



Driftwood School

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Driftwood Elementary Principal's Report

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“We are here to help our Students.....

Navigate Challenges With Grace, Prepare For Their Futures and Anchor Themselves In Our Community.”

Students

Enrollment at Driftwood Elementary – Steady at 143 students.

Read Across America Activities – Students are reading books and chapters to earn “caterpillar parts.” These parts are creating a caterpillar that is covering over half of the hallway at this point, and will stretch all the way to the end of the hall by the end of the month.

S.M.A.R.T. Reading Program – A huge thank you to the 20+ volunteers who come to Driftwood every Tuesday and Thursday to read with our K-2 students. Their help is invaluable, and their connections with kids help provide another key adult in their lives.

Eagle Pride Assemblies – We continue to recognize our top students each month with Eagle Pride Awards. Each teacher selects two students from their room who have earned the reward. Their parents are invited to our recognition assembly, they have their pictures taken with their awards and they have “Pizza with the Principal,” the following week. Congratulations to our monthly recipients!

Professional Development

February TLCs – Teachers are collaborating to review reading data to inform reading intervention work, they will also be developing Math Power Standards, and working to develop their Effective Teaching Strategies for use in the classroom.

Staff

Homework Club – About 10 students are attending each session on Mondays and Wednesdays. Students in grades 1-6 are receiving help on their class and homework assignments. Transportation is being provided to 3 of our students making it possible for them to attend.