

Elementary Touchpoints
May Board Meeting, 2021

Kindergarten registration was a delight. Our registration events were well received and the students were excited to see classrooms, meet teachers, and take care of final paperwork needed to secure enrollment in the fall. Currently we have 75 formally enrolled and we have been working on finalizing the remaining names on our census list for enrollment.

MCA tests are close to completed for grades 3 and 4 with only a few individual students remaining to wrap up. Our district assessments (STAR) will be completed in the next few weeks as well.

We tentatively have two new reading tutors that will join us this fall, pending training and background checks through Reading Corps. We are excited to have them join us as volunteers and look forward to having another layer of support for our students.

We were able to celebrate our teachers and full educational staff last week. PTA and parents, other staff members, and our administrative team all were instrumental in this recognition. I personally am so proud of the staff at the elementary schools and what they do each day for students. They have always invested in our students, but this year especially it's even more noticeable—it's been a collective network of supporting students, being incredibly flexible, and rising to the challenges thrown at them this year. My team is amazing, and I'm appreciative of all they do.

We are currently planning a family Title I event on May 25. This will not conflict with the preschool event at each site. We will finalize all of our activities on May 13 (our next advisory meeting) and promote the event with families.

Respectfully submitted—
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