



BENNET ELEMENTARY

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District OR 1

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NEWSLETTER

Together, we prepare our students to successfully meet the challenges of the future.



School routines are established and the staff and students have settled into the routine of the daily schedule. Bennet students are following

our school rules of: Be Responsible, Be Respectful, Be Safe and Be an Active Learner!

The first few weeks have been a review of previously learned concepts and MAPS testing and now it's time for the new and exciting learning. I look forward each day to getting into the classrooms to observe the students learning.

Our District OR 1 team is working very hard and doing a fabulous job keeping Bennet the best place to be for your children! I want to thank all of the families who have taken the time to support their child and the school. Your involvement truly makes a difference. The teachers and I want to partner with you to give your child the best education possible!

I continue to welcome the opportunity to visit with you should you have any questions, concerns, or comments. Mrs. Walter

Parent Teacher Conferences are scheduled for Tuesday, September 18th from 2:00-8:00 PM. We will have an early dismissal at 1:10 this day and the afterschool Rec. program will be available.

Bennet Elementary Lunch Schedule

11:20-11:40	KDG Lunch
11:50-12:10	1 st Grade Lunch
12:00-12:20	2nd Grade Lunch
12:10-12:30	3 rd Grade Lunch
12:20-12:40	4 th Grade Lunch
12:30-12:50	5 th Grade Lunch
12:40-1:00	6 th Grade Lunch

Homework Club

Homework Club has started at the Palmyra High School Library from 3:45-4:30 Tuesday and Thursday. This is a free service offered to all students at District OR 1 to help those complete assignments and encourage them in their academic work. There is no charge for homework club.

Upcoming Events:

September

- 10th BOE Meeting at PHS
- 11th Bennet Booster Meeting
- 18th Parent Teacher Conferences Early Dismissal at 1:10

Bennet Booster Corner

The Bennet Boosters meet the 2nd Tuesday of every month at 7:00 PM in the Elementary Commons. We hope to see you this Tuesday, September 11th for our next meeting. Please visit the Bennet Elementary Boosters Facebook page to learn more about upcoming events.

Please mark your calendars for the Fall Festival on October 5th.

Accelerated Reader

Last week during library classes, students asked Mr. Smidt if there was a way they could check at home and see if their books are AR or not. There is a way to do that. Go to www.arbookfind.com and select parent or student at the first screen. AR book find is a database you or your students can use to find out if your books at home have a test for them or not. Simply type in the title or author and search.

One practice my family does at home is write down the book level, the number of points the book is worth and the quiz number on the inside cover.

AR is open for students at Bennet Elementary Monday through Friday from 8:00 AM to 3:45 PM. Another option student can use is the Palmyra Memorial Library. Students can take tests after 3:45 at the memorial library, Glenda has access for students to take AR test while the library is open in Palmyra.

Mr. Smidt

If you have questions please contact me at Smidt.mat@districtor1.net

Grandparents Day

Thank you to all the grandparents and special family friends who joined their grandchild/ren for breakfast this week. We had over 90 visitors this week.

