INCLEMENT WEATHER

Please do not drop off a student before office hours. Doors do not open before 8 a.m. and then only for breakfast!

Students arriving for school will not be let into the building until the first bell rings at 8:15 (or 9:15 on Late Start Wednesday’s).

This means as the weather changes students will be waiting sometimes in rain, snow, wind etc.

We ask that students dress according to predicted weather and with a short wait in mind. District policy is students will go outside for recess when the temperature is 0° and above.

Student Council Elections!

Fifth grade positions available are the office of president, VP, Treasurer, and Secretary. We also need two students from 3rd, 4th, and 5th grade to be Representatives! Information about the process and an application has been sent home with all students in grades 3-5.

The deadline to submit an application is Wednesday, October 17th.

Pink Hall is Popping Popcorn!

Order your popcorn on Friday October 19th! 50 cents a bag/ limit 2 bags

Upcoming Events

10/25 - “The Magic of Literacy Family Night”
10/30 - Dentist’s are Us visit
10/31 - Halloween/Halloween Parties

I Know Knowledge is Power
**Meet the Media Specialist**

Hi my name is Sara Anderson and I am the Media Specialist at Dillon, Dye, Rankin, and Randels Elementary Media Centers. My schedule allows me to be at Dye Elementary on Tues. and some Wednesdays. I do a variety of activities, from ordering books, to checking out books to students, to managing media materials. I also have a teaching degree and love spending time reading to students and collaborating with teachers.

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**Fun websites for kids in the classroom or at home**

**http://www.mathplayground.com/**
This website is jam packed full of fun math games for students from 1st-6th grades.

**http://bkflix.grolier.com/**
A wonderful collection of ebooks. The website does a wonderful job of pairing each fiction story with a similar non-fiction text.

**http://www.e-learningforkids.org/**
This website has really fun interactive lessons for students. They listen and interact with different characters depending on the lesson they are learning.

**http://www.thekidzpage.com/freekidsgames/games/memory/pumpkinpatch.swf**
Pumpkin patch match game

**Good Reads for October**

**Emily Elizabeth’s First Autumn**

Emily Elizabeth describes all the fun that she and Clifford had when he was just a tiny puppy during his first autumn.

**Animals in Fall**

Describes for beginning readers how fall weather affects the actions of animals, the growth of plants, and the activities of people.

A boy meets his pet dragon after school to rake and jump in leaves, carve a pumpkin, and enjoy a pretty fall day.

**There Was an Old Lady Who Swallowed a Bat!**

Presents a variation on the classic rhyme about an old lady who swallowed a bat and a lot of other strange creatures.

**Kindergarten Lessons**

Our first lesson with Kindergarten went great! Students learned about what borrowing a book means. We also talked about how to take care of our library books. This month we will talk about an important library tool called a shelf marker. Students will practice using a shelf marker before they get to check out books. Once I receive a signed “My Good Reader Coloring Book” students will get to check out their first library book!