Napi Elementary School



December 2024 Board Report

<u>Napi's Vision Statement:</u>

Napi Elementary School, a community of families, students, and staff will work to ensure the very best education for all our children through teaching, guidance, support, and structure.

Napi's Mission Statement:

Napi Elementary School is committed to providing high-quality instruction and support to promote the highest achievement of all students, both academically and behaviorally.

Family Night

Shout out to Mrs. C. CalfBossRibs, Ms. Hannon, Ms. T. CalfBossRibs for hosting November's Family Night! Families gathered in the library to eat delicious pizza and play some Bingo! The turnout was pretty good!

Writing Assessment

Students completed the first writing assessment at the end of October. In November, our teachers reviewed the data and writing framework and then discussed whether modifications need to be made. The consensus of both 4th and 5th-grade teams is that the writing framework will meet the needs of the students. The focus will be on grammar and word count. The goal for 4th graders is to complete a piece of writing before the end of the year with a word count of +300 or more words. For 5th grade, it will be +400 words or more. The 5th grade is using My Access to score their pieces of writing, so they need a minimum of 250 words to get a score. The 5th-grade teachers scored the 4th-grade writing assessments, which was a very quick process. Writing assessments were scored in the morning and teachers received their data the following day. Below are the average scores for both grade levels.

5th grade:
Holistic2
Focus2
Development1.9
Organization2.0
Language2.1
Grammar2
End of the Year Writing Goals4s & 5s
Word Count +400

<u>Cat vs Griz</u>

Thanks to Genny Goudy for hosting the Cat vs. Griz event this year and inviting all elementary schools to attend! Napi's Team and Students thoroughly enjoyed attending this event. There were many good laughs and the students had a great time!

MAST Testing

Napi's Team did an amazing job completing the first round of MAST assessments! Fifth-grade students were tested on the following assessments: Multiply and Divide Whole Numbers, Numerical Expressions, Place Value and Powers of Ten, and Understand the First Quadrant, Informational, and Literary assessments. Fourth-grade students tested on the following assessments: Addition and Subtraction Algorithms, Angles and Geometry, Place Value in the Base Ten System, and Solve Measurement Problems, Informational, and Literary assessments. The screenshot below shows the completion rates for Napi. All students were awarded with an incentive of swimming or having free time with their teachers for completing the assessment. We have already started instructional plans for the second MAST assessment on February 17th. The chart below shows our school's completion rates as being 97% for both ELA and Math! We will include MAST data in the next board report.

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Preparing for Holiday Recitals

Mr. Tail along with the support of his Napi Specialists Team has begun holding auditions for the upcoming holiday recital. The play that was selected this year was 'Scrooge'. We look forward to presenting two recitals on Friday, December 20th. Fourth-grade students will perform at 9:30 and 5th-grade students will perform at 10:30.

Napi Pep Club

Napi's Pep club started with a handful of students, Mrs. Heavy Runner, and Ms. Guardipee. Since the start of the club, more students have joined. The students in the pep club decorate lockers for our athletes, organize food drives and much more. These students have taken on leadership roles within the school throughout the day.



Attendance

Student Attendance: November	Staff Attendance:
4th Grade: 85%	Certified: 87%
5th Grade: 86%	Classified: 73%
Home Visits: 0	

Instructional Coaches--Submitted by Mrs. Wagner and Mrs. Bragg

Wow! What an amazing month at Napi Elementary! We accomplished so much in the short time we had since October! The coaches assisted with the fun activities for remote learning at Napi and helped the teachers with their remote planning. We successfully made it through our first two nights of Parent-Teacher conferences and assisted where necessary. We gathered data and recorded our pre/post-test information on the first MAST math test that we created. The data showed holes in learning and areas in need of attention. We did show growth overall in the four standards we chose for our first MAST assessment in math. We hosted our November Family Literacy night and the coaches provided new books to give away to the participants. Our first run of MAST assessments occurred over two days with only a few hiccups that were easily overcome. Napi ended up with approximately 97% completion rate with our fourth and fifth graders. The Napi leadership team hosted Julia Gaven via online meeting to complete a site visit to discuss our progress for OPI. We also held our monthly SLT meeting and accomplished a lot of tasks. Our 2nd MAST math pre/post tests were distributed and the teachers are looking closely at areas in need of improvement for our next four math standards in our 2nd MAST math test scheduled in February. PD was provided to ensure all grade-level teams fully understand the standards being covered by each of the four areas for instruction. The coaches both provided supervision of students at the annual Cat/Griz assembly at the high school. Although support continues to be provided on a daily basis to teachers, no formal coaching cycles were recorded in November. As November comes to an end, the coaches will continue to focus on walkthroughs, and providing individualized support to all staff. December is currently on our minds as we prepare for the end of the year and the upcoming holidays while still ensuring instruction and learning continue in fun and engaging ways.