

York Elementary

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Happy New Year!!



J.W. YORK
ELEMENTARY

From the Desk of Principal Richardson

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Greetings York Bulldogs and Happy New Year. It was my new year's wish that each of you have a prosperous year filled with joy. I hope every student's resolution is to be the best they can be. There is much to look forward to during the remainder of the school year. Be sure to keep up with the calendar!


Retention Notices

Classroom teachers will contact you soon if your

child is at risk of being retained for next school year. Any student not at benchmark (3 or 4) in math and/or reading by the end of the 2nd Quarter must be considered for retention. Although your child may be at risk, there is still plenty of time for them to make appropriate strides. We encourage each of you to continue to work with your child at home and be sure your child is reading each night and completing

homework. Remember, the final decision for promotion or retention is

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Ask your child what they are learning in school and then ask them even more. We challenge them here at York so be sure to challenge them at home as well.
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Upcoming events for the month of January have been provided to you on the back of this newsletter. Be sure to post it and we look forward to your support.

at the discretion of the principal. The Retention Review committee will meet at the end of this month to be sure that appropriate interventions are in place for each child as we meet their academic needs.

Prospective Student Orientation

If you know of any families interested in making York Elementary their home for the 2012-13

school year, be sure to tell them about our Prospective Student Orientation to be held on January 19, 2012 at 6:00 p.m. This will be a great opportunity for them to learn about York and our great academic programs. In addition, campus tours take place monthly. Please visit our website for tour dates & times. Be sure to tell your neighbors and friends about the great things happening at York Elementary!!

New Assignment Plan

Round 1 of the Proximity Choice Application Period begins January 17-February 24. If you are happy with York, there is nothing you have to do. If you choose to apply for a different school, you must do so online during this time. Contact the school with any questions. 919.881.4960

