



Bellevue Elementary

Bellevue City School District, Bellevue Ohio

February 2023

BES staff focus on each student's literacy needs and help promote growth. We have implemented a new assessment system called Amplify mCLASS - Dibels 8 which is given to each student K-5 at three benchmarking periods at the beginning, middle and end of year.

The assessments given are as follows depending on each child's age:

- ⇒ Letter Naming Fluency (LNF)
- ⇒ Phoneme Segmentation Fluency (PSF)
- ⇒ Nonsense Word Fluency-Correct Letter Sounds (NWF-CLS)
- ⇒ Word Reading Fluency (WRF)
- ⇒ Oral Reading Fluency (ORF)
- ⇒ Maze (Reading Comprehension)

The data collected from these assessments are used to implement our new Multi-Tiered System of Supports (MTSS) schedule. Teachers work with students on specific literacy needs at each grade level during PIE (Prevention, Intervention, Extension) time. We continuously monitor progress and shift students within groups to address strengths and weaknesses.

Depending on your child's needs they may be working with any one of the following people during their PIE (Prevention, Intervention, Extension) time:

- Grade level teacher
- Homeroom teacher
- Intervention Specialist
- Mrs. Wright, Title 1 Reading teacher
- Mrs. Yantz, Title 1 Reading teacher
- Mrs. Musser, Title 1 Reading teacher
- Mrs. Bova, Title 1 Reading teacher
- Mrs. Paulsen, Title 1 Reading teacher
- Mrs. Mizener, Gifted Intervention Specialist
- Mrs. Delp, Literacy Specialist

We invite you all to our BES Family Night on Tuesday, February 28th to meet our awesome literacy staff and have A LOT of fun!!!!

With Children at Heart,

Mrs. Turner

A Look Ahead

Feb. 2 Dress like a SUPERHERO

Feb. 8 PTO 4 p.m.

Feb. 9 Dress like a villain or in black

Feb. 9 4th grade Program
**Gittinger, VanFleet, Walker 6:00 p.m. show
Arrive @ 5:45**

**Brown, Stiles, Widman 7:15 p.m. show
Arrive @ 7:00**

Feb. 16 Dress as your OWN Superhero

Feb. 16 Fundraiser Kickoff

Feb. 23 Twin day/Dress like a twin

Feb. 24 PTO Dude's Night

**Feb. 28 OSOB Family Fun Night
6:30-8 p.m. Come and go anytime!**



Family Fun Night: Tuesday, February 28th



PTO News

Our PTO meets on the second Wednesday each month at 4:00 in the kindergarten pod.

What are you reading this month?

This and many other titles are available at the Public Library (fine free)!

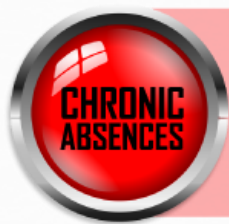
Monday– Thursday 9 a.m. - 8 p.m.

Friday-Saturday 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Sunday 1-5 p.m.



How's your child's attendance?



18 OR MORE DAYS

- Excused and unexcused absences represent lost time in the classroom and lost opportunities to learn.
- Missing just one day every two weeks can add up to 18 days in a year. Absences add up before you even know it.



10 TO 17 DAYS

- Students who are absent an average of 15 days a year miss a year's worth of school before their senior year.
- When students miss a day of school it actually puts them two days behind their classmates.



9 OR FEWER ABSENCES

- Students with good attendance generally achieve higher grades and enjoy school more.
- Children benefit and make the most of their educational opportunities if they attend school regularly and on time.