

“Ready to Teach
“Ready to Learn”



Beacon's Buzz

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On behalf of the staff at Beacon School, I am happy to welcome you to the 2017-18 school year! We are looking forward to a productive partnership with you to ensure our children can achieve their highest potential. We ask that you guide and support your child's learning by ensuring that he/she:

- Attends school daily and arrives on time, ready for the day's learning experience
- Completes all homework assignments given by teachers
- Reads daily to develop a love for reading and to improve literacy skills.
- Brings Beacon folder to and from school everyday.
- Brings planner to school everyday. (3rd grade only)
- Adheres to the uniform policy

The Week In Review:

- Engaged students in conversations regarding positive culture, empathy among students, conflict resolution, and the ability to connect grit and positive mindset with success and goal setting.
- Participated in many activities centered around the word of the week.
- Continued to teach procedures and routines.
- Compass learning begins at beacon. This is an online interactive program that revolutionizes the integration of learning and technology. It creates individualized pathways for each student to work at their own pace.
- Our students represented us well in the Wiffle Ball tournament. We had a blast!

Reminders/Important Dates:

- Please see Parking lot safety note. Thanks to all who have been adhering to the new drop off/pick up procedures to allow for safety.
- No hoodies allowed in classrooms.
- No school Nov. 7th. Staff professional development.
- Parent teacher conferences Nov. 16th & 17th. More information to come. Make sure you are signed up for a conference to discuss your child's progress.
- This week's word is Evidence. Ask your child about what the word means and how we are using it.
- Literacy Night for all students in Kindergarten and First grade ONLY on Nov. 9th. See Flyer today for more information. Don't miss out on this opportunity to collaborate with staff and learn how you can promote literacy in the home.
- Due to our procedures, traffic through the front office increases dramatically in the morning and afternoon, so we respectfully request that parents refrain from walking students past the security doors in the morning. If it is necessary for a parent to walk a student in the building, the parent must sign in the office first.
- Reminder: Beacon's after school meal program is everyday beginning at 3:05 in the gym. This is a free program for our families. Kids eating have to be accompanied by an adult.
- Half day Friday. Dismissal at 10:35 a.m.
- Candy sale pick up Nov. 15th.

YOU MATTER..... EVERY CHILD EVERY DAY