
Welcome to Parent Night

2018-2019



Agenda



- Mr. Walshire- Principal Welcome
- Dr. Lind- Superintendent
- New Staff Introductions
- School Improvement Plan
- IRLA
- Reading Pilot
- Schoology
- Millburn Education Foundation Information
- PTO Information
- Breakout into Classrooms



Dr. Jason Lind

Superintendent



New Staff

Ms. Courtney Ward- 5th Grade

Ms. Gianna Heelan- 4th Grade

Ms. Morgan Graham- 4th Grade

Ms. Mary Pursche- 1st Grade

Ms. Rebecca Habetler- Paraprofessional

Ms. Joey Kincaid- Paraprofessional

Ms. Jennifer Perez- Media Clerk

School Improvement Plan

- English Language Arts
- Cultural Competency



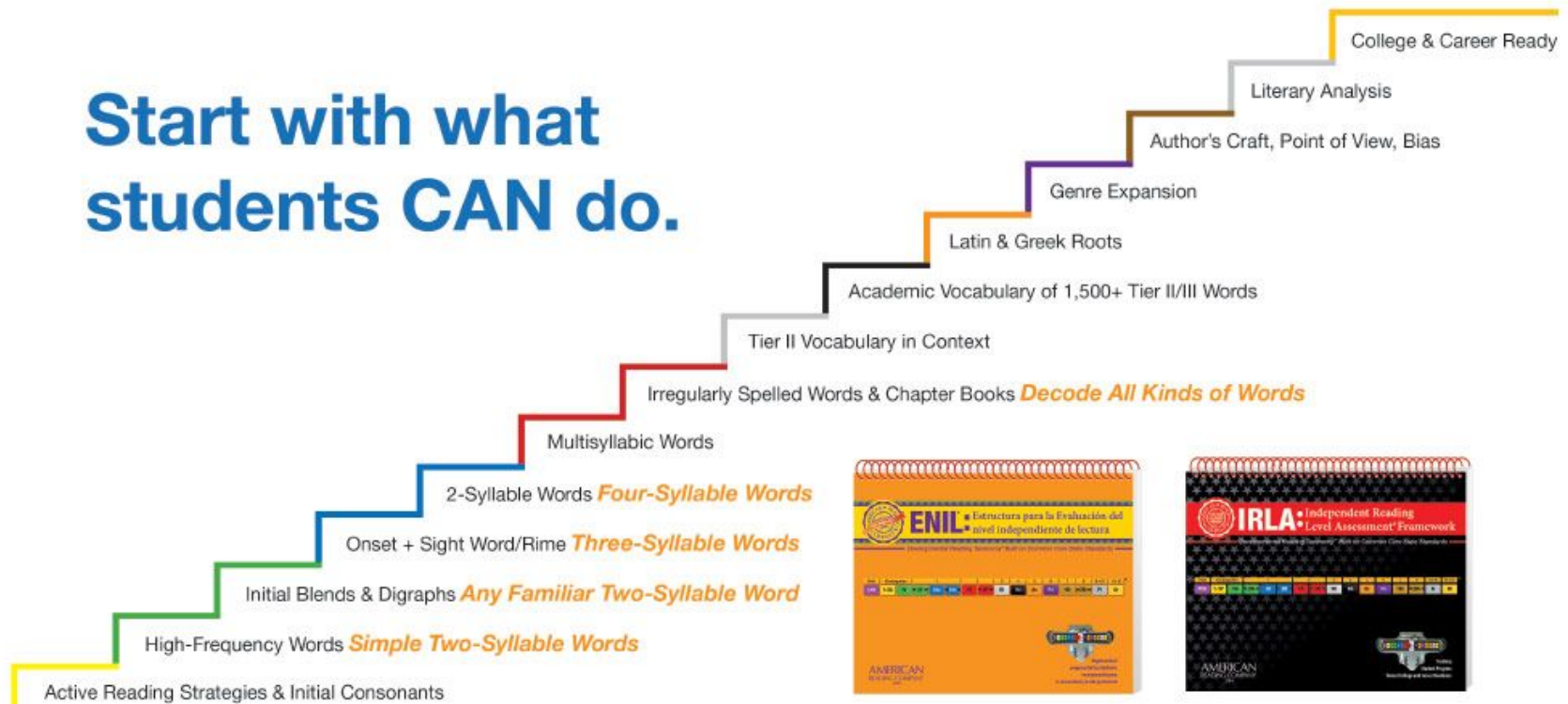
English Language Arts- ELA

1. Power Standards for ELA
2. Instructional Coaching for Teachers
3. Reading Leveling System- IRLA
4. Pilot- ARC CORE

IRLA- Independent Reading Level Assessment

Developmental Reading Taxonomy

Start with what students CAN do.



PreK	Kindergarten	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9 & 10	11 & 12				
RTM	1-3Y	1G	2G	1B	2B	1R	2R	Wt	Bk	Or	Pu	1Br	2Br	Si	GI



- ✓ Text Complexity
- ✓ Building Knowledge
- ✓ Usability

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ALL GREEN!

First ELA Curriculum
to Meet ALL Requirements
K-8

Turn Balanced Literacy Into Transformative Literacy

ARC Core Pilot

PBIS Rewards



Digital Acknowledgement System

Students earn ACKs

ACKs used to redeem privileges/incentives/raffles

Data review (more positive data than negative data)



Schoology- 4th and 5th Grade

Parent Login Info given tonight

Parent access allows to view updated gradebook



Cultural Competency

District Level Committee

Implement action steps that arise from the district committee

*Improve underperforming groups on state assessment

Millburn Parent Involvement Opportunities

Millburn PTO

Millburn Education Foundation



Meetings: 5 times a school year

First meeting: Tuesday, September 18th at 7:00 at MMS



***501(c)(3) charitable organization**

Meetings: Once a quarter

Next meeting is October 4th @ 7:30 in the MES Library

Parent Involvement Groups Mission:

Our missions are to enhance the relationship between home and school. To supplement the needs of the school with resources that provide the students in Millburn District 24 the best possible educational experience.

What each organization has done for Millburn

PTO:

- Help pay for student field trips through Student Enhancement Funds
- Provide equipment for recess
- Fund special requests for both schools - water bottle fountain at MMS, playground equipment at MES
- Sponsor family/community events
- Sponsor our 8th Grade Farewell Celebration

Foundation:

- Annual college scholarships awarded to graduating high school seniors who are Millburn graduates
- Contributed to enhance technology in the District
- Funded at need students to participate in field trips
- **Since 2016, the Foundation's fundraising has been to support the district's implementation and vision in STEM education at the elementary and middle school. We have raised over \$75,000 that will be given to the school district to implement in the near future.**

How can you support these organizations?

PTO:

- Attend one or our events
- Volunteer your time - some volunteer time could be as short as 30 minutes - some things are done at home or school
- Sponsor events
- Become a member

Foundation:

- Attend one of our events.
- Volunteer your time as a board member or provide assistance with a Foundation event.
- Sign up for Amazon Smile- every time you shop, part of your purchase comes directly to the Foundation
- All donations are tax-deductible.
 - Direct financial gifts
 - Check to see if your employer will price match your donation to the Foundation.

It's about you and your voice.

There are many activities/opportunities for Volunteers:

- Family Fun and Activity Nights
- Fall Fest
- Online Auction
- Restaurant Nights
- Parent Meet & Greet
- Parent Involvement Discussions

Contact us

PTO:

Website:

www.millburnpto.com

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Foundation:

Website:

www.millburneducationfoundation.org

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Please join us for the next
Parent Involvement Discussion:

October 16th @ 7:00
Millburn Elementary Library