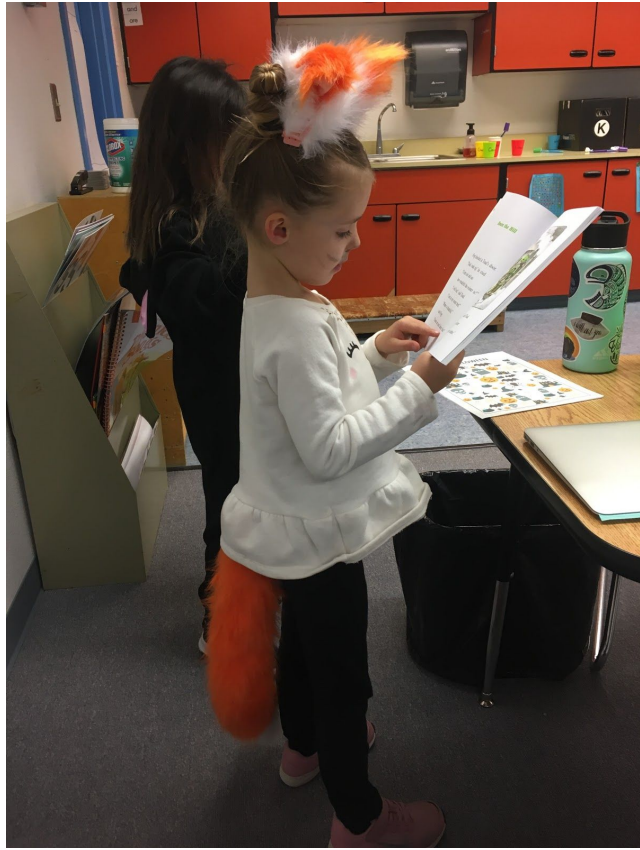
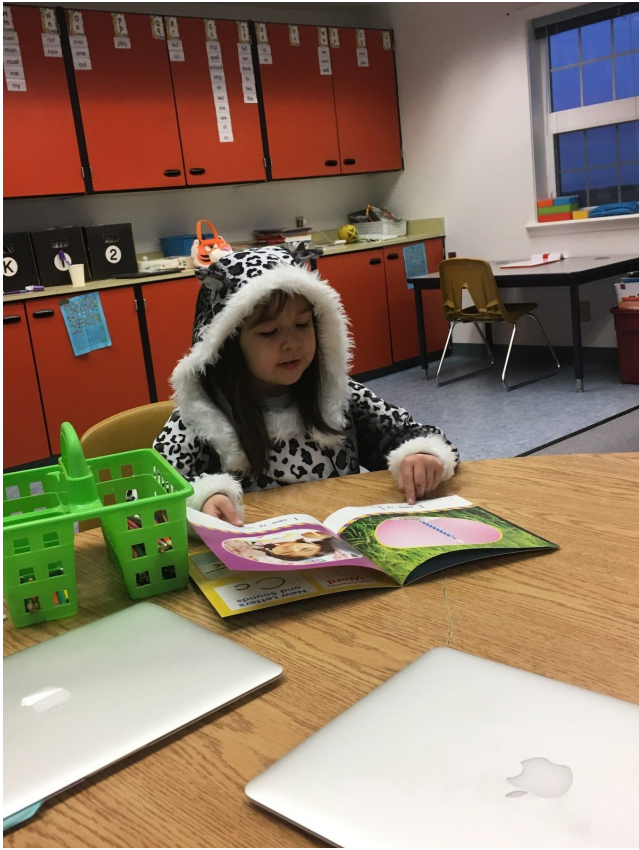
Outstanding Activities and Events

Culture Bearer Visit

The lower elementary students were visited and instructed by community member Tisha. She showed students how to make alajaqs.



Meshik Wolves showing off their Halloween costumes.



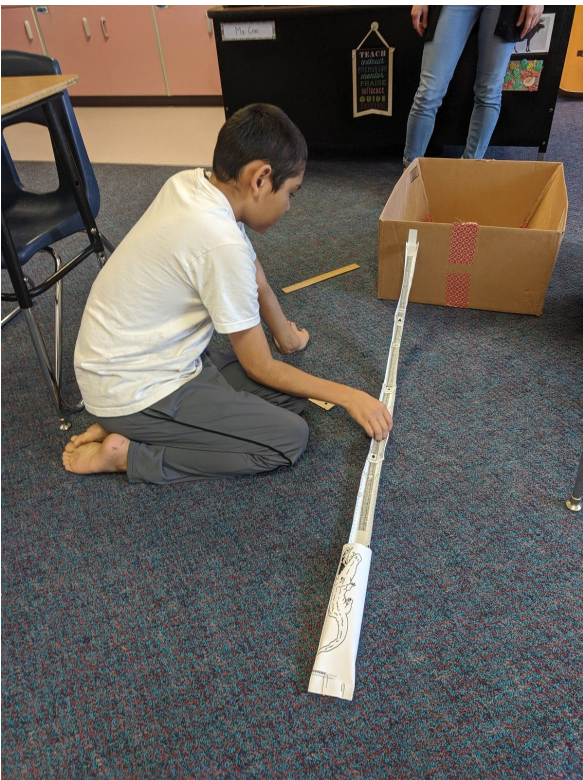
The Meshik student government held a Halloween Bash fundraiser.



In Ms. Hannah's class one of the 1st graders reading to preschool visitors.



The lower and upper elementary students joining forces to study science.



In preparation for the upcoming volleyball tournament the Meshik Wolves scrimmaged community members.



Preschoolers visiting Jimmy Christensen for a tour of his plane.



Preschoolers getting outside and hands on.







Personnel

Ms. Kari is teaching our PreSchoolers.
 Ms. Cruz is teaching our upper elementary students.
 Ms. Zimmerman is teaching our middle elementary students.
 Ms. Hannah is teaching our lower elementary students.
 Mr. Alex is teaching the secondary students.
 Ms. Holly is serving as our cook.
 Richard Zimmerman has taken over custodial duties.
 Jess Sipherd has taken over elementary gym.

Currently we have no aide.

Standards Based System/Curriculum Progress

- We are reminded how wonderful the SBS is when we are looking over MAPS data and deciding which students pair well for interventions and for individual progression through standards.

Technology Progress

- Meshik School has experienced a lag in internet over the past month. DRS has assigned a tech to visit 6 November to adjust our satellite and make any necessary updates.

Facility Update

- There are no updates as of now.

LSAC Activity

LSAC met October 30 and our next meeting is November 26th.

Volunteer Report

Tisha visited the elementary students and taught them how to make Alajaqs.
Jimmy Christensen had the preschoolers up to his place to take a tour of his plane and boat.

Professional Development

- Late start Monday continues to be a great source for professional development.
- The district has also acquired a swivl camera for our site allowing observations from a distance which will result in the development of our professionals.
- Our weekly hour-long meetings (4-5 on Thursdays) are a great way for staff to hear from each other and for Jack to call in or video and see everyone once a week while he is on the road system.

Pupil Attendance

We have had good attendance for October for the most part.

Student and Staff Safety

We complete fire drill and generator tests each month. Mental and physical safety is always a number one priority.

Subsistence Calendar

Students and staff are hard at work to make the most of our shortened year. Students have noticed the increase in rigor in the classroom as well as raised expectations. Our staff are encouraging experiencing out opportunities with students.