JANUARY 31, 2025

Rutland Northwest Primary School

Every Student, Every Day

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Parents, Families, Friends, and Educators Working Together on Behalf of Our Children!









Dear Northwest Families,

I hope this letter finds you well and that your new year is off to a wonderful start! We are excited to welcome students back for the second half of the school year and look forward to continued growth, learning, and success together. Thank you for your continued support in making Northwest Primary School a great place for all our children to thrive.

We are proud of our students' hard work and accomplishments so far this year. Our monthly Star Student assemblies continue to highlight students who demonstrate our core values, such as respect, responsibility, and kindness.

As we continue through the winter season, please remember to send your child to school with appropriate winter clothing, including a warm coat, snow pants, boots, hats, and gloves. Outdoor play is an important part of the school day, and we want all children to be comfortable and safe during recess. If you need assistance with winter clothing, please contact our school office—we are happy to help.

Please feel free to contact me anytime with questions, concerns, or suggestions. Together, we can continue to make Northwest Primary a place where every child feels valued, safe, and inspired to learn.

Warm regards,

Christy Coloutti
Principal, Northwest Primary School







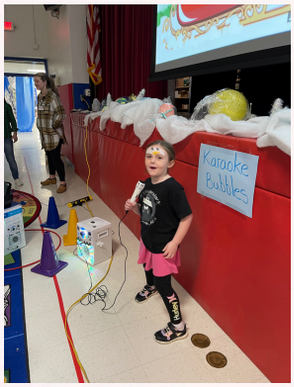


Mrs. Alexa's First Grade









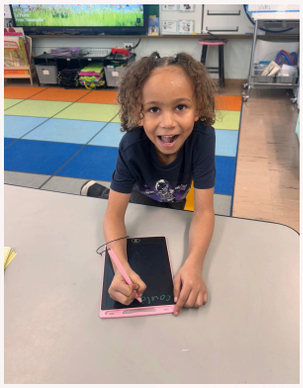
We have been learning about the author/illustrator Kevin Henkes and read 10 of his "Mouse Books". We've been retelling the stories, identifying characters, setting, problem, and solution, and talking about how characters change throughout the stories.Mrs. Fusco has been reading Junie B Jones and the students are loving that! We're working on writing opinion pieces. We are enjoying the movement lab. We are almost finished reading Charlie and the Chocolate Factory, We're working on becoming "sight word masters". We're working on adding and subtracting teen numbers.















What's happening around Northwest?





























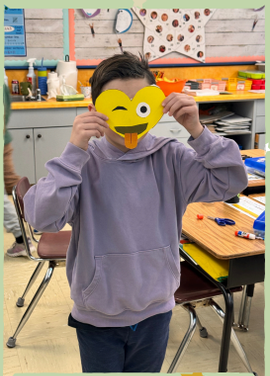
January's Star Students & Hero Assembly

As part of our PBIS (Positive Behavior Interventions & Supports) program, everyone at Northwest works together to Show respect, Treat others with kindness, Always be safe & Reach for the stars!

At Northwest Primary School we value Every Student, Every Day! Our staff and students work together to implement our Positive Behavior Interventions and Supports (PBIS) program of being "Star Students". Each week our students explicitly learn about how to be a "Star Student" in their social skills lesson with counselors. Everyday our student strive to Show respect, Treat others with kindness, Always be safe & Reach for the stars! On Fridays, a student displaying these traits is selected from each classroom, recognized during our morning announcements, and given a small memento. Classrooms collectively work together each week on Star Student classroom goals, and once our classes earn enough stars, we enjoy school wide celebrations!

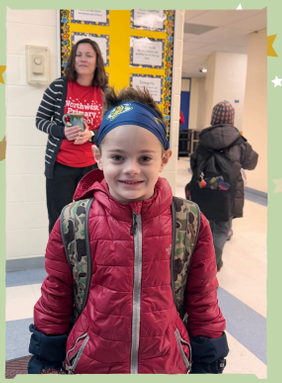
January's Portrait of a Graduate trait:
Kindness: We care and respect other people's feelings.













Upcoming Events for the month of February:

2/4 Ice Skating (1st & 2nd graders)

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2/26 Family Engagement Night

2/27 Hero Assembly

