

SEPTEMBER 2022 BOARD REPORT

UNITY MIDDLE SCHOOL

Eagle Academy

Middle level students attended Unity Academy on August 30 and 31, 2022. 71% of students attended, which is up 3% from last summer. Students participated in team building and problem solving activities. They met their teachers and classmates, set goals, received their schedules, and organized their lockers. All were set for a successful 2022-23 school year and it was great fun!



STAR and iREADY TESTING

Unity School District middle school students will participate in STAR and/or iReady testing in the fall, winter, and spring. Renaissance STAR is computer adaptive, measures growth over time, identifies at-risk and high-achieving students, available for both math and reading, may be used by staff to set student learning goals, tracks mastery of state standards, and provides detailed student reports.

iReady assessments are utilized in grades 6-8 as part of the math program. Based on individual results, students have access to personalized learning activities in the iReady computer program. The assessments are iPad friendly and administered by classroom teachers.

1:1 iPad Program

Unity School District is continuing the 1 to 1 iPad program for middle level students. Students in grades 5-8, who completed Online Registration via Infinite Campus, received their iPad during Unity Academy or the first days of school. iPads are for educational purposes to utilize at school and home. Student love the super cool cases with built in keyboards.