

**Minutes of
The Regular Board Meeting**

**The Board of Directors of
South Page Community School District**

The Board of Directors of the South Page Community School District met in regular session on February 13, 2017 in the Vocational Agricultural Classroom at 606 Iowa Avenue, College Springs, Iowa 51637.

CALL TO ORDER- ROLL CALL

President Ron Peterman called the meeting to order at 7pm. Roll call: Jacquelyn Autry, Kenny Jackson, Ron Peterman and Darin McClarnon were present. Director Chris Drennen was absent. Also present were Superintendent Gregg Cruickshank, Principal Denise Green, Board Secretary Pat Behrhorst, and guests.

AGENDA

J Autry made a motion to approve the amended agenda. D McClarnon second. Motion carried 4-0

CONSENT AGENDA

K Jackson made a motion to approve the consent agenda to include previous minutes, the financial accounts, and the payments of bills. J Autry second. Motion carried 4-0

REPORTS

Denise Green Principal

1. All Pk-6th students have been given the Winter FAST Test.
2. Iowa Assessment Testing will be administered this week.
3. The Health Class presented a plan for a Student Wellness Club.
4. Parent-Student -Teacher Conferences
5. February 20 is a teacher professional development make up day. CPR training and data review are on the agenda.
6. The Junior High Corner Conference Science Fair is February 15th at Fremont-Mills.
7. FFA week is the week of February 20 – 24.
8. Corner Conference Speech Competition is February 22nd.
9. Corner Conference Quiz Bowl is March 9th.
10. South Page will host the Red Cross Bloodmobile March 10th.

Gregg Cruickshank, Superintendent- No Report

Legislative update moved to discussion items.

Maintenance/Transportation Director

1. Showers are complete in the locker rooms
2. Several proposals were provided for buses and the board will take action in March to replace the bus that was totaled from the accident in January.

DISCUSSION

Legislation

1. Rural School Advocates of Iowa latest update was presented. Supplemental state aid for 2018 was signed by the Governor at 1.11%
2. Proposed changes to collective bargaining were presented.
3. SEA Lead Negotiator Amanda Wooten, Mr. Cruickshank, and School Attorney Rick Franck had a phone conference regarding proposed changes to collective bargaining.

Staffing-Corner Conference Administrators have visited about different options to cover Elementary Guidance, TAG, and Music. South Page will advertise for appropriate positions.

Athletics- The Clarinda Board is discussing and approving South Page sports shared on Monday night. Seven boys approached Mr. Wennihan about hosting a junior varsity boys basketball team at South Page 2017-2018. A verbal understanding with Clarinda a few years ago was once South Page entered into an agreement with Clarinda, South Page would stay in the agreement. Mr. Stender and Mr. Cruickshank will visit on Tuesday.

Building Centennial- discussion on forming a community committee for the celebration.

Driver Education-Donnie Sears plans to teach Drivers Education. Twelve students have signed up. Tuition was \$250.00 last year for full and \$150.00 for reduced. Setting the tuition and teacher compensation will be done at March meeting.

Calendar 2017-2018- A draft was reviewed and discussed. The calendar will be approved at the March meeting.

Superintendent Vacancy- President Peterman and the Sidney Board President will meet February 15. Eight years of sharing have worked very well for both districts. More information will be shared at the March meeting.

ACTION

Superintendent Gregg Cruickshank presented a request for release from his contract effective June 30, 2017. K Jackson made a motion to accept his release with deep regrets. J Autry second. Motion carried 4-0

Board Comments – Appreciated and thanked Brett Wennihan for the Saturday morning basketball camp.

Celebrations-

- Congratulations to Taylor Peterson and Chase Hickey for Winter Royalty King/Queen.
- Catherine Neihart received 2nd Gold in FFA Public Speaking and advances to Districts.
- Amorette Mackey 6th in FFA Creed Speaking.

- Page County Spelling Bee students-4th Lucy Autry, Lilly Smith, alternate Jasmine Osborne, 5th-Baiyden Baer, CJ Hansen, alternate-Joslyn Mace, 6th-Brooke Richardson, Ice'us Potts, alternate-Cody Nicholas, 7th – Eli Drennen, Blaine Hicks, alternate- Draven Pedersen, 8th- Mason McClarnon, Blaine DeJong, alternate- Cassie Runyon
- Readers Theatre and Short Film received a 2 Rating at District Speech
- Group Improvisational Advanced to State Speech and received a 2 Rating- members are Leslie Gregory, Emma Hicks, Autumn Matson, Kathryn Gore, Braedan Gregory, Nicole Langley, Amorette Mackey, and Paris Schram.

Adjournment

K Jackson made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 8:05pm. D McClarnon second Motion carried 4-0

A strategy session was held after the regular meeting to discuss negotiations with the South Page Education Association. The meeting was exempt from Iowa Open Meeting Laws.

Reports, documents, and discussion items considered are on file in the Board Office, Monday-Friday from 8:00am 4:00pm. by appointment.

Ron Peterman, President
Pat Behrhorst, Secretary

**Minutes of
The Special Work Session Meeting of**

**The Board of Directors of
South Page Community School District and
Sidney Community School District**

The Directors of Both Boards met at the Shenandoah Public Library meeting room on February 28, 2017 at 5:30pm.

CALL TO ORDER- ROLL CALL

President Ron Peterman called the meeting to order at 5:30pm. Roll call: Jacquelyn Autry, Chris Drennen, Darin McClarnon, Ron Peterman. Director Kenny Jackson was absent.

Agenda

J Autry made a motion to approve the agenda. D McClarnon second Motion carried 4-0

Discussion

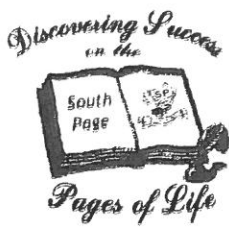
- The work session was directed by the Gaylord Tryon and Associates to accept applications and screen candidates.
- Tryon representatives presented an outline criteria and interview dates
- The Boards worked in groups to organize each districts Focus Groups for interviews

Adjourn

C Drennen made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:14pm D McClarnon seconded. Motion carried 4-0.

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Christopher Drennen - Vice-President
Darin McClarnon
Jacquelyn Autry
Kenneth Jackson

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Sidney Community School Board and South Page Community School Board

Special Work Session Meeting

February 28, 2017

5:30pm

Shenandoah Public Library

- 1. Call to Order-Roll Call**
- 2. Approve Agenda**
- 3. Work Session to organize for Superintendent**
- 4. Adjourn**

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BMO MASTERCARD	03.05.17D	CC PURCHASES	63.46		
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CIRCLE C SIGNS	8219	SPEECH T SHIRTS	180.00		

Board Report - For Board

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COIN COMMUNITY CENTER	02.16.17	FFA BREAKFAST DEPOSIT FEE	60.00		
COIN COMMUNITY CENTER	02.16.17A	FFA BREAKFAST RENTAL FEE	60.00		
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HOLIDAY INN HOTELS & SUITES	24758	BPA HOTEL ROOMS	331.52		
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HY-VEE	02.10.17	FOOD PURCHASES	36.00		
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IOWA FFA ASSOCIATION	22032	CONFERENCE REGISTRATION FEES	360.00		
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February 2017
MONTHLY FINANCIAL STATEMENT
SOUTH PAGE COMMUNITY SCHOOL
HOT LUNCH FUND

BEGINNING CASH BALANCE **-\$7,411.24**

INCOME

Student Lunches and Breakfasts	\$665.40
Staff Lunches and Breakfasts	\$132.05
Vending Machine	\$60.00
Food Sold to Staff	\$0.00
Food Sold to Daycare/Preschool	\$552.71
Federal & State Reimbursement	\$5,031.52
Insurance Loss	\$0.00
Summer Breakfast and Lunch	\$0.00
Rebates	\$0.00

TOTAL INCOME **\$6,441.68**

TOTAL AVAILABLE **-\$969.56**

CASH EXPENDITURES

Food	\$4,115.89
Equipment	\$0.00
Hot Lunch Refunds	\$0.00
Misc. Supplies	\$548.12
Tuition	\$0.00
Travel/Mileage Reimbursement	\$0.00
Salaries	\$3,333.87

TOTAL EXPENDITURES **\$7,997.88**

END OF MONTH BALANCE **-\$8,967.44**

Trend of Hot Lunch Account

February 2016	-\$12,336.98	\$314.95
March 2016	-\$11,288.35	\$1,048.63
April 2016	-\$11,911.71	-\$623.36
May 2016	-\$12,712.21	-\$800.50
June 2016	-\$13,461.68	-\$749.47
July 2016	-\$15,538.14	-\$2,076.46
August 2016	-\$1,897.13	-\$3,125.20
September 2016	-\$6,204.36	-\$3,079.16
October 2016	-\$7,805.41	-\$1,601.05
November 2016	-\$7,963.45	-\$158.04
December 2016	-\$6,289.68	\$1,673.77
January 2017	-\$7,411.24	-\$1,121.56
February 2017	-\$8,967.44	-\$1,556.20

Fund Balance s

ACCOUNT	2/29/2016	2/28/2017	INTEREST	RATE	BANK
ACTIVITY FUND 21	\$ 86,120.11	\$ 82,570.01	\$10.83	0.15%	PAGE COUNTY STATE BANK ACCT #3
ACTIVITY FUND 21	\$ 894.97	\$ 895.80	\$0.28	0.15%	ISJIT - 0785255605
RON WARREN SCHOLARSHIP FUND 81	\$ 487.42	\$ 487.42	\$0.00	0.15%	ISJIT - 0785254905
JOY JONES SCHOLARSHIP FUND 81	\$ 500.00	\$ -	\$0.00	0.15%	PAGE COUNTY STATE BANK ACCT #3
FUND 10 (GENERAL)	\$ 500,229.49	\$ 494,963.67	\$82.25	0.15%	BANK IOWA-CHECKING ACCT #1
ISJIT GENERAL FUND 10	\$ 109,806.92	\$ 113,707.48	\$24.64	0.15%	ISJIT - 0785255597
ISJIT MANAGEMENT FUND 22	\$ 94,579.21	\$ 62,252.29	\$14.42	0.15%	ISJIT - 0785255688
BANK IOWA MANAGEMENT FUND 22	\$ 14,478.29	\$ 4,366.75	\$0.00	0.15%	BANK IOWA-CHECKING ACCT #1
ISJIT PPEL FUND 36	\$ 20,771.42	\$ 23,366.98	\$5.34	0.01%	ISJIT - 0785255696
BANK IOWA PPEL FUND 36	\$ -	\$ 1,896.27	\$0.00	0.04%	BANK IOWA-CHECKING ACCT #1
ISJIT LOSST FUND 33	\$ 340,406.76	\$ 205,052.75	\$48.52	0.15%	ISJIT - 0785254699
BANK IOWA LOSST FUND 33	\$ -	\$ 125,167.49	\$0.00	0.15%	BANK IOWA-CHECKING ACCT #1
FUND 61 (NUTRITION)	\$ (12,336.98)	\$ (8,967.44)	\$0.00	0.15%	BANK IOWA-CHECKING ACCT #1
FUND 65 (Braddyville Little League)	\$ 4,445.53	\$ 5,067.18	\$0.00	0.15%	PAGE COUNTY STATE BANK ACCT #3
FUND 71 (Partially Self Funded)	\$ 6,357.71	\$ 9,690.93	\$0.00	0.15%	BANK IOWA-CHECKING ACCT #1
PAGE COUNTY FUND 91	\$ 1,735.52	\$ 1,574.84	\$0.00	0.15%	PAGE COUNTY STATE BANK ACCT #3
TOTAL CASH	\$ 1,168,476.37	\$ 1,122,092.42	\$186.28		

Post-Secondary Plans from Last Three Years of Graduates

Year of Graduation	# of Grads	Plan CC/# Did	Plan 4-yr/# Did	Plan Mil./# Did	Plan Work/# Did	Unemployed
2014	12	9	0	2	1	7
2015	13	5	3	1	4	8
2016	7	3	1	0	3	5
Plan Totals/completed	32	17	4	3	8	20
Percentages		53%	13%	9%	25%	63%
						/1
						/1
						/2
						/6%

ACT scores of 4-year college students:

	E	M	R	Sc	Comp
ACT	28	23	33	30	28
ACT	29	26	31	26	28
ACT	25	26	24	25	25
	27.7	24.7	30	27.7	27

ACT Readiness benchmark
South Page Averages

18	22	22	23
27.7	24.7	30	27.7

March 13, 2017
Board Report
Mrs. Green

1. Educational offerings proposed changes for 2018.
 - a. Preschool changes – See attached
 - b. Zero Hour weights/workout class –
 - i. Mr. King would like to teach a Zero hour classes as the students have showed interest in this as well.
 - ii. This would add an extra for HS PE position.
 - c. Passion Projects – 7-12 Students (STEM)
 - d. Possibility to add Title Teacher ½ time and/or find more time for automotive for example. Mr. Davis will be getting class request coming up soon for next year.
 - e. Mr. Davis will be presenting a program we would like to look at implementing for the 9-12th graders.
 - f. Department of Education News Release – FAST monitoring program is showing student growth in reading proficiency across the state. – Attached
2. Technology Update- Oxen Technology and Tech Support will be coming down Thursday and Friday to evaluate our backbone structure and the wireless connections. Access points are 4-5 years old and starting to show they are out dated. I will have an update in April. Any updates we will run through REAP and ERate.
3. Greenhouse update –
 - a. After the blower is installed – weather permitting (Dave and Phil)
 - b. Transplant and plant variety of things with the students.
4. Lancers Game – March 17th the Booster Club is taking about 45 students 7-12 to the Hockey Game. They are paying for ticket and subway.
5. Purchase of Play ground equipment – Attachment
 - a. Elementary Carnival Fund – Two pieces of equipment, Phil will install.

Phil:

- Steps by storage room replace – about \$1,500
- Concrete to finish the parking lot this summer.

Celebration:

- BPA State - Nikke Langley placed in the top 10 and Bailey was 5th.
- BPA Nationals – Bailey will advance to National in May.
- Bailey and Kelsie Honorable Mention All Conference
- Jr. High Science Fair students – 5 will move on to State Science Fair March 31st. – 1st Place in their category - Jessalee Neihart, Ashley Henneman, Logan Green, Blaine DeJong. 3rd Place Joey Culberston. Jessalee also was the Best of Show placing 1st over all.
- Corner Conference Speech –
 - The following students received a II: Chase Guthrie in Radio News, Lesli Gregory in Storytelling, and Anne Guthrie in Poetry.
 - Those students receiving I's and advancing to the state competition in Johnston, Iowa, on March 11 include: Maranda Culbertson in Prose and Acting, Taylor Peterson in Poetry, Kelsie McClarnon in Literary Program, Bailey Drennen in Acting, Leslie Rine in Acting and Solo Musical Theatre, Jacob Hammers in Radio News, Catherine Neihart in Poetry, Lesli Gregory in Improvisational Acting, and Erin Slough in Literary Program.
- District FFA – 7-12 Students Participated at Red Oak
 - Catherine - Public Speaking - Silver
 - Logan Green, Ashley Henneman, Jessalee Neihart, and Blaine DeJong - Ag Impact - Silver
 - Chanda Sunderman, Cheyenne Sunderman, Draven Pedersen, Bryan Gore - Ag CSI - Bronze
 - Greenhand Quiz - Amorette Mackey, Nikki Langley, Drake Latham - (individually) all received bronze
- Conference Quiz Bowl – Students participated in the Conference Bowl and placed 5th.
- Up Coming Events
 - Conference STEM Showcase – March 21st
 - 7 students with 3 projects
 - School Play – March 24th 7:00

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Revised Quote

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Quote Date: March 9, 2017

Sales Rep: Terri Miller

Est. Delivery: 2-3 weeks

Terms: Net 30 days

Project: South Page Schools, College

Springs, Iowa

Attn: Denise Green

Phone: 712-582-3211

Email: Denise.Green

Qty	Description	Unit Price	Total
1	Landscape Structures TopsyTurny Spinner 205800, direct bury	\$	4,120.00

NOTE: Excludes installation.

Subtotal	\$	4,120.00
Freight	\$	403.00
Sales Tax	Excludes tax	
Total	\$	4,523.00

To Accept this quotation, sign & date here and return: _____

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FS-1404

SKU: FS-1404

 CATEGORIES: [INDEPENDENT PLAY](#), [SPRING RIDERS](#)

Description

Product Description

Age Group: 2-12

Weight (lbs): 253

Safety Use Zone: 24ft x 24ft

Child Capacity : 4

Product Details:

Durable and rugged, our Freestanding Play products are the perfect complement to your existing playground or to be the building block of another KidsTale product. Our twist tunnels, climbers and swings ensure serious fun and age-appropriate physical development from our free-standing crawl tunnels to our 8' mountain twist climbers. All products are marked with the trademark KidsTale durability and the highest standards of safety.

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Denise,

I'm not sure why this didn't go through, but we'll try again, and I'll call you to be sure. Although, I guess if it doesn't go through, you wouldn't read this anyway. ☺

The FS-1404 is \$1,995 for pricing, and we'll be looking at approximately \$825 for the freight. It comes fully assembled, and is large, which is part of the freight charge.

\$2,820

If this works, please let me know, and I'll get you back a purchase agreement. Thanks, Denise. Talk soon.

Respectfully,

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Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
AM Prep	AM Combined 3's and 4's 8:15-11:15	AM Combined 3's and 4's 8:15-11:15	AM Combined 3's and 4's 8:15-11:15	AM Combined 3's and 4's 8:15-11:15
Lunch	11:15-11:45 4's only	11:15-11:45 4's only	11:15-11:45 4's only	11:15-11:45 4's only
PM Prep	PM 4's only 11:45-3:15	PM 4's only 11:45-3:15	PM 4's only 11:45-3:15	PM 4's only 11:45-3:15

I am proposing to have Mondays as my prep day. Monday would be my full day prep time because Tuesday-Friday I would not have a prep time. Monday is often my early childhood PD days, so we wouldn't have to find a sub for those days. I would have to plan accordingly for these days as I would obviously lose my prep time that week. Tuesday to Friday I would have a combined class of 3-year-olds and 4-year-olds from 8:15-11:15. At 11:15, the 3's will be dismissed to home/daycare. The 4's will go to lunch with the preschool teacher. Depending on numbers, I will most likely need a para in my room with me from 8:15-11:15 because I will more than likely have over 10 kids. Should I have more than 10 kids in the 4's class, I would then need a para for 11:15-3:15 as well.

By providing the children with a combined class in the morning, it will allow the 3's to learn from their older, slightly more-experienced peers. The Read It Again curriculum I use has the lessons written for a 4-year-old with average skill level. I would utilize the high support strategies provided by the curriculum to reach the 3's skill level as needed. I have been using this curriculum some with the 3's this year as it is very flexible and easy to use with other books. Having the 4's for a full day program 4 days a week will allow me to provide them with a richer, fuller education to help prepare them for kindergarten without the rush. Right now I have each class only 3 hours a day. Within those 3 hours we have to have 1/3 of that time (1 hour) dedicated to choice time (centers), at least 20 minutes of outdoor/large motor play time, snack time, transition times, and lesson time (which isn't supposed to be longer than 20 minutes). Within that 20 minute lesson time we are able to get several things done, but having an afternoon lesson time would allow me to focus on so many more skills than what they are getting now. With there being so little time during the day, things feel rushed sometimes. A full-day program would allow more time to work on skills, more time for choice play, more time for individual and small group time, more time for music (which often gets put off or is last priority), and it would be less rushed. This will also help prepare them for a full day of kindergarten the next school year.

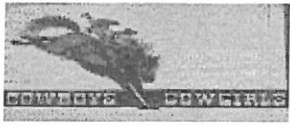
8:00-8:20	Breakfast/Arrival Activities	Students who eat breakfast at school will go to cafeteria for breakfast. Students who aren't eating breakfast will come to the classroom to do arrival activities. Arrival activities will include hanging up belongings, washing hands, signing in by writing name, attendance chart, milk chart, and a quiet activity (book, puzzle, writing, drawing, coloring.)
8:20-8:30	Morning Work	Students will complete a short activity centered around a specific skill, such as handwriting, cutting practice, a worksheet, etc. Once students finish, the teacher will move to the carpet and sing songs with the children until 8:30 or everyone is done. Para will remain at morning work until 8:30 or everyone is at carpet.
8:30-8:40	Morning Meeting at carpet	Students will meet at the carpet with the teacher after morning work. We will sing a welcome song, discuss the day's events, discuss the letter for the week, have a question of the day, etc. Take home bags (mystery bag, pet bag, estimation jar, student of the week, etc.) will also be during this time. We will have a quick brain break (movement activity) before moving on to lesson time.

8:40-8:55	Lesson/Circle Time	During this time, I will do a read-aloud and activities to go along with the read-aloud. I will use the Read It Again curriculum two times a week. The other two days will be a teacher-created lesson based on the GOLD curriculum objectives or STAR curriculum. During this time, para will assist and take observations for GOLD documentation.
8:55-9:15	Restroom Break/Hand Washing/ Morning Snack	Students will use the restroom and wash hands. While washing, the para will go to kitchen to get milks and snacks. Once everyone is washed up, we will go to our classroom to eat together.
9:15-10:15	Choice Time/Centers	During this time, students will have time for free choice play in centers in the classroom. Some days during the week the teacher and/or para will work with small groups in the art center. Teacher and para will play in centers with children and take observations for GOLD documentation.
10:15-10:20	Clean up	Students will work together to clean up classroom. A clean up song will be played to indicate this time. Teacher and para will assist.
10:20-10:30	Mini-Lesson/Music	During this time, the students will receive social-emotional instruction using the curriculum, SecondStep,

		two days a week. The other two days will be time for music or other activities as needed. Para will assist and take observations for GOLD documentation.
10:30-11:00	Outdoor Play/Large Motor	Students will have this time to play outside at the playground. If the weather does not permit outside play, students will play in the gym or do large motor activities in the classroom. Teacher and para will supervise and take observations for GOLD documentation.
11:00-11:15	3's: Departure Meeting and Pack Bags 4's: Hand Washing	The teacher will stay in the classroom with the 3's and review the days events and sing departure song. Teacher will then help 3's pack bags and prepare to leave at 11:15. Para will help 4's wash hands for lunch. Once all the 3's leave, the teacher will a) join the para if there is still 11+ students or b) relieve the para if there are 10 or less students.
11:15-11:45	Lunch	Students will go to cafeteria to eat lunch. Teacher will help students get lunch and get seated. Then teacher will eat with the students.
11:45-11:55	Restroom Break/Prepare for Rest Time	Students will use the restroom and wash hands before going to the classroom to prepare for rest time. Students will get their rest time materials

		and go to their designated place for rest time.
11:55-12:55	Rest Time	Students will rest/nap. Teacher will get students settled in and then do necessary prep quietly in the classroom.
12:55-1:05	Restrooms/Clean up rest time	Students will use the restroom if needed and put away their rest time items.
1:05-1:45 (1:05-2:05 if unable to play outside.)	Choice Time/Centers	Students will have this time for free choice play in centers. Teacher will play with children in centers and take observations for GOLD documentation.
1:45-1:50 (2:05-2:10 if unable to play outside.)	Clean up	During this time students will clean up the classroom. Teacher will assist. A clean-up song will be played to indicate this time.
1:50-2:10	Outdoor Play	During this time, students will play outside on the playground while the teacher supervises and takes observations for GOLD documentation. If the weather doesn't permit outside play, students will remain playing in centers in the classroom and clean up at 2:05.
2:10-2:25	Lesson/Circle Time	Students will go to the carpet with teacher. Teacher will do a read-aloud along with related activities based on the GOLD curriculum. This could also serve as a math lesson time or time to work on an ongoing project in the class.

2:25-3:00	Small Group/Limited Choice Time/Snack	Students will be in 3 small groups of children according to skill level. There will be 3 rotations during these 36 minutes. One rotation will be snack. Students will wash hands and eat snack. (Snack will be easily accessible for the students to get on their own.) A second rotation will be a small group activity based on a certain skill with the teacher. The third rotation will be a limited choice time where students can choose an activity from a few designated activities.
3:00-3:10	Music/Departure Meeting	Students will go to the carpet and teacher will lead the departure meeting. Music will also be during this time.
3:10-3:15	Pack Bags and Prepare to Dismiss	Teacher will help students pack bags and prepare to depart at 3:15.



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RELEASE: Iowa schools' reading efforts are making progress

1 message

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**Iowa Department of Education
News Release****For Immediate Release**

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Contact: Staci Hupp
515-281-5651
staci.hupp@iowa.gov**Iowa schools' reading efforts are making progress*****New brief shows more students on track to be proficient readers by the end of third grade***

DES MOINES – A statewide effort by Iowa schools to catch and correct reading problems in students early on is showing progress, according to a new policy brief released today by the Iowa Department of Education.

Nearly 9,000 students in kindergarten through third grade who had fallen short of benchmarks in reading in the fall of 2015 met or surpassed benchmarks by the spring of 2016, an increase of 4.2 percentage points. Increases in the highest-growth school districts ranged from 19.5 to 32.2 percentage points.

Iowa Department of Education leaders today announced the results of the policy brief and celebrated the growth and progress in early literacy statewide. They were joined by Jane Lindaman, superintendent of the Waterloo Community School District, Tynne Sulser, a third-grade teacher in the Centerville Community School District, and Mark Crady, who represented Iowa's area education agencies.

"Iowa's schools are focused on preparing students for success in high school and beyond, and that success begins with developing strong reading skills," Iowa Department of Education Director Ryan Wise said. "These findings show Iowa schools are making strides in their work to ensure all students are proficient readers by the end of third grade. This type of steady growth over time will translate into thousands of students getting on track in reading."

While the ability to read is important at all levels, research shows third grade is an important gateway grade, when children transition from "learning to read" and begin "reading to learn." Early reading difficulties have been linked to long-term consequences, such as dropping out of school.

Iowa's reading scores on state and national assessments have stagnated for years, and nearly one in four third-grade students is not proficient in reading.

The Iowa Legislature passed a law in 2012 that focuses on making sure all students are reading at grade level by the end of third grade. A key part of the law is an early warning system to help educators identify and intervene with students in kindergarten through third grade who are at risk for reading failure. Through the system, schools screen students in kindergarten through third grade three times a year – fall, winter and spring – to identify children at risk, to provide additional reading instruction and to monitor their progress.

Iowa's early warning system was implemented through a partnership between the Iowa Department of Education, area education agencies, and school districts.

Of 398 public school districts and nonpublic schools using the early warning system, 60.8 percent (242) saw an increase in the percentage of students in kindergarten through third grade at or above benchmark from fall 2015 to spring 2016. Fifty-three school districts showed double-digit percentage increases in results from fall to spring.

Of Iowa's urban school districts, the Waterloo Community School District demonstrated the largest growth, with a 14.6 percentage-point increase from fall 2015 to spring 2016.

"We are now better equipped than at any point in time to identify which students are on track and which ones aren't, and we have tools to spring into action with instruction that works," Lindaman said. "Knowledge is power, and when we know what students need, we are much more effective at providing the right interventions."

The growth and progress from Iowa's screening assessments are expected to translate to large-scale standardized tests in reading, such as the state assessment or the National Assessment of Educational Progress (NAEP), once all students have taken them.

Only about a quarter of students who have been screened through the early warning system have also taken the state assessment, which is administered to students for the first time in third grade. NAEP is taken for the first time in fourth grade.

For more information about Iowa's early literacy law, visit the Iowa Department of Education's [website](#).

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Senior Trip Itinerary

First Day (May 15):

- Leave at 9:00. Arrive at 11:00-11:30
- Lunch: fast food
- Paintball / Laser Tag (Jaeger's Paintball Park)
- Swim at hotel (Comfort Inn and Suites Downtown)/ Supper: fast food

Second Day (May 16):

- Breakfast (at the hotel)
- Kansas City Zoo- 9:30
- Lunch time at zoo or nearby establishment
- Ice Skating (Line Creek Community Center)
- Supper: Fancy Dinner (Cheesecake Factory)

Third Day (May 17):

- Breakfast (at the hotel)
- Go Ape Treetop Adventure Course (variety of activities, including ziplining)
- Lunch: fast food
- Drive two hours home; arrive home approximately 4:00.