



Principal's Report
Fairview Elementary School
Month, Year
Principal: Sheila Mathrole

Grade Level Report:

3rd Grade:

Third grade has been learning and practicing school culture to be respectful, responsible, safe, and awesome Fairview Falcons. In addition, our intervention teachers and classroom teachers are assessing our students' reading abilities, which will allow us to create our WIN (What I Need) groups for reading instructions and English language development (ELD). In PLC, we will focus on how best to deliver and meet grade level standards in science, using our new science curriculum, Twig. We will begin with the biomes unit. We are excited to start by teaching life cycles of organisms by raising butterflies during this unit.

4th Grade:

Fourth grade is busy doing STEM activities in class to help build team building with their new group of students. We are also eagerly awaiting our first field trip, Farm Day at the fairgrounds coming up in September. We are soaking up the first week of getting to know our students and feeling the excitement of a new school year.

5th Grade:

In our 5th grade classes we will be teaching place value, map skills and geography, and starting a Benchmark unit on corn. We are excited to have the students back in class and looking forward to a great year!! We do miss our SEL coach though.:((

What's going on around campus:

We're off to a great start with students in classrooms. Our students are getting into the groove of the day, and music started this week. PE starts next week with Mrs. Reimers, and interventions the following week. We are bringing back our weekly "excellent attendance" recognition, which begins this Friday.

What's new:

The better question is, what **isn't** new. We have a new 3rd grade teacher, Mrs. Mullins, who is doing great in her classroom. We have a new DOP aide and are in the process

of hiring a couple of 1-on-1 instructional aides to support our students. Our campus looks fantastic, and we're really excited about being able to play in our fields when the grass is ready for kiddos' feet.

Upcoming events:

Back to School Night Thursday 8/14

iReady ELA and Math Assessment window opened on 8/12 and closes on 9/9

Lemonade with the Principal is Friday 8/22

What we are doing to meet our LCAP goals:

We are providing opportunities for parents and families to connect with me before and after school (especially with Lemonade with the Principal during pick-up). We are using iReady to get baseline data on our students in ELA and math, and to help us create intervention groups to best serve our students.