**Frederic Elementary School** 

# "Be Excellent"

# JULY 2021 SCHOOL BOARD REPORT

#### Little Explorers Summer School

During Summer School, incoming Kindergarten students got to be little explorers at our school forest. They spent the entire week at the school forest. They created frog camp, explored downed trees, wrote/drew about all the things they saw/wondered, found insects, went mucking in the pond, played and created homes. The students were actively engaged in their environment and surroundings. Students were heard saying "We need to make a map to go and explore." "What are we looking or?" " I dont know lets make the map to find out!" "This is the best place ever, I never want to leave here."







Passport to Literacy Program

Our school library is open to students all summer long. Mrs. Stieber and Ms. Mande have created a Passport to Literacy program in which students and their families can come in every Wednesday to check out new books. They keep track of all of their reading in their very own passport and each 100 pages they read, they get a little prize. This past week, our library went on wheels and was found outside for everyone to see. Construction wasn't able to stop this program.

#### <u>Lit Camp</u>

Something new to summer school for our 1-2 graders is Lit Camp. This interactive program gets kids reading a book but then approaches the book just like they were at a summer camp. It has active and engaging games to play along with the book and involves songs and writing about what they learned.

#### Curriculum Implementation Team

Teachers representing their PLCs have been coming in to dive into background set up for both our new Math and ELA programs. This includes creating pacing guides with key check points for professional support and creating a universal schedule so all the recommend times fit into our school day.

#### Swimming lessons

Our two week long swimming lesson program has begun. Students spend the entire day at summer school and then in the afternoon, go to Unity pool to receive swimming lessons from certified instructors. When students are not at swimming lessons, they are enjoying fun, interactive and engaging Math and Reading lessons to keep them building on their skills.

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