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Kathryn Winn Board Report

Our goal and mission is to give your child the “Best education in the nation.”

Since Christmas things have been hopping at Winn. We took our Map test before school and as soon as we got back Megan and I had meetings with teachers to look at their data and make changes with curriculum, instruction and assessment with individual staff members. Teachers are very positive and hopeful that student learning is growing on a daily basis. We know this because we have a new progress monitoring tool that we will be utilizing on a weekly basis with those very lowest students.

Our test scores continue to get better in math and reading, with the greatest improvement in math. After looking at data we feel like it was because of our students Dreambox usage and math Facts in a Flash. This semester we are pushing the Compass Reading program. We know that blended learning does make a difference and can close the Gap. See attached excel spread sheet of latest map scores.

Teacher Ongoing Professional Development

We are going full steam ahead with the Lindamood Bell program. Identified tier three students are being tested this week. We should have them in groups starting next week. Training is taking place this entire week and part of next week. We are so blessed to have this program for our students. Thank you for providing our students with this opportunity!