Elementary School Board Report – September 14

Upcoming events:

Sept. 13th Picture Day

Sept. 17th Early Release at 1 p.m.

Start of the School Year

Our school year started with the students Sept. 1st. It was good to see our students come through the door for the start of the 2021-22 school year. The first few days of the school year is about setting routines and procedures. The students and staff are working to establish both the classroom routines and understand the elementary building procedures. The students seem to be doing well and we are excited with the prospect of having a successful 2021-2022 school year.

We continue to work on our new reading program implementation in the 4K-3 classrooms with the assistance of Katie Rein from CESA 9. The 3rd grade team piloted this program last year before we decided to purchase it this year for those grade levels. The 3rd grade team while piloting the program realized the importance of the team concept in their grade level and they were successful in the pilot year because they successfully utilized the team approach in their common planning time. One of our non-measurable building goals this year will be strengthening our grade level teams. This is important not only for this implementation but very important as we look at strengthening all of our academic programs and retaining staff at the elementary level.