

Kindergarten Push In

A commitment to Literacy...

- Using Federal Title I dollars we have committed to providing push in support across grade levels K-5 to support core instruction
 - Kindergarten, Full Day and our current half day A.M. and P.M. sessions, receive push in support during the outlined times on the schedule on back...
 - Push In Support
 - Trained Instructional Assistants (All)
 - Explicit instruction in small group rotations during 90 minute core instruction
 - Rotations allow for group sizes of 4-6 students
 - Small group rotations are a part of the Journeys curriculum expectations during the 90 minute block.
 - Skills taught in small groups are specific to student needs based on DIBELS data and skill deficits.
 - Specific skills taught include...
 - Letter Naming & Recognition**
 - Initial Sound Fluency**
 - Blending**Resource: ECRI (Enhanced Core Reading Instruction)
(Center on Teaching and Learning, University of Oregon)
 - Vocabulary Routines and Application within text**Resource: Journeys materials (Vocabulary Readers and Leveled Readers)
 - Comprehension**
- Resource: Journeys Leveled Readers
- Small Group Rotation is a five day rotation with the fifth day used to assess student progress.
- Push In Instructional Assistants Progress Monitor their own groups along side the classroom teachers on day five assessing...
 - Letter names
 - Nonsense word fluency
 - Popcorn words (site words)
 - Missing numbers (numeracy)

Independent work stations are organized and provided to support skills practice while one-on-one progress monitoring occurs. Each child works with an adult to graph their progress in each assessed area.

