



South Bendle
Elementary-
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Believe In Me....I Can Succeed

From the Principal

Happy New Year

We are a week away from the end of the marking period. I can't believe how fast the year is going. Teachers are working hard assessing your children, finding out if they are meeting the grade level goals. When you get your child's report card in two weeks, look it over carefully. If your child is struggling in a certain area, sit down with them and work with them on this area. Education is meant to be a partnership, we definitely couldn't do it without you. Report cards are meant to inform you so that we may figure out what next step may be needed.

Reading with your child is one of the most effective strategies you could use right now. According to research, children that have been read to at home are far more successful in school than those who are not read to. So grab a blanket, snuggle up on the couch, and read a book together☺



Stand Strength Assembly

We had a great assembly at school this week. The theme was to help build character with the kids by teaching them the 7 Principles of Being a Superhero. Ask your kids about it and review the seven principles with them☺

1. I will not bully others.
2. I will respect people for who they are.
3. I will tell a grown-up when someone is being bullied.
4. I will listen to my teachers and parents.
5. I will look for people in need.
6. I will do something nice for someone every day.
7. I will lead other people to do the same.

Dates to Remember

January 16th- No School

Quote of the Week: *The best inheritance a parent can give a child, is a few minutes of their time each day.*

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