



Fairview Press Parent Newsletter

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Happy New Year!

Thank you for your generosity during the holiday season in supporting our food drive which made a difference in the lives of many local families.

As a reminder, we have openings for paras (teaching assistants). If you are interested in learning how to get the para license or how to sign up to be a substitute para or substitute teacher, please contact principal Darcy Dunn at 227-8400, extension 35003. Many of our teachers began as teaching assistants.

Look How Much Our Students Have Learned!

The data below is based on the common formative assessment and shows students' growth. Thank you for supporting your student's learning at home and for your family involvement!

Three year olds

% Proficient in October	% Proficient in November
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Rote counting 68.5%	81.5%, growth= 13%
1:1 correspondence 70.2%	77.7%, growth= 7.5%
Recognizes numbers 40.7%	55.1%, growth=14.4%
Geometric shape knowledge 80.2%	87.5%, growth=7.3%
Letter knowledge 28.6%	40%, growth=11.4%
Letter sounds 26.2%	41.9%, growth=15.7%
Writing 45.5%	62.3%, growth=16.8%

Four year olds

% Proficient in October	% Proficient in November
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Rote counting 72.7%	85%, growth= 12.3%
1:1 correspondence 77%	90.3%, growth= 13.3%
Recognizes numbers 59.7%	79.7, growth= 20%
Geometric shape knowledge 73.3%	85.8%, growth=12.5%
Letter knowledge 39.2%	56.5%, growth=17.3%
Letter sounds 28.4%	52.4%, growth=24%
Writing 46.6%	70.2%, growth=23.6%

Upcoming Events

- ◆ 1/9, PTO meeting from 6-8 p.m. in the café.
- ◆ 1/16, No school, Martin Luther King Day
- ◆ 1/20, Movie Night from 5:30-8, featuring Frozen with a special visit by Anna, Elsa and Olaf!
 - ◆ 1/25, Eddie the Eagle gun safety presentation by the Rockford Police Department.
- ◆ 1/20-1/30, Discovery Center Field trips. Your permission slip that was sent home will have the date your class is going. Thank you to PNC Bank for sponsoring this field trip!
- ◆ 1/25, Parent workshop on nutrition for pre-schoolers. We will meet in room 12 from 4:30-5:30 and a pizza dinner will be provided!

Please save the Date!

- ◆ 2/17, Valentine's Dance from 5-7 p.m. in the gym

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