



Elementary Principal Report August 2026

May I begin by thanking each and every one of you for the opportunity and privilege to serve Dundy County Stratton Public Schools. I am honored to be part of the Dundy County Stratton team. I am excited to serve this community and work alongside you for our students. I have been welcomed by everyone I meet, it has been an easy transition due to the hospitality received by all. Again, thank you!

Summer 2026:

- June 8-12 - Attended 'Intensive Instructional Coaching Training' by Jim Knight in McCook, NE, through ESU 15
- July 29-31 - Attended Administrators' Days in Kearney, NE
 - Very informative and an excellent opportunity to network
- Elementary staff was delivered materials to begin LETRS through ESU 15
- New students enrolled (13)

	<u>Total</u>
- PK3 - 1	10
- PK4 - 1	18
- K - 1	17
- 1st - 3	18
- 2nd - 2	20
- 3rd - 0	11
- 4th - 1	22
- 5th - 4	20
- 6th - 0	<u>17</u>
Grand Total =	153 students PK3-6th
End of last school year =	149

Academic:

- August 10, New Staff In-Service
 - Diane Bohochik - 1st Grade and Celger Venzon - Music
 - Bianca Bernard, Amanda Dubs, Mallory McClenahan, and Katrina McCorkle - elementary paraprofessionals

Celebrations:

- Preparation for students first day of school
 - Thanks to all the employees who helped prepare for the new year.

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Upcoming:

- August 11-12, Teacher In-Service
- August 13, First Day of School
- August 17, DIBELS training, ESU 15, 8:30-11:30
 - Benchmark team
- August 21, BW Telcom watermelon feed
- September 2, COP #1, Community of Practice, MTSS planning at ESU 15
- September 14, LETRS training at ESU 15

I look forward to the 2026-27 school year.

Thank you for your support -

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