

# *Elementary Rustler News*

January 2023

## **First Semester**

Change can be difficult, and making a career change after 25 years was a little scary for me. The first semester of getting to work with your children and our staff has only solidified that this was a great decision. Miller Elementary School is a place where dedicated professionals work hard from the time we do the morning announcements until the last bell to ensure that your children are receiving a strong foundation to help them grow into amazing citizens. I truly appreciate the teamwork between teachers, classified staff, administration, and parents in making our school a very strong one with a culture of positivity, motivation, and mutual respect. I can't wait to see what we accomplish this semester!

## **Parent Teacher Conferences**

Parent Teacher Conferences will be held on February 9th. Please plan to attend to visit with your children's teachers and discuss their progress. Our goal is always 100% attendance, so we appreciate your time in helping us reach that goal!

## **Warm Clothing**

We have had generous donations from individuals and groups of hats, mittens, gloves, coats, snow pants, and snow boots. If your child is in need of some items, please do not hesitate to contact me, your child's teacher, or Laela.

## **Christmas Concerts**

Thank you to our music department for entertaining us with such wonderful performances! We have so many talented musicians, and I was very impressed with their abilities!

## **No School on January 16th**

Please remember we will not have school on Monday, January 16th in observance of Martin Luther King, Jr. Day.

## Response to Intervention

Our teachers are continuing to work with a reading specialist through a Department of Education grant. We meet monthly to discuss reading interventions, and we are really excited about the progress we are seeing with so many of our students!

## Quote


I like to put a quote in each week's message to the elementary staff, so I thought it would be fun to include one here. Thank you for all you do as parents!


"At the end of the day, the most overwhelming key to a child's success is the positive involvement of parents."

-Jane D. Hull

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