

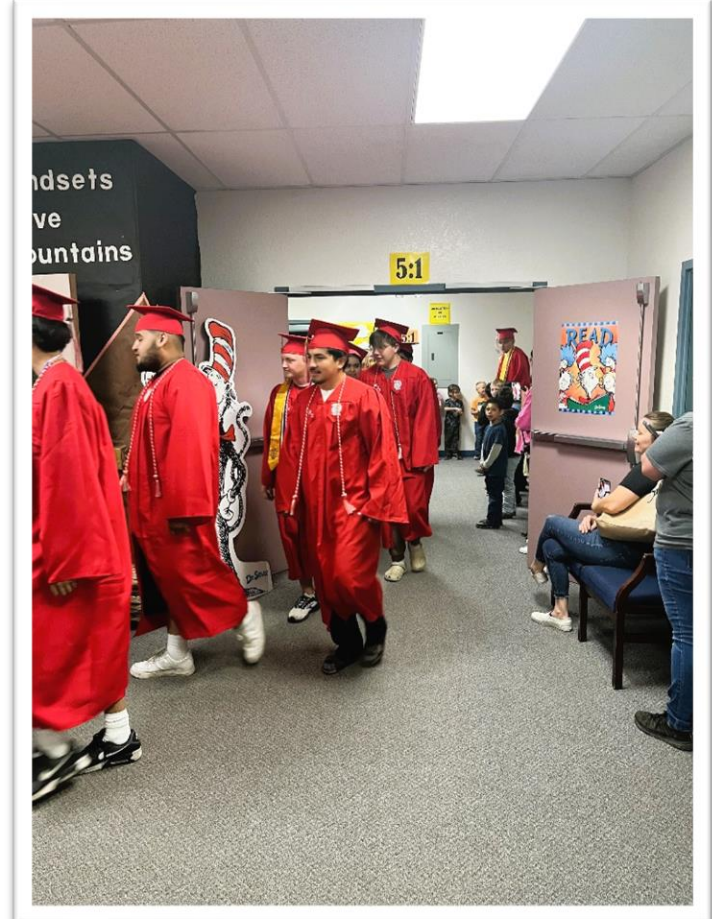
Homedale Elementary School Memo



To: Homedale Board of Trustees, Superintendent Rob Sauer
From: Dr. Tate B. Castleton, Principal
Date: June 3, 2024
Re: Report to Board of Trustees

END-OF-YEAR CELEBRATIONS AT HES: Our last week of school was a very busy one at Homedale Elementary School! Our students loved cheering on our graduating seniors as they walked our halls during our annual "Senior Walk." Our 4th grade students also put on a concert that featured the use of a new set of ukuleles that our students learned for the first time this year! We also had fun celebrating our students and their many accomplishments during our Awards Assembly. As part of these assemblies, we often invite our students or members of our community to share their talents. Pictured below are the Hummel family, Kya, Rio, and Andrew, who played and sang a few songs for our students. It was a great way to close out the school year together!





ISAT UPDATE FOR GRADES 3 & 4: ISAT testing season was completed recently with all of our third and fourth grade students. We are excited about several bright spots and we have also zeroed in on certain things we need to continue working on as a team. Our students worked hard and many of them brought their very best and we are so proud of them!

Here is a quick view of some of early results were receiving from the state:

3RD GRADE MATH ISAT

Average Score, Performance Distribution and Average Points Earned on **Grade 3 Math ISAT Summative** (Spring 2024 (ISAT Summative)), by Roster and SCHOOL 2023-2024

Filtered By **Rosters:** All Rosters | **Test Reasons:** Spring 2024 (ISAT Summative) |

Roster	Teacher	Total	Student Count	Test Completion Rate	Average Scale Score	Performance Distribution	Percent At and Above Proficient
State			23501		2430 ± 1	 Percent: 28% 23% 28% 21% Count: 6.5K 5.3K 6.6K 5K	50%
District			92		2425 ± 8	 Percent: 26% 24% 34% 16% Count: 24 22 31 15	50%
School			92		2425 ± 8	 Percent: 26% 24% 34% 16% Count: 24 22 31 15	50%

Our third grade students performed well on the Math ISAT. Two of our teachers’ classes tested above the current state average, including Mr. Johnson’s class who finished 17 points ahead of the state average and Mrs. DuBose’s class who finished 9 points ahead of the state average!

3RD GRADE ELA ISAT

Average Score, Performance Distribution and Average Points Earned on **Grade 3 ELA ISAT Summative** (Spring 2024 (ISAT Summative)), by Roster and SCHOOL 2023-2024

Filtered By **Rosters:** All Rosters | **Test Reasons:** Spring 2024 (ISAT Summative) |

Roster	Teacher	Total	Student Count	Test Completion Rate	Average Scale Score	Performance Distribution	Percent At and Above Proficient
State			23329		2422 ± 1	 Percent: 29% 23% 22% 25% Count: 6.7K 5.5K 5.2K 5.9K	48%
District			92		2407 ± 11	 Percent: 38% 22% 16% 24% Count: 35 20 15 22	40%
School			92		2407 ± 11	 Percent: 38% 22% 16% 24% Count: 35 20 15 22	40%

Two of our classes finished testing at or above the state average on the ELA ISAT (Mr. Johnson = 12 points, Mrs. DuBose = 2 points).

4TH GRADE ELA ISAT

Average Score, Performance Distribution and Average Points Earned on **Grade 4 ELA ISAT Summative** (Spring 2024 (ISAT Summative)), by Roster and SCHOOL 2023-2024

Filtered By **Rosters:** All Rosters | **Test Reasons:** Spring 2024 (ISAT Summative) |

Roster	Teacher	Total	Student Count	Test Completion Rate	Average Scale Score	Performance Distribution	Percent At and Above Proficient
State			23569		2466 ± 1	 Percent Count: 30% (7.2K), 20% (4.7K), 23% (5.3K), 27% (6.3K)	49%
District			103		2436 ± 9	 Percent Count: 42% (43), 22% (23), 22% (23), 14% (14)	36%
School			103		2436 ± 9	 Percent Count: 42% (43), 22% (23), 22% (23), 14% (14)	36%

Mrs. Klein’s class finished even with the state average for ELA.

Overall, we are seeing pockets of exciting success and progress. We also will focus on several areas next year where we have goals to improve at both grade levels.

HES STUDENTS HELP SET UP GARDEN BOXES AS PART OF A GRANT: Recently Homedale Elementary School was awarded a grant that gives us an opportunity to grow vegetables and flowers in garden boxes. These boxes were put together with the help of some of our students under the supervision of Angela Correa and Jodi Jordet. Vegetables and flowers will be planted and cared for in these boxes by students at every grade level at HES in the years to come!



UPCOMING EVENTS:

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| August 5th | Registration |
| August 12 th | Opening Meeting for All Staff |
| August 13 th | New Staff Orientation |
| August 13-15 th | Staff In-Service/Work Days |
| August 15 th | District-Wide Open House |
| August 19 th | First Day of School |
| September 2 nd | NO SCHOOL – LABOR DAY |
| September 6 th | Staff In-Service |