

**2025-2026  
BUDGET, ENROLLMENT,  
IMPROVEMENTS, ACCOMPLISHMENTS,  
GOALS, AND PRIORITIES**

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**STE. GENEVIEVE R-II SCHOOL DISTRICT  
STE. GENEVIEVE ELEMENTARY  
725 WASHINGTON STREET  
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**FROM THE OFFICE OF THE PRINCIPAL  
Nathan Kingery**

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**June 2026**

**Bloomsdale Elementary  
June 30, 2026**

## **Enrollment**

### **Classroom Assignments and Number of Sections**

<b>2021-2022</b>	<b>2022-2023</b>	<b>2023-2024</b>	<b>2024-2025</b>	<b>2025-2026</b>
K - 3	K - 4	K - 3	K - 3	K - 3
1 - 3	1 - 3	1 - 3	1 - 3	1 - 3
2 - 3	2 - 3	2 - 3	2 - 3	2 - 3
3 - 4	3 - 3	3 - 3	3 - 3	3 - 3
4 - 2	4 - 3	4 - 3	4 - 3	4 - 3
<u>5 - 3</u>	<u>5 - 3</u>	<u>5 - 3</u>	<u>5 - 2</u>	<u>5 - 3</u>
18	19	18	17	18

### **Enrollment 2025-2026-September 30, 2025**

<u>Grade Level</u>	<u>Male</u>	<u>Female</u>	<u>Total</u>
PreSchool	13	9	22 (7 Part-time)
Kindergarten	36	17	53
First Grade	22	18	40
Second Grade	24	18	42
Third Grade	23	31	54
Fourth Grade	19	27	46
<u>Fifth Grade</u>	<u>30</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>55</u>
Totals	167	145	312

### **Enrollment 2025-2026-January 30, 2026**

<u>Grade Level</u>	<u>Male</u>	<u>Female</u>	<u>Total</u>
PreSchool	13	9	22 (8 Part-time)
Kindergarten	37	18	55
First Grade	20	19	39
Second Grade	25	16	41
Third Grade	21	30	51
Fourth Grade	19	27	46
<u>Fifth Grade</u>	<u>31</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>56</u>
Totals	166	145	311

### **Projected Enrollment 2026-2027**

<u>Grade Level</u>	<u>Male</u>	<u>Female</u>	<u>Total</u>
PreSchool	10	10	20 (3 part time)
Kindergarten	20	25	45
First Grade	35	20	55
Second Grade	21	15	37
Third Grade	23	18	41
Fourth Grade	26	28	54
<u>Fifth Grade</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>26</u>	<u>44</u>
Totals			296

## **STAFF: Additions and Transfers 2025-2026**

### **Additions:**

Emily Geisner - First Grade Teacher  
Molly Bahr - Elementary Librarian  
Kimberly Rapp - Fifth Grade Teacher  
Zachary Henderson - Special Education Paraprofessional  
Heidi Heberlie - Special Education Teacher - shared with SGE  
Tonya Cusanelli - Teacher's Aide/Paraprofessional  
Jessica Braun - Behavioral Specialist

### **Transfers:**

Lisa Fargo - Transfer from SGE to BLE Title I Aide  
Jamie Harter - Transfer from SGE to BLE Resource Aide  
Jessi Blum - Behavioral Specialist to Guidance Counselor  
Heidi Heberlie - Transfer from shared employee with SGE to full time BLE  
Amanda Richardson - Transfer from SGE to BLE Special Education Teacher

### **Resignations/Retirements:**

Julie Meyrose, First Grade Teacher

## **STAFF: New Assignments 2026-2027**

Della Buxton, Special Education Teacher  
Michael Ruble, Special Education Teacher  
Jayden Buerck, Special Education Paraprofessional

## **STUDENT RECOGNITION:**

### **Monthly Positive Office Referrals**

**August:** Trevor Ward, Ava Ross, River Ammons, Kaiden Mikesch, Owen Paisley, Kinsley Hughes, Azalya Basile, Tanner Carron, Jagger LaPlante, Kinley Marler, Jaidyn Payne, Maci Mentel, Wrensely Edwards

**September:** Carson Oberle, Toby Gleghorn, Harper Schaefer, Gabby Gibson, Jayden Smith, Everly Pelfrey, Ricky Stewart, Conor Williams, Jillian Hendrix, Nova Squires, Millie Wilkerson, Lucas Walsh, Hadalee Rains, Aiden Johnson, Isabella Rehtin

**October:** Grady Rapp, Waylon Boyster, Bella DiMercurio, Kashton Fernald, Noah Johnson, Connor Meyrose, Kinley Marler, Jaxton Causey, Carson Oberle, Jaxon Wolk, Lincoln Gettinger, Frankie Farabella, Evenlyn Rulo, Carson Poindexter, Khloe Rayburn

**November:** Tucker Carron, Liam Aubuchon, Crosby Wolk, Carter Lewis

**December:** Logan Schuetz, Tanner Carron, Everly Pelfrey, Zakkariah Gleghorn, Khloe Craig, Zane Carnes, Jaxson-Thebeau-Case, Jaidyn Payne, Jaxton Causey, Maci Mentel, Kaylee Moeser, Waylon Kuehn, Noah Lunsford, Chloe Schwent, Wyatt Amsden, Reesa Willaims, Brecken Wagganer, Amelia Holifield, Coleman Stewart, Everly Pelfrey,

Wrensley Edwards, Kinsley Hughes

**January:** Grant Stewart, Eramis Walden, Laynie Pelfrey

**February:** Jewell Tefft, Owen Paisley, Maxwell Bequette, Brayden Carnes, Gabriella Keith, Kinley Castilaw, Justin Lalumondiere, Wyatt Aubuchon, Nate Ford, Caleb Schwent

**March:** Stella Naeger, Elleena Lay, Grayson Norden, Nova Squires, Forrest Meyer, Millie Wilkerson, Jaidyn Payne, Isabella Rechten, Kinley Marler, Ruger Bollinger, Kinley Marler, Ruger Bollinger, Kaiden Mikesch, Nate Ford, Kashton Fernald, Mia Garcia, Isaac Faith

**April:** Madison Gyurica, Isabella Rechten, Levi Carron, Iva Wizeman, Karter Tolie, Rage Faulkner, Griffin Sheldon, Carson Poindexter, Riley Akins, Jaxton VanMeter, Kyreke Brown, Branson Henson, Kinley Marler, Laynie Pelfrey, Waylon Kuehn, Jaidyn Payne, Catherine Wittman, Aaron Ragsdale, Annalynn Hanna, Jude Bequette, Lake Noble, Barrett Hogenmiller

**May:** Justin Lalumondiere, Gabriella Keith, Presley Langan, Lucas Rhodes, Kinley Castilaw, Kinsley Huck, Jacob Oppermann, Jude Bequette, Wyatt Boyster, Shaelynn Donovan, Kanon Gegg, Fiona Guilford, Leelyn Mattison, Carson Poindexter, Liam Reynolds, Aiden Schweiss, Brady Schweiss, Crosby Schweiss, Trevor Ward, Aunna Webb, Iva Wizeman, Emmett Powell, Kyreke Brown, Destiny Chandler, Nate Ford, Annalynn Hanna, Noah Johnson, Scarlet Riley, Ava Ross, Aleah Terry, Bristol Torrey, Connor Wehner, Conor Williams, Catherine Wittman, Jaxon Wolk, Noah Lunsford, Riley Akins, David Williams, Ava Ross

## **Compassion Council**

BLE's kindness mentors. Help welcome new students and are leaders in making sure every student feels included at BLE. Create and oversee specific compassion projects (e.g. random acts of kindness week/day and anti-bullying campaign). They also keep an eye out for acts of kindness and recognize them with an "Caught Being Kind" award.

Compassion Council students consisted of: Noah Johnson, Bristol Torrey, Fiona Guilford, Aleah Terry, Aunna Webb, Conor Williams, Annalynn Hanna, Maggie Garrett, Jaxton Van Meter, Justin Lalumondiere, Logan Fricke, and Kori Wittu.

## **Lead Roles - Fourth & Fifth Grade:**

Operation Backpack Helper - These students help Mrs. Jessi every week with a state wide initiative, Operation Backpack: Madison Bequette, Nate Ford, Marci Wittu, Presley Langan Madelyn Johnson

Event Experts - Help plan and organize special events such as Red Ribbon Week, Dr. Seuss Week, Teacher Appreciation Week, and days honoring the staff.: Wyatt Boyster, Josie

Murray, Jacob Oppermann, Carter Grein, Michael Boyter

World Changers - Assist in coordinating and launching fundraisers and community drives:  
Graham Zerwig, Cheyenne Lindsey, Sofia LaKamp, Crosby Schweiss, Branson Henson

Student Secretary - Assist in the office and teachers with simple jobs: Lucas Holshouser  
and Paisley Pribble

Morning Voices - Assist Mr. Kingery with BLE's whole school morning meeting:  
Gabriella Moran, Jack Bellew, Aleah Terry, Colton Welsh

Welcome Crew - Greet students in the mornings with a friendly smile and a warm welcome  
to help them start their day off positively: Marlayna Wilson, Ava Albright, Liam Reynolds,  
Madison Gyurica, Jaxon Heberlie, Noah Lunsford, Evelyn Rulo-Pugh

Safety Squad - Help with morning drop-off and make sure the halls are safe and organized  
as students arrive at school: Elfrieda Neely, Luke Rhodes, Annie Turpin, Kyreke Brown,  
Leelyn Mattison, Levi Carron

Festive Holiday Friends - Help plan and work on holiday projects for Halloween, Veterans  
Day, Thanksgiving, Christmas, and Easter": Brady Schweiss, Ava Ross, Sawyer Wozniak,  
Lillian Politte

Helping Hands - Lead and support our littlest Dragons in the preschool classroom: Lilly  
Schwent, Isabella Rechten, Gabriella Keith, Bailey Winch, Emma Schuetz, Evalyn  
Bollinger, Madilyn Nihira, Leah Chambers, Isabella Keenan, Kinsley Huck

Page Pals - Reading books to our Kindergarten friends and helping them enjoy storytime:  
Jace Bourbon, Wyatt Aubuchon, Lincoln Nugent, Kyndal Gaddy, Raegan Payne, Jayden  
Smith, Jaxon Wolk

Sunshine Splashers - Spreading positivity throughout our school to lift everyone's spirits  
and make our days brighter: Scarlett Riley, Skylar Farabella, Connor Wehner, Julianna  
Vogt, Karson Rock-Huddleston

Masterpiece Makers - The most creative and artistic leaders with showcase their art skills  
by creating fun projects with BLE's talented Mrs. Guildford: Jude Bequette, Trevor Ward,  
Amanda Filkins, Alessa Dougherty

Library Legends - Helping our very own Ms. Bahr take care of and manage the school  
library for everyone at BLE to use: Riley Akins, Kendrick Barnes, Kinsley Castilaw, Aiden  
Johnson, Nova Wreath, Noah Cotten, Xaden Van Meter, Bella DiMercurio

Healthy Heroes - Lead by participating in fun physical activities and promoting healthy choices with our energetic Coach Basler: Kanon Gegg, Rush Noble, Kase Langeneckert, Brayden Arnold, Carson Poindexter, Waylon Strausbaugh

Super Singers - Making music and singing with our talented music mentor, Mr. Friedmeyer: Iva Wizeman, Madison Webb, Taylin Shreve, Shaelynn Donovan, Destiny Chandler

Nature Navigators - Exploring the outdoors, learning about nature, and caring for our Earth with our talented outdoor mentor, Mrs. Rapp: Alexis Broeker, Aiden Schweiss, Catherine Wittman, Iris Schwent, Emmett Powell, Maddox Hamby

### **BLE Sticks it to Childhood Cancer**

BLE students had a chance to “Tape Your Principal to the Wall” while supporting a great cause, Childhood Cancer. Students could purchase one stick of duct tape for \$1.00. All proceeds are being donated to Children’s Hospital to support childhood cancer in memory of Lainey Schmelzle and Adley Berkbigher. The event ran from September 10 - September 25, with Mr. Kingery being taped to the wall by the students on September 26, 2025. We were able to raise \$1065.

### **Veterans Day Program - November 12, 2025**

Welcomed at Door by Girl Scouts: Alessa Dougherty, Fiona Guilford, Gabriella Moran, Leah Chambers, Raegan Payne

Student Speakers: Annalynn Hanna, Aunna Webb, Noah Johnson

Leading of the Pledge of Allegiance: Lead by Kindergarten, Owen Stomberg, Athena Hattenhauer, Kaden Mikesch, Reesa Williams, Eramis Walden, Leon Anderson

Recognition of Veterans and Military Members - Branches of Service: Mrs. Lindsay Anderson introduced our Veterans as our students presented them with a red or white carnation.

We Remember: Sung by the 2nd grade classes under Mr. Friedmeyer’s direction.

Thank You Veterans: A poem recited by the third grade students.

American Tears - Sung by the 4th grade classes under Mr. Friedmeyer’s direction.

God Bless America: Sung by the entire student body

White Table Ceremony: 5th grade students: Aleah Terry, Jacob Oppermann, Paisley Pribble, Connor Wehner, Ava Ross, Catherine Wittman, Maggie Garrett, Fiona Guilford,

Taylin Shreve, Noah Johnson, Iva Wizeman, Bristol Torrey, and Brady Schweiss.

Moment of Silence: Emily Merrifield, a student of SGHS played the Taps.

Poppy Presentation: Mrs. Ashley Grein explained the meaning of the buddy poppies. First Grade students recited the poppy pledge. Connor Meyrose, Nova Squires, Jaidyn Payne, Maci Mentel, Brennen Langeneckert, and Theordora Schlueter handed out the poppies to students as they left the gym.

Students made different projects and hung them throughout the building for the Veterans to see. Drinks and cookies were in the gym after the ceremony for the Veterans and students

## **Read on Missouri**

Several of the special activities from previous years were brought back including dress up days and our cafeteria lunches went with the Dr. Seuss theme. Throughout the week guest readers came in to read to different grade levels, along with a book raffle for both students and faculty. To add in on the fun, there was a book cover READO. Each classroom received one READO card to hang in their room. Five book titles per day were read out on the announcements. Classes who gets a READO earn a small prize for each student.

## **Kindergarten Celebration**

On May 7, 2026 Kindergarten held a celebration at Bloomsdale Elementary's gym at 6 p.m. Students graduating from kindergarten performed a musical called When I Grow Up! Family and friends were invited to come and watch the program.

## **Bloomsdale Boost**

Bloomsdale Boost started with an idea to have a coffee and water area for teachers to access daily in the library. With help from many staff members, it expanded into having some of our students working in the coffee and water area to build on social skills with peers, teachers, and staff. The students take responsibility for their jobs and are able to feel a sense of accomplishment each time they fulfill an order. Students are building their confidence while working together to complete tasks. They are also learning the word of the week and trying to incorporate it into their vocabulary when working together. Each student is able to be successful and have a positive leadership role in their school community. If you are ever around BLE at the start of the day; stop by and enjoy some coffee, water, and tons of smiles.

## **Kindness Ninjas**

Another new program we've developed is called "Kindness Ninjas." Each week, three staff are secretly selected to be kindness ninjas for the week. Throughout the week, they watch for classes that demonstrate high levels of kindness and respect. The students are having a blast trying to figure out who the ninjas are each week, and take a lot of pride when their class is recognized for excellence.

## **PROGRAMS FOR STUDENTS:**

### **Ongoing:**

- Morning Announcement Leaders: the Pledge of Allegiance, birthdays, etc.
- Breakfast in the Classroom program, Preschool
- Breakfast in the Cafeteria - K - 5
- All students have their birthday celebrated by being announced during the morning announcements, and they all choose a book from our birthday book collection in the office.
- Spirit Fridays! All students and staff encouraged to wear BLE or SG Dragon shirts
- Backpacks for Friday program continues with 20 bags of food distributed weekly
- Dragon Threads clothing closet
- Wall of Fame
- Big Smiles Dental Program

### **Monthly Events:**

- Aug. 13 Preschool and Kindergarten Open House
- Aug. 14 Grades 1- 5 Open House
- Aug. 18 First Day of School
- Aug. 18 Dragons Den After School Program Begins
- Aug. 25 Beginning of Year Testing and i-Ready Math Testing Begins
- Aug. 28 DRAGONS Gifted Program Begins
- Aug. 30 PTO Yard Sale in Parking Lot
- Sept. 1 NO SCHOOL
- Sept. 9 PTO Meeting in Cafeteria
- Sept. 12 Big Smiles Dental
- Sept. 14 PTO Drive Thru BBQ
- Sept. 15 School Store Fundraiser Begins
- Sept. 15 i-Ready Reading Testing Begins
- Sept. 19 Grandparents' Day Celebration for 3rd Grade
- Sept. 23 McTeacher Night
- Sept. 24 Picture Day with Wagner Portrait Studio
- Sept. 24-25 Little Gems Dance Clinic
- Sept. 26 Little Gems Performance at Football Game
- Sept. 29 NO SCHOOL
- Oct. 1 PTO Luna Moonscile Fundraiser Begins
- Oct. 2 Veterans Day Planning Committee Meeting #1
- Oct. 2 School Custodian Appreciation Day
- Oct. 7 PTO Meeting in Cafeteria
- Oct. 9-10 1st, 3rd and 5th Grade Health Screenings
- Oct. 10 PTO Trunk or Treat
- Oct. 10 New Student Welcome
- Oct. 13-17 Homecoming Week Events!  
Monday- Neon Day  
Tuesday- Wild West vs. West Coast  
Wednesday - Get Wild (Animal Prints)

- Thursday - Disney Theme - Dress as any disney character
- Friday - "Spirit Friday" - Wear Green & White
- Oct. 14 Kindergarten Field to Pumpkin Patch
- Oct. 15 Fifth Grade Career Day
- Oct. 15 PTO Moonsicle Fundraiser Ends
- Oct. 15 End of 1st Quarter
- Oct. 17 Homecoming Assembly in gym @ 10:10 a.m.
- Oct. 20-22 PTO - Bus Safety Week
- Oct. 20-21 2nd and 4th grade Inview Testing
- Oct. 21 Flu Clinic
- Oct.22 Presentation from Bloomsdale Fire Dept here for PreK, K and 5th grade, Fire Prevention Week
- Oct. 23 Veterans Day Planning Committee Meeting #2
- Oct. 23 Parent/Teacher Conferences
- Oct. 23-24 NO SCHOOL
- Oct. 27-31 Red Ribbon Week
- Monday - Turn your back on Drugs - Wear Your Clothes Inside Out
- Tuesday - Life is a Puzzle - Twin Day
- Wednesday - Drugs Make Me See Red - Wear Red
- Thursday - I've got better things to do than drugs - Dress as your Hobby
- Friday - Be Strong, Be True, Be You - Dress as a Superhero
- Oct. 28 Red Ribbon Canine Assembly for 3rd Grade
- Oct. 31 Halloween Parties & Costume Parade @ 1:30
- Nov. 4 Fall Picture Retake Day with Wagner Portrait Studio
- Nov. 4 BLE Family Fun Night
- Nov. 11 NO SCHOOL
- Nov. 12 Veterans Day Program @ 1:30
- Nov. 18 PTO Meeting
- Nov. 26-28 NO SCHOOL
- Dec. 8-12 PTO Holiday/Santa Shop
- Dec. 11 First and Third Grade Music Performance @ PAC
- Dec. 19 End of 2nd Quarter and 1st Semester
- Jan. 6 Classes Resume
- Jan. 6 3rd Quarter & 2nd Semester Begins
- Jan. 9 K8 Fundraiser Kickoff
- Feb. 2-6 National School Counselors' Week
- Feb. 3 100th Day of School
- Feb. 7 PTO My and My Events (Dodgeball and Dance)
- Feb. 9 Parents Begin Calling to Sign up for Kindergarten Registration
- Feb. 12 Kids Heart Challenge Began
- Feb. 2- 11 PTO Moonsicle Gram Fundraiser
- Feb. 9 Blood Drive from 2-6 p.m
- Feb. 12 Valentines Parties in classrooms
- Feb. 12 Jump Rope for Heart Assembly in Gym
- Feb. 12 2nd Grade Music Concert
- Feb. 20 Candy Bar Fundraiser Starts (ends March 6)
- Mar. 2 MS Band Presentation for 5th Grade
- Mar. 2-6 "Read on Missouri" Week
- Monday - Cozy up with a Good Book - Wear PJs**

**Tuesday - Books Let us Travel to New Places** - Wear vacation shirts or dress like you're on vacation

**Wednesday - Books Can be Wild - Dress like an animal or in your best safari/jungle gear**

**Thursday - Books Brighten Our World** - Wear Bright or Neon Colors

**Friday -We are Hungry for Books** - Wear Clothes with food on it or a restaurant t-shirt

- Mar. 3 5th Grade Parent Orientation Night in SGMS Old Gym
- Mar. 3 PTO Meeting
- Mar. 5 5th Grade Visits SGMS, 8:30-10:30 a.m.
- Mar. 10 Spring Picture Day with Wagner Photography
- Mar. 11 4th Grade Music Trip to St. Louis Symphony Orchestra
- Mar. 11 End of 3rd Quarter / Mid-Semester Grade Check
- Mar. 13 Big Smiles Dental Clinic
- Mar. 13 5th Grade Enrolls for MS Classes
- Mar. 18 Bird Assembly for all Grades
- Mar. 21 Kindergarten Registration 8:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.
- Mar. 23-25 K-5 iReady Math
- Mar. 24 Kids' Heart Challenge Extra Gym Time Reward
- Mar. 27 PreK - 3 Easter Parties @ 1:45 p.m.
- Mar. 30 Spring Break Begins
- Apr. 7 Classes Resume from Spring Break
- Apr. 7 MAP Testing Begins for Special Education Students
- Apr. 8 Science 5th Grade NWEA
- Apr. 11 4th Grade Field Trip to Powell Symphony Hall
- Apr. 13 4th Grade Puberty Talks
- Apr. 15 5th Grade Field Trip to Busch Stadium
- Apr. 13-17 5th Grade Science & 3rd Grade Math MAP Testing
- Apr. 14 AG visited 1st and 2nd Grade Classroom
- Apr. 17 5th Grade Puberty Talks
- Apr. 17 Red Carpet Ceremony for Tattoo a Teacher Fundraiser
- Apr. 20-24 3rd, 4th and 5th Grade ELA MAP Testing
- Apr. 21 5th Grade Guitar Concert at the PAC
- Apr. 21 1st Grade Field Trip to Cape Girardeau Conservation Nature Center
- Apr. 23 Spring Family Fun Night
- Apr. 24 Incoming Kindergartener Buddy Day
- Apr. 27-May1 4th & 5th Grade Math MAP Testing
- Apr. 29 3rd Grade Field Trip to the St. Louis Zoo
- May 1 5th Grade Mixer with SGE Students
- May 1 1st & 2nd Grade Mini Fair at SG Fairgrounds
- May 2 PTO Spring Carnival
- May 4-8 Teacher Appreciation Week
- May 4-8 K-5 iReady ELA
- May 5 5th Grade Guitar Concert
- May 7 Kindergarten Celebration at BLE
- May 8 2nd Grade Field Trip to the Science Center
- May 8 4th Grade Field Trip to Hawn State Park
- May 12 PTO Meeting
- May 12 Kindergarten Field Trip to Discovery Playhouse

- May 14      Preschool Graduation at BLE at 6 p.m.
- May 15      Field Day
- May 15      Senior Graduation Parade Through BLE
- May 16      SGHS Graduation
- May 21      Meet Your New Teacher
- May 21      Last Day of School - WE DID IT!!!!

## **STAFF RECOGNITION:**

- The entire faculty and staff at BLE for pulling together to cover one another, to cover classrooms when needed, or to do whatever was asked.
- Sunshine Committee members Tyne Huck, Laykin Donze, Kristi Byington, Ashley Grein, Katie Gettinger, and Lindsay Anderson for energizing this committee and collaborating with other faculty members to plan baby and wedding showers and extend care to all staff members.
- Michelle Bader, day custodian, for building decorations each season.
- Dawn Nickelson and the entire kitchen staff for preparing our breakfast and lunch each day in an efficient and timely way.
- Jessi Blum for maintaining our clothing closet, “Dragon Threads” to assist students in need with clothing, shoes, and school supplies.
- Kellen Basler for organizing and coordinating Field Day.
- Jessi Blum for organizing the BLE Leadership Groups and helping to coordinate various events in the building.
- Lynette Pfaff for scheduling guest readers, planning fun reading events for Read on Missouri Week..
- Dillion Friedmeyer for coordinating and organizing the grade-level music performances.
- Bethany Koetting for coordinating Kindergarten Registration, EC/PK transition days, IEP meetings, and scaffolding our Early Childhood, Preschool, and Parents as Teachers teams to provide a smooth transition into kindergarten.
- Jessi Blum and Megan Williams for planning a great 5th Grade Mixer with SGE and BLE students.
- Dana Bowen for the BLE Yearbook
- Ashley Grein for being selected BLE Teacher of the Year.

## **BLE Teams**

**Spirit Days** - Stephanie Rayoum, Tyne Huck, Makayla Bader, Kristi Byington

**Dot Day** - Christina Guilford, Ashley Gettinger, Julie Meyrose

**Grandparents Day** - Lauren Bell, Dana Bowen and Jennifer Kirchner

**Red Ribbon Week** - Jessi Blum, Paige Naeger, Julie Meyrose

**Veteran’s Day Planning** - Dillion Friedmeyer, Lindsay Anderson, Tyne Huck

**Christmas Week** - Kristi Byington, Dana Palmer, Laura Gegg, Makayla Bader, Laykin Donze

**100th Day of School** - Katie Gettinger, Ashley Gettinger

**Read on Missouri Week** - Lynette Pfaff, Kim Brown, Paige Naeger, Julie Meyrose, Ashley Gettinger, Kristi Byington, Jennifer Kirchner

**Field Day** - Ashley Grein, Julie Meyrose, Kim Brown, Coach Basler, Christina Guilford, Dana Bowen, Janel Reiss

**Family Fun Night Planning** - Nichole Cyr, Janel Reiss, Laykin Donze, Dana Bowen, Tyne Huck, Dillion Friedmeyer, Lauren Bell, Laura Gegg

**MAP Encouragement** - Jennifer Kirchner, Paige Naeger

**Disability Week** - Tyne Huck, Christina Rudloff-Guilford, Coach Basler, Dillion Friedmeyer, Nichole Cyr

**Art Show** - Christina Guilford

**Feature Teacher:**

October - Emily Geisner

November: Tyne Huck

December: Molly Bahr

January: Paige Naeger

February: Dana Palmer

March: Heidi Heberlie

April: Kristi Byington

May: Ashley Gettinger

**Super Staff:**

October: - Lisa Fargo

November: Zach Henderson

December: Julia Boyer

January: Breea Harmon

February: Lauren Fallert

March: Michelle Bader

April: Randy Porter

May: Nurse Kelli

**STAFF: EVENTS & TRAININGS:**

**Grade Level Meetings:** Grade Level Teams meet weekly for 50 minutes during common plan times to discuss curriculum, pacing guides, create/analyze common assessments, and plan grade level practices.

**Faculty Meetings** - 7:15 - 7:45 a.m. All meetings include pertinent district/building information and treats for our teachers.

**August 15** -Back to School Meeting. Review of expectations and guidelines for the year regarding morning and end-of-day routines, instruction, and daily processes, and current systems in place.

**Sept. 19-** Shawn Long and Johnana Bequette came to show how to use the Novel Effect. Also discussed care team and to focus on pre-referral and specific problems, Grandparent's Day parking, volunteers, and communication expectations.

Oct. 16 - PD Plan-Appendix F, Lessons with Lasso, Hopes and Dreams, November Comfy Days and discussion on radio calls and the need to keep radios on and turned up.

Nov. 20- Nurse Visits, Office Snacks, Dragons Den Change, Santa Shop, AMI Grade Level prepping, Lessons with Laso, Building Wide Behavior System, Building committees

### No December Meeting Held

Jan. 5 - Held on PD Day. Plans moving forward, Talking to the students regarding loss, things you love about the school/teaching

Feb. 19- Climate Survey Results, School Board Appreciation, Science Curriculum, Concert location, Bird Appreciation Day, Author Showcase, Lessons with Lasso

March 19 - Family Fun Night, Steel Drum Band, PM Duties, Nurse's Passes, Science Ordering, Summer Work Orders, Green Schools Certification, Numbers Next Year

April 16 - Dr. Taylor met with staff regarding certified staff pay scale; Sped-504 Post meeting expectations, reminder of board meeting honoring Darla, Earth Day, SEMO Steel Drum Band, Extra recesses, surveys for Nate/Andrea, new team member, lessons with lasso, and the year in review

### Monthly Events:

- Aug. 4-6 New Teacher Days
- Aug. 11-12 Professional Development Day for All Employees
- Aug. 13 Teacher Workday
- Aug. 13 Preschool & Kindergarten Open House
- Aug. 14 Grades 1-5 Open House
- Aug. 18 First Day of Student Attendance
- Aug. 25 Fire/Earthquake/Emergency Evacuation Drill
- Aug. 26 Board of Education Meeting at 6:30 p.m.
- Aug. 28 First Grade Care Team/RTI Meeting - Common Plan Time
- Aug. 29 Kindergarten Care Team/RTI Meeting - Common Plan Time
- Sept. 2 Fourth and Fifth Grade Care Team/RTI Meetings
- Sept. 3 Second and Third Grade Care Team/RTI Meetings
- Sept. 4 Elementary Admin Meeting
- Sept. 8 BLE Target Team Meeting
- Sept. 8 Tornado Drill
- Sept. 9 PTO Meeting
- Sept. 9 District Admin/Supervisor Meeting
- Sept. 12 LETRS Training Volume I - half day
- Sept. 16 Board of Education Meeting at 6:30 p.m.
- Sept. 18 Faculty Meeting @ 7:15
- Sept. 19 Grandparents Day Celebration for 3rd Grade
- Sept. 23 Kindergarten RTI/Care Team Meeting
- Sept. 23 1st Grade RTI/Care Team Meeting
- Sept. 23 McTeacher Night
- Sept. 25 LETRS Training Volume 2
- Sept. 25 Fall BLE Title Federal Programs Meeting

- Sept. 29 No School - Teacher and Para Professional Development Day
- Oct. 1 Impact Team Meeting
- Oct. 2 Veterans Day Planning Meeting @ 7:15
- Oct. 6 Fall Family Fun Night Meeting @ 3:15
- Oct. 7 District Admin/Supervisor Meeting
- Oct. 7 PTO Meeting
- Oct. 13 Elementary Target Team Meeting
- Oct. 15 Mid-Semester Grade Check
- Oct. 16 Fire/Earthquake/Emergency Evacuation Drill
- Oct. 16 Faculty Meeting @ 7:15 a.m
- Oct. 20 Board of Education Meeting at 6:30 p.m
- Oct. 21 First Grade RTI /Care Team Meeting
- Oct. 21 Fifth Grade RTI/Care Team Meeting
- Oct. 23 Parent/Teacher Conferences 1:30 - 4:00 p.m. & 5:00 -8:00 p.m.
- Oct. 28 Kindergarten RTI/Care Team Meeting
- Oct. 28 Fourth Grade RTI/Care Team Meeting
- Oct. 29 Second Grade RTI/Care Team Meeting
- Oct. 29 Third Grade RTI/Care Team Meeting
- Oct. 30 LETRS Training Volume I
- Oct. 31 \$100 Reimbursements are due to the Office
- Nov. 3 New Teacher Training
- Nov. 4 District Admin/Supervisor Meeting
- Nov. 4 Fall Family Fun Night
- Nov. 5 SG R-II Facilities Committee Meeting
- Nov. 6 Elementary Year 1 and 2 Impact Team Meeting
- Nov. 10 BLE Target Team Meeting
- Nov. 12 Veterans Day Assembly @ 1:30
- Nov. 18 PTO Meeting
- Nov. 18 Board of Education Meeting at 6:30 p.m
- Nov. 19 LETRS Training Volume 2
- Nov. 20 LETRS Training Volume 1
- Nov. 20 Faculty Meeting at 7:15
- Nov. 25 Shelter in Place Drill
- Dec. 4 District Admin/Supervisor Meeting
- Dec. 9 Impact Team Meeting
- Dec. 11 1st Grade Music Concert @ 5 p.m. at the Performing Arts Center
- Dec. 11 3rd Grade Music Concert @ 7 p.m. at the Performing Arts Center
- Dec. 15 1st Grade RTI/Care Team Meeting
- Dec. 15 5th Grade RTI/Care Team Meeting
- Dec. 16 4th Grade RTI/Care Team Meeting
- Dec. 16 Kindergarten RTI/Care Team Meeting
- Dec. 16 Board of Education Meeting at 6:30 p.m.
- Dec. 17 2nd Grade RTI/Care Team Meeting
- Dec. 17 3rd Grade RTI/Care Team Meeting
- Dec. 19 End of Semester
- Jan. 5 Teacher PD/Work Day
- Jan. 6 Classes Resume
- Jan. 8 District Admin/Supervisor Meeting
- Jan. 9 Earthquake/Fire/Emergency Exit Drill
- Jan. 13 PTO Meeting

- Jan. 20 Board of Education Meeting at 6:30 p.m.
- Jan. 26 Snow Day
- Jan. 27-29 AMI Days
- Feb. 3 100th Day of School
- Feb. 3 District Admin/Supervisor Meeting
- Feb. 4 Read on MO Week Meeting
- Feb. 13 No School - Teacher PD Day
- Feb. 9 BLE Target Team Meeting
- Feb. 17 Board of Education Meeting at 6:30 p.m
- Feb. 18 1st Grade RtI/Care Team Meeting
- Feb. 18 5th Grade RtI/Care Team Meeting
- Feb. 19 Kindergarten RtI/Care Team Meeting
- Feb. 19 4th Grade RtI/Care Team Meeting
- Feb. 19 Faculty Meeting
- Feb. 20 LETRS Volume 1 Training
- Feb. 20 2nd Grade RtI/Care Team Meeting
- Feb. 20 3rd Grade RtI/Care Team Meeting
- Feb. 24 LETRS Volume 2 Training
- Feb. 26 Elementary Admin Meeting
- Mar. 3 PTO Meeting
- Mar. 5 LETRS Volume 1 Training
- Mar. 5 MAP Testing Coordinators Meeting
- Mar. 9 Tornado Drill
- Mar. 9 BLE Target Team Meeting
- Mar. 10 District Admin/Supervisors Meeting
- Mar. 11 LETRS Volume 2 Training
- Mar. 11 End of 3rd Quarter / Mid-Semester Grade Check
- Mar. 12 Spring Family Fun Night Meeting
- Mar. 16 Board of Education Meeting at 6:30 p.m.
- Mar. 17 Wellness Expo
- Mar. 19 Faculty Meeting
- Mar. 21 Kindergarten Registration
- Mar. 24 Title Meeting at 3:15 p.m.
- Apr. 9 1st Grade RtI/Care Team Meeting
- Apr. 9 5th Grade Care Team Meeting
- Apr. 10 2nd Grade RtI/Care Team Meeting
- Apr. 10 3rd Grade RtI/Care Team Meeting
- Apr. 13 BLE Target Team Meeting
- Apr. 14 Kindergarten RtI/Care Team Meeting
- Apr. 14 4th Grade RtI/Care Team Meeting
- Apr. 16 Faculty Meeting
- Apr. 21 Board of Education Meeting at 6:30 p.m.
- Apr. 23 Spring Family Fun Night
- Apr. 30 District Admin/Supervisor Meeting
- May 2 PTO Spring Carnival
- May 8 Retirement Banquet
- May 11 BLE Target Team Meeting
- May 12 PTO Meeting
- May 19 Board of Education Meeting at 6:30 p.m.
- May 21 Last Day of School

## Improvements and Accomplishments

### CURRICULUM:

- iReady reports were analyzed in Grades K-5 to determine strengths, opportunities for improvement, and significant gaps. This information was used to individualize instruction for students.
- Student Learning Objectives were written to assess student growth throughout the school year. When applicable, the iReady Math and NWEA science test were administered as part of the SLO (beginning, middle, and end of year).
- Continued Preschool Program with great success. Mrs. Nichole Cyr, lead teacher, with Ms. Nichole Stoker as classroom teacher aide.
- Title I Supplemental ELA Teacher, Ms. Lynette Pfaff provided Tier 3 RTI instruction for students K-5, and collaborated with Mrs. Tiffany Wolk, Reading Coach at BLE and SGE to facilitate grade level consistencies between the two Elementary Buildings.
- We continuously implement the Really Great Reading Phonics program at Grades K-3. Teachers analyzed the data to determine reteaching opportunities. Additional Really Great Reading data is analyzed during RTI meetings to determine Tier II instruction.
- Implementation of Heggerty phonological awareness program in grades K-2.
- Mrs. Jennifer Sutton, Title I Math Instructional Coach, assisted teachers with data analysis - particularly iReady data, use of best practices, and quality lesson/assessment development.
- Flex grouping was implemented at Grade 4 and 5 in the area of ELA to work with IDI groups.
- SeeSaw is the primary online communication app used in the building. Next year, we will move fully to Seesaw implementation.
- Weekly 50 minute collaborative team meetings were utilized by teachers at all grade levels to support collaborative teamwork on curriculum, instruction, and assessment.
- Special Education Co-teaching was implemented in grades 4 and 5.
- RtI (Response to Intervention) continued to be implemented at the kindergarten through fifth-grade levels. The data was reviewed every four to six weeks, and students were placed in appropriate intervention, on-level instruction, or enrichment groups. Grade-level teachers, Mrs. Pfaff, Ms. Boyer, and Ms. Fargo, provided Tier I, II, and III instruction.
- Lauren Bell and Julie Meyrose completed Year 2 of LETRS training.
- Molly Bahr, Emily Geisner, and Kim Rapp completed Year 1 of LETRS training.
- CARE Teams are held every four to six weeks for all grade levels.
- Dragons' Den was provided as an after-school program (\$150/quarterly cost to first student per family, \$100 for each second student in a family, and \$80 for student in a family thereafter) - Starting enrollment 51, ending enrollment 43.
- The Tier II Reflection Room has continued to help struggling students and maintain more stable classroom environments. Steph Rayoum and Ashtin Smith worked together for continued success in this room.
- Second grade collaborated with SGE and finished creating their Standards Based Report Card.

**DRILLS:**

- Aug. 25 Fire/Evacuation Drill, 9:50 a.m.
- Sept. 8 Severe Weather/Tornado Drill, 1:30 p.m.
- Oct. 16 Earthquake/Fire/Evacuation Drill, 10:15 a.m.
- Nov. 25 Shelter in Place Drill, 9:00 a.m.
- Jan. 9 Earthquake/Fire/Evacuation Drill, 9:00 a.m.
- Feb. 17 Alice Drill
- Mar. 9 Missouri Statewide Tornado Drill, 10:00am
- Apr. 10 Fire Drill, 8:00 a.m.

## **PARENT & FAMILY INVOLVEMENT:**

### **PTO Officers, Meetings & Events:**

President: Emily Schlueter

Vice President: Derek Grein

Treasurer: Hope Dougherty

Secretary: Carrie Noll

## **PROGRESS AND QUARTERLY GRADE REPORTS:**

- Oct. 24 Parent/Teacher Conferences/1st Quarter Grade Reports Sent Home
- Dec. 19 End of Semester, 2nd Quarter Report Cards Sent Home on Jan 9
- Mar. 11 3rd Quarter Ends/Grade Reports Sent Home on March 20
- May 20 End of Semester, 4th Quarter Grade Reports to be Mailed

## **COMMUNITY PROGRAMS:**

- Board of Education Meetings, Aug. 26, Sept. 23, Oct. 20, Nov. 18, Dec. 16, Jan. 20, Feb. 17, Mar. 16, Apr. 21, May 19, June 16, July 21
- Red Ribbon Week, Oct. 27-31
- Read on Missouri Week March 2-6

## **PROGRAMS EXPERIENCING CONTINUED SUCCESS:**

Comprehensive Literacy and Science of Reading

Response to Intervention, Grades K-5

Instructional Coaching, Family Fun Nights & Instructional Aides

D.R.A.G.O.N.S. Gifted Program

PTO

1:1 Initiative

Dragons Den After School Program

Professional Learning Communities – Collaborative Team Meetings

Really Great Reading Phonics Program

iReady assessment and individualized learning

VoAg collaboration with SGHS

4th & 5th Grade Kindness Leaders

Impact Team

Curriculum Writing

## **Goals and Priorities for 2026-2027**

- \*\*\*New Goal (High Priority)–Begin implementation of PBIS strategies building-wide based on summer professional development attended by teachers, administrators, and behavior coaches.
- \*\*\*New Goal (High Priority)–Continue work with Missouri Green Schools Initiative to implement and promote sustainable practices.

### Continued Practices

- Utilize beginning-of-year assessment data, such as RGR and iReady, to determine individual students' strengths and areas for growth.
  - Utilize iReady individualized instruction to provide extended learning.
- Utilize Supplemental ELA Teacher to provide Tier III support for struggling readers at K-5.
- Utilize Title I Instructional Coaches to provide additional assistance to new teachers and teachers identified by administration as needing additional support
- Utilize the Title I Instructional Coaches to assist in data analysis, formation of quality assessments, coaching and modeling best practices, and alignment of the Missouri Learning Standards and the district curriculum
- Continue implementing the RtI model in reading at K-5.
- RtI will consist of targeted interventions tied closely to Really Great Reading and the science of reading strategies.
- Continue use of Title I aides to provide targeted support K-5.
- Encourage teachers to strengthen ELA/Comprehensive Literacy components at Grades K-5 by participating in professional development.
- Continue to participate in LETRS training at K-5 and incorporate the strategies into daily instruction.
- Begin LETRS training for newly hired teachers
- Strengthen home/school communication with families
- Increase use of social media and Thrillshare to positively promote Bloomsdale Elementary - students, teachers, events, etc.
- Implement and Refine RtI/CARE Team data meeting format, which allows meetings to occur on set cycles
- Continue student data tracking of academic and personal goals to help students self-assess their growth.
- Increase administrator visibility in classrooms to develop relationships with teachers and staff, as well as provide support and resources as needed.
- Plan, schedule, and maintain a high rate of teacher observations and quality feedback through the DESE Teacher Evaluation model.
- Continue training on standards-based grading (best practices, quality formative and summative assessments, analyzing data, creating rubrics, and reporting data based on power standards)
- Continue collaboration between Early Childhood, Preschool, Parents as Teachers, and Kindergarten - facilitated by Early Childhood Coordinator
- Promote teacher and family involvement through PTO and Title I activities and meetings
- Utilize Impact Team members to provide Competency-Based Learning support for staff.
- Encourage teachers to seek out and attend subject-specific professional development.
- Promote after-school teacher-sponsored clubs to create a stronger school community.