

Principal Musings -Thank you, 2020!

Dear Bengal Families,

Welcome to 2021! The New Year is an opportunity for us to reflect on what proved to be a most challenging year in 2020. While many have exclaimed that they are happy to be done with 2020, I want to highlight and recognize all the wonderful things that happened despite so many challenges. Our Beckham community helped us open amidst a global pandemic with restrictions and mitigation measures we never planned for. Yet, our staff, students, and families pivoted, juggled, and persevered. We never gave up and embraced the constant changes as part of getting us back to a more normal existence. I also believe our collective ability to be able work through the barriers and adjust to so many changes has made us stronger. As we head into the second semester of the school year, I just want to thank you for helping make our first semester so awesome! Thank you, 2020, for all you taught us! Here's to an even better 2021!

Your very proud principal,

Mrs. Dassing

Updates for January 2021

First Semester Exams start soon!

Final exams for semester long classes will take place on **2/1 and 2/2**.

To ensure students don't have more than two tests in a day we have put together an exam schedule that incorporates yearlong classes.

Exam Schedule:

1/27 *State End-of-Course Testing for Algebra 1 and Biology*

1/28 1st & 2nd Block A Day (yearlong classes)

1/29 4th & 3rd B Day (Reverse Schedule 4-3-2-1) *Need to do this to pair w/ the CAS*

2/1 **3rd & 4th Block Final Exams** or 3rd & 4th A Day (yearlong classes)

2/2 **1st & 2nd Block Final Exams** or 1st and 2nd Block B day (yearlong classes)

2/3 Makeup Exams

2/4 Makeup Exams; Last day of Semester 1