

SIC REPORT TO THE PEOPLE WOOD ELEMENTARY

2022
2023

MISSION:

Our school community collaborates to build positive relationships that support meaningful opportunities to cultivate productive citizens.

VISION:

Wood Elementary is LEADING and LEARNING.

Members:

Jason Barrs - Chair

Cathy Zitkovich - Vice Chair

Lisa Dasher - Secretary

Anna Estes - Teacher Representative

Mary Brooks - District Liaison

Noel Pound - Parent Representative

Steve Putnam - Community Representative

Courtney Wickstrom - Community Representative



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Angela Brown - Principal

Takeela Bates - Assistant Principal

Nicholas Godfrey - Assistant Principal

Andrew Price - Assistant Principal

BELIEF STATEMENTS:

- Students are our first priority. Every decision and action must be based on the needs of students.
- Engaging, rigorous, innovative, and collaborative learning experiences are essential across all content areas.
- High-performing Professional Learning Communities, anchored in a structured data analysis process, support effective, continuous professional growth and development for educators.
- Technology fluency enables students, teachers, and administrators to communicate, critically process information, and solve problems.
- Acknowledgement of every student's uniqueness and value is essential in developing relationships and fostering each student's full potential.
- Life and career characteristics, such as perseverance, integrity, and work ethic, are critical for students' success.
- Community involvement is imperative for each and every student's success in Lexington Two.

WHAT IS A SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL?

The School Improvement Council is a vital group of parents and community members who work collaboratively with the school to develop and implement both the school renewal plan and Title 1 plans, assists in writing the Report to the People, as well as the narrative for the school report card. The SIC promotes strong communication amongst all stakeholders.

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After School Activities

Run Hard
District Art Show
Fine Arts Night
BETA Club
Baillie Players Theater Performance
Future Chefs Competition
Kid's Heart Challenge
School Time Bible Study
Morning News Program
Camp Leopold Field Study

Student Support Programs

Lex 2.5 after school tutoring
Communities in Schools
Clothing Closet
Midlands Reading Consortium
Boys and Girls Club after school care

Student Recognitions

"Hoot" Fest
Tags of Honor (Every 9-Weeks)
Book Vending Machine
Weekly Outstanding OWLS

Learning and Student Supports

Response to Intervention (RTI) small groups pulled to provide additional reading support.

Multi Language Learner teacher to provide direct instruction to speakers of other languages.

School counselors, social worker, mental health counselor, and interpreter available to work with students and their families.

Launch Gifted and Talented program offered in 3rd-5th grades.

"OWLS" Expectations

Own our learning

Willing to give our best

Lead by example

Show respect to ourselves and others

Teacher of the Year 2022-2023

Anna Estes

Support Staff of the Year 2022-2023

Betsy Bouknight

Student Achievement School Wide Goals

Behavior

By the end of the 2022-2023 school year Wood Elementary office discipline referrals will decrease by at least 10% for a goal of 45 per month or fewer.

Attendance

By the end of the 2022-23 school year, student attendance at Wood Elementary will increase by at least 3% to an average of 93% student attendance.

Academics

By the end of the 2022-23 school year, the percentage of students who are on track for success at the next grade level, as measured by the STAR Reading assessment, will increase by 3 percentage points.