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Public Schools

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Dear Parent(s),

The school staff members are excited about our ability to know where all of our students are on their paths to being successful learners. This letter will help you better understand one important way that we will be working with your child to ensure learning success.

Just as doctors weigh and measure how tall children are to help them understand if they are growing properly or if something may be wrong, we will be giving your child a “Well Check,” or benchmark assessment, three times a year using a tool called aimswebPlus. These checks are done within a short timeframe. We like to think of it as taking your child’s reading and math “temperature.” The first check will be given within the first few weeks of school.

Tests of Early Literacy

- \*Print Concepts (K)
- \*Initial Sounds (K)
- \*Letter Naming Fluency (K)
- \*Phoneme Segmentation Fluency (K-1)
- \*Word Reading Fluency (K-1)
- \*Letter Word Sounds Fluency (K-1)
- \*Auditory Vocabulary (K-1)

Reading Assessments

- \*Oral Reading Fluency (1-8)
- \*Vocabulary (2-8)
- \*Reading Comprehension (2-8)
- \*Silent Reading Fluency (4-8)

Tests of Early Numeracy

- \*Number Naming Fluency (K)
- \*Quantity Total Fluency (K)
- \*Quantity Difference Fluency (K)
- \*Concepts and Applications (K-1)
- \*Number Comparison Fluency-Pairs (1)
- \*Math Facts Fluency-One Digit (1)
- \*Math Facts Fluency-Tens (1)

Math Assessments

- \*Concepts and Applications (2-8)
- \*Number Comparison Fluency-Triads (2-8)
- \*Mental Computation Fluency (2-8)
- \*Number Sense Fluency (Composite of Number Comparison and Mental Computation (2-8))

Teachers use these Well Checks to help them plan reading and math instruction. This information also helps them individualize plans for students who are above or below average in their reading and math abilities. The Well Check information will be shared with you at conference time, or earlier as needed to plan appropriately for your child.

We look forward to meeting you and talking about your child’s progress. Please be sure to review the Multi-Tiered System of Supports (MTSS) brochure and aimswebPlus fact Sheet on the District website. If you have questions about our Well Check Program, please feel free to contact us at any time.

Sincerely,

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David Davis  
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Special Education Director

