

# Homedale Elementary School Memo



To: Homedale Board of Trustees, Superintendent Rob Sauer  
 From: Dr. Tate B. Castleton, Principal  
 Date: May 2, 2023  
 Re: Report to Board of Trustees

**ISAT UPDATE FOR GRADES 3 & 4:** ISAT testing season was completed recently with all of our third and fourth grade students. We are very excited about several bright spots and we have also zeroed in on certain things we need to continue working on as a team. Our students worked hard and many of them brought their very best and we are so proud of them!

Here is a quick view of some of early results were receiving from the state:

## 3<sup>RD</sup> GRADE MATH ISAT

Average Score, Performance Distribution and Average Points Earned on **Grade 3 Math ISAT Summative** (Spring 2023 (ISAT Summative)), by Roster and Reporting Category:  
 HOMEDALE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL 2022-2023  
 Filtered By **Rosters:** All Roster | **Test Reasons:** Spring 2023 (ISAT Summative) |

Roster	Teacher	Total	Student Count	Test Completion Rate	Average Scale Score	Performance Distribution	Percent At and Above Proficient	Communicating Reasoning	Concepts and Procedures	Problem Solving and Modeling & Data Analysis
State			11314		2423 ± 1	 Percent: 31% (3.5K), 24% (2.8K), 28% (2.9K), 19% (2.2K)	45%			
District			96		2411 ± 8	 Percent: 34% (33), 28% (27), 22% (21), 16% (15)	38%			
School			96		2411 ± 8	 Percent: 34% (33), 28% (27), 22% (21), 16% (15)	38%			

Our third grade students performed well on the Math ISAT. Two of our teachers' classes tested at or above the current state average, including Mrs. DuBose's class who are currently 9 points ahead of the state average!

## 3<sup>RD</sup> GRADE ELA ISAT

Average Score, Performance Distribution and Average Points Earned on **Grade 3 ELA ISAT Summative** (Spring 2023 (ISAT Summative)), by Roster and Reporting Category:  
 HOMEDALE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL 2022-2023  
 Filtered By **Rosters:** All Roster | **Test Reasons:** Spring 2023 (ISAT Summative) |

Roster	Teacher	Total	Student Count	Test Completion Rate	Average Scale Score	Performance Distribution	Percent At and Above Proficient	Listening	Reading	Research/Inquiry	Writing	Writing Dimensions
State			18833		2417 ± 1	 Percent: 30% (5.7K), 25% (4.7K), 22% (4.2K), 23% (4.3K)	45%					
District			96		2400 ± 9	 Percent: 41% (39), 23% (22), 21% (20), 16% (15)	36%					
School			96		2400 ± 9	 Percent: 41% (39), 23% (22), 21% (20), 16% (15)	36%					

Two of our classes are currently testing at or above the state average on the ELA ISAT.

# 4<sup>TH</sup> GRADE ELA ISAT

Average Score, Performance Distribution and Average Points Earned on **Grade 4 ELA ISAT Summative** (Spring 2023 (ISAT Summative)), by Roster and Reporting Category:  
 HOMEDALE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL 2022-2023  
 Filtered By Rosters: All Roster | Test Reasons: Spring 2023 (ISAT Summative) |

Roster	Teacher	Total	Student Count	Test Completion Rate	Average Scale Score	Performance Distribution	Percent At and Above Proficient	Listening	Reading	Research/Inquiry	Writing	Writing Dimensions
State			19605		2460 ± 1		47%					
District			105		2422 ± 11		35%					
School			105		2422 ± 11		35%					

Mrs. Blackstock’s students are currently testing 7 points ahead of the state average on the ELA ISAT!

Results for the ISAT are still trickling in for both grade levels. We hope to have all results in by the end of the month.

**SENIOR PROJECT IN KINDERGARTEN:** Recently, Yocelyn Albor, a senior at Homedale High School, conducted their Senior Project with a group of our kindergarten students focused on Earth Day! Our students loved the activity and learned some important lessons about our earth!



**STAFFING UPDATE:** With the exception of one paraprofessional, we are currently fully staffed at the elementary school! We are excited to welcome five new teachers to HES and we look forward to getting to know them better and helping them make a successful transition to our school and community!

**Homedale Elementary School  
 Staffing  
 2023-2024**

**KINDERGARTEN**

- K1 - Tammy Glaser
- K2 - Michelle Endicott
- K3 - Patti Jeffery
- K4 - Melanie Harper

## **FIRST GRADE**

1A - Erin Erickson  
1B - Camille Heck  
1C - Claudia Brower  
1D - Rebekah Jenkins

## **SECOND GRADE**

2A - Evonne McGuire  
2B - Kristi Uria  
2C - Shanna Higley  
2D - Elizabeth Albor

## **THIRD GRADE**

3A - Tina DuBose  
3B - Marina Brookshire  
3C - Rebekah Johnson  
3D - Toby Johnson

## **FOURTH GRADE**

4A - Marci Dimick  
4B - Lesa Folwell  
4C - Awaiting board approval  
4D - Faith King

## **TITLE ONE**

Teri Uria

## **IMMERSION**

Angela Correa

## **PE**

Brenda Reay

## **MUSIC**

Paula Allen

## **LIBRARY**

Sherri Krzesnik

## **COUNSELOR**

Trinity Pratt

## **SECRETARY**

Magdalena Escutia

## **PARAPROFESSIONALS**

Janai Roberts  
Raymond Smith  
Kim Wilson  
Maria Cardenas  
Vacant  
Dee Antonucci  
Mary Sonke  
Jodi Jordet

## **Resource**

TBD

**Extended Resource**

Taryn Cook

**Special Day**

Nikki Gerlock

**Reassigned** - as of 3/13/23; **New hire** - as of 3/13/23

*\*\*\*All new hires/reassignments were approved by the HSD Board of Trustees on 3/13/23, 4/10/23, and 5/8/23.*

**UPCOMING EVENTS:**

May 29 <sup>th</sup>	NO SCHOOL – Memorial Day
May 31 <sup>st</sup>	1:30 Early Release – Last Day of School
June 1 <sup>st</sup>	Staff In-Service/Work Day – Check Out