



Title I Connections

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Parent Resource Newsletter

Parent Tips for School Success

Helping your child succeed in School

***Ring in the New Year 2021 with fun
GOAL setting activities!***

If you typically start the New Year fresh by making resolutions, consider getting your kids in on the tradition this year. Not only can it be a valuable teaching moment, but can be a fun way for kids to develop their communication and decision making skills. Always remember that resolutions should be discussed in a positive and meaningful way! Use the attached "New Year 2021" pages to help your child get started in making some goals for the New Year!



*** Parent's Corner ***

Virtual Field Trips

Since we can not take any field trips at this time, we can thank technology for allowing us to take our children on a virtual field trip from the comfort of our own home. After you view these, have your child write and draw about what they saw.

San Diego Zoo Live Cam <https://zoo.sandiegozoo.org/live-cams>

Georgia Aquarium Live Cam <https://www.georgiaaquarium.org/webcam/ocean-voyager/>

Yellowstone National Park Virtual Map <https://www.nps.gov/yell/learn/photosmultimedia/virtualtours.htm>

Boston Children's Museum <https://www.bostonchildrensmuseum.org/museum-virtual-tour>

What Parents Can Do: Be involved!

**Please check your child's school calendar for specific dates for events!*

- January 4th — School reopens
 - Elementary In-service —Jan. 12th
 - Secondary In-service—Jan. 14th
 - Martin Luther King Day—Jan. 18th
- SCHOOL CLOSED**

Title I News

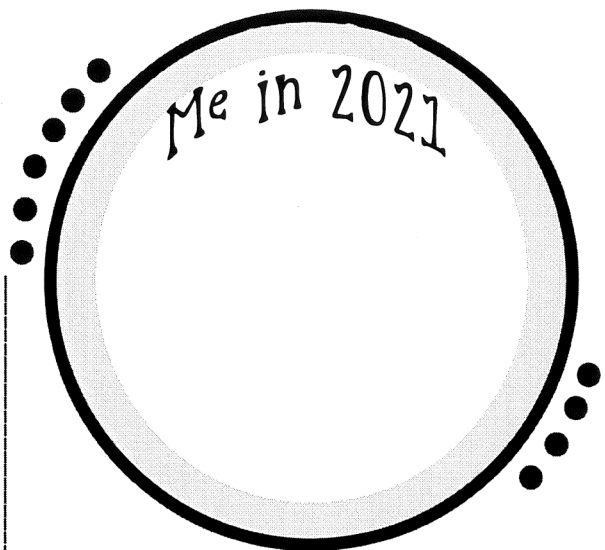
****Parent Resource Center****

Parents, students and teachers have had a challenging start to the school year due to the current pandemic restrictions in our world. We want you to know that even though this situation continues in the New Year of 2021, our Title I Program is here for you and your child every step of the way! Parent & Family Engagement events will continue and our Title I teachers are excited to provide math and literacy support to our students. We are also very lucky to have such wonderful parents who support our work and help in many ways so their children succeed! Please continue to work closely with your Parent Liaison and Title I Specialists and think about joining your child's school Parent Advisory Council for the New Year!

New Year's Resolution

Happy New Year! Now's the time,
To set a goal and make it mine!
I'm starting fresh. The year is new!
And this is what I'd like to do:

Handwriting practice lines consisting of solid top and bottom lines with a dashed middle line, repeated ten times.



MY TOP FIVE RESOLUTIONS:

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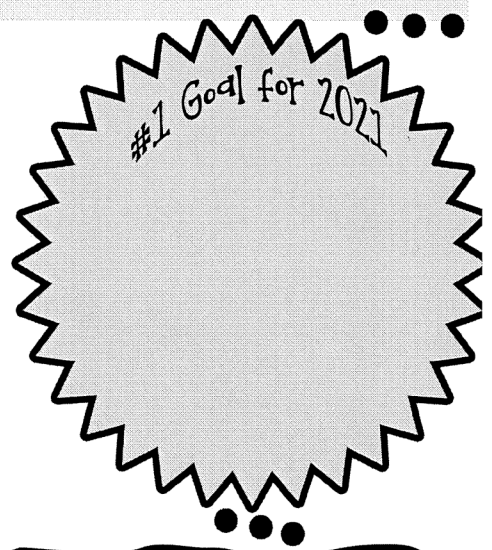
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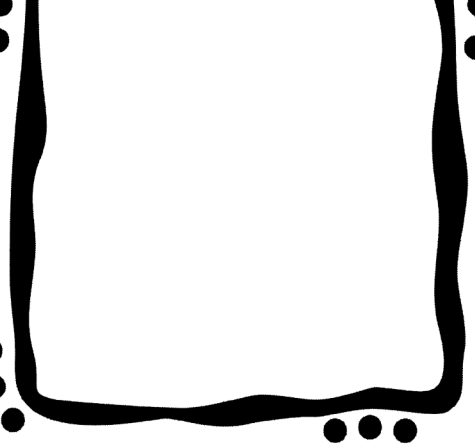
New Year's RESOLUTIONS



IN 2021 I WILL

- learn how to _____
- get better at _____
- try to _____
- make a difference by _____
- _____
- promise to _____
- help by _____

BEST MEMORY IN 2020



WBASD Federal Programs

Lunch With the Liaison

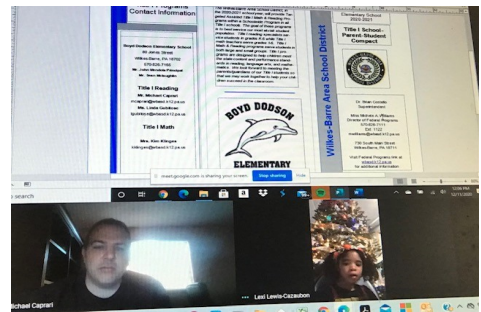
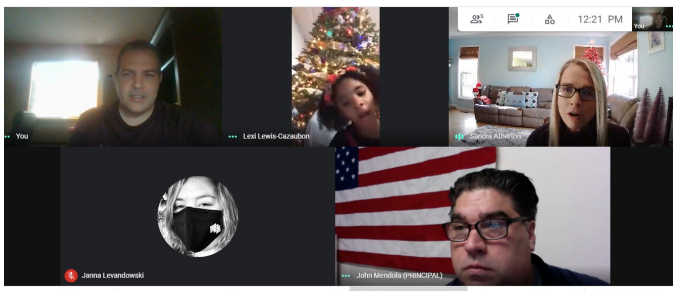
Parent & Family Engagement Event

In order to continue our strong “Home/School” connection through our Title I Program in the Wilkes-Barre Area School District, our Parent Liaisons have been hosting virtual “Lunch with the Liaison” events. Lunch with the Liaison is a virtual way that we can meet with our families to share the academic standards expected of all students, engagement opportunities offered, parent decision making opportunities, District and School Parent and Family Engagement Policies, School-Parent Compacts, Parent Advisory Information and much more while they receive a nice lunch delivered right to their house on us! Check out some of the events below!

Dodson Elementary School

Mike Caprari—Parent Liaison

Sandy Atherton—District Parent Liaison



Kistler Elementary School

Keli Shanahan—Parent Liaison

Brenda Cavaleri—Meyers High School

Parent Liaison



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Heights Elementary School

Kristin Laiuvara—Parent Liaison

