

Rocky Boy Elementary Board for January 2020-Happy New Year!

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Curriculum & Instruction: Teachers had a webinar on the Writing City program we purchased with MCLP funds back in August. Teachers discovered that they really like program and have started implementing it. Mrs. Horn 3rd grade teacher and Ms. Flachmeyer 4th grade teacher have been doing an excellent job teaching writing and typing in their classes.

Supervision & Evaluation: Since we came back from break, Ms. Pelletier and I conducted walk-throughs together. Teachers for the most part have been implementing restorative circles as part of their routines. The primary grade has been attempting to implement the PAX Good Behavior games, but it is not consistent. Lonna Running Wolf, who works for OPI, will be here on the 17th of January to see how implementation is going.

Culture & Language: Not much going on in this department. Brenda has students staying after on Thursday's to work on ribbon skirts.

Behavior Management: Mr. Harkin's handles minor discipline issues. If they are major issues, then I step in.

Daily Management: Lately, it seems we are constantly in meetings. Daily operation of the elementary school depends on how many employees show up to work. We have students who show up at 7:25a.m. Morning Recess starts at 7:45a.m. until 8:10a.m. The students line up and go to their classrooms for breakfast in the classrooms. Mr. Small and Mrs. Wilson conduct morning announcements as part of our school routine. Breakfast in the classrooms last until 8:30a.m then the teachers and paraprofessionals clean up, then start following their classroom schedule.