February Board Report What is happening at RJ Elementary -

- On a daily basis we have had no less than 8 and up to 24 staff gone. Shout out to our staff for covering and doing what is best for the children.
- Christina Garza has been chosen as a national trainer for Wit and Wisdom and Sarah Hamilton has passed her National Boards.
- Mr Bob Williams, state mentor, worked with five teachers in the district. His compliments included high praises for the teachers and for the school.
- Academic Awards acknowledged all children for success in addition to most improved and highest growth. Televised live over 100 views at one time.
- Children in all grades in reading and math achieved higher growth than elementary schools across the nation. However 62% of our children are behind their grade level benchmarks.
- Celebrated Elizabeth Petratovich Day with Regalia, orange shirts, classroom learning and a Hooya at 2:30.
- Students in grades 3-5 have made drums and decorated and used them at the Hooya we will have a formal awakening of the drums celebration later this month.
- Every staff member is being observed daily either during their literacy or math block. Mrs. Lindsey is teaming with me in the observations. A follow up meeting is scheduled to discuss the observations.
- Mike Stoez continues to provide math support to all classroom teachers and paraprofessionals.
- Teachers received training on the NWEA/MAP assessments in preparation for the state assessment. They learned how to take the data and created individual learning stations.
- Dr. Miguel Deangli, Donna Mae Roberts, David Nelson, Naomi and Gamass met on 2-2-22 to discuss an early childhood immersion program, mothers and child class and Dr, Deangi teaching two classes for the Fort Lewis Cohort.
- RJ Elementary Dance Team has been practicing during club time and will perform at the high school basketball on Saturday night.