

August 2019- Principal's Report



Parent Communication:

On August 14th, the first Family Newsletter went home using MailChimp. The newsletter updated parents on the construction and important events happening at the school prior to the first day. *Families were encouraged to use **TWITTER**.

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EVENTS: Parent Involvement:

AUGUST 21, 2019 - Preschool Orientation

Parents and preschool students joined the Pre-K team and myself for a meet and greet at Paine School. There were two sessions: 5:30 & 6:30

August 22, 2019 - Principal Meet and Greet

Parents and students joined the Principal for a Meet and Greet on Thursday, August 22nd from 5-6 pm. Popsicles provided by The PTO were distributed to students and families that attended.

AUGUST 22, 2019 - 6:00 PM - Kindergarten Orientation

Parents and kindergarten students joined the K team for a meet and greet at Paine School.

NEW Staff:

We are in the process of hiring two Instructional Assistants, one long term first grade teacher and a .8 librarian. The principal has been busy interviewing these past two weeks!

Professional Development:

In the process of securing two days of Wit & Wisdom Training for grades 2-5
Teachers will be working with Vittoria and Zack during our PD days on ELA Curriculum
Grades 2-5 Wit & Wisdom
And Grades K and 1 on Writing Curriculum-Boston K2 & Focus on First

CIP is registered to be part of the next RIDE Ed Reports Cohort 3 to adopt and implement a new math curriculum next year. A team has been established. Becky Payette, Zack Orefice, Katie Kelly, Erin Thompson, and myself.

Safety:

Updated procedures, evacuation routes, fire drill routes, ect...
New folders were given to all staff members with all necessary information in case of an emergency! Thank you Kim and Kecia!

PTO- I attended my first PTO meeting and have met many wonderful members! We have established meeting dates, planned some events and brainstormed ideas for CIP!

*I am having a fun time getting to know staff, students, families and community members. I have made CIP my home!

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Captain Isaac Paine School