

Vernon Elementary School

Vision

Expectation + Effort = Excellence

Mission

Assure students achieve their personal best and embrace lifelong learning in a safe and positive environment.

Beliefs

- All children can learn
- All children deserve a quality education where individual needs are met.
- Children thrive when expectations are high.
- Differentiated instruction is necessary to ensure all learners can access the curriculum.

Literacy Proficiency

Objectives

- In grades K-3, the number of students scoring proficient (on grade level) will increase by 5%, as measured by AIMSWEB reading composite score.

Critical Initiatives

- Progress monitoring - Teachers will use progress monitoring data to address student weaknesses. Students will be progress monitored with AimsWeb and Star a minimum 3 times per year
- Teachers will provide explicit small group instruction based on student deficiencies.

Key Measures

- AimsWeb, Star, assessments, exit slips, etc.

Math Proficiency

Objectives

- In grades K-3, the number of students scoring proficient (on grade level) will increase by 5%, as measured by AIMSWEB math composite score.

Critical Initiatives

- Provide students with ample small group instruction and engaging math centers to master math standards taught.
- Provide students with remedial and enrichment programs to practice standards

Key Measures

- AimsWeb, Star, assessments, exit slips, etc
- IXL, Freckle Math, Prodigy

English Language Learners

Objectives

- Increase the literacy proficiency level of EL students in K-3

Critical Initiatives

- Classroom teachers will develop strategic lessons that integrate language objectives using WIDA performance indicators.

Key Measures

- ACCESS, WIDA

