

WLE UPDATE

Trustworthy Tiger Newsletter

March 2018

Poetry & Pastries with Parents

During the parent meeting after our Poetry & Pastries event, parents asked a few questions that I thought everyone might want an answer to. So the next couple of articles are designed to address topics that may be on everyone's minds. Thanks for trusting us with your kids.

How are you keeping my kids safe?

How will the kids know what to do in an emergency? We practice safety drills which includes tornado, fire, and intruder drills at least twice a year. Our next drills will be on Tuesday, March 6th.

Will the teachers carry guns? There is already a board policy in place which allows appropriately trained, assigned staff to provide security. A school resource officer is an example of this policy.

Do you offer Parents as Teachers?

We do offer Parents as Teachers services. If you are interested in PAT, contact Lisa Jadwin by email at lisa.jadwin@salem80.org or by phone at 573-729-6611 for more information.

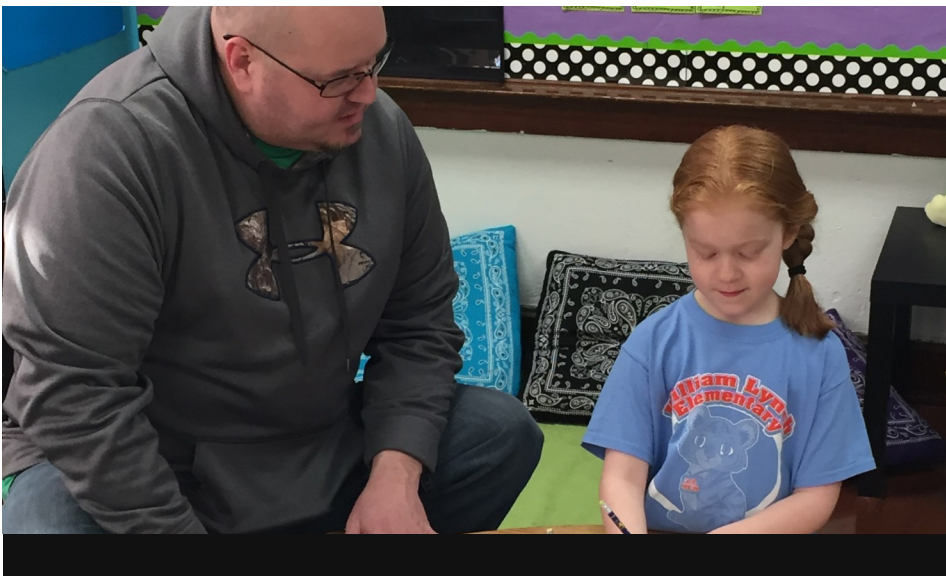
Mrs. Brakensiek's Reading Tips

The most important skill you can help your child strengthen is the ability to listen to himself/herself read and get the story.

When helping your child problem -solve a word, remind them to get his/her mouth ready for the first sound. Use the picture clues to help.

After reading a book, have a conversation about the book to build comprehension and retention skill.

Email Mrs. B with any questions at [jen-nifer.brakensiek@salem80.org](mailto:jennifer.brakensiek@salem80.org) OR see her at the front door.



Want More?

- Contact Mrs. Crocker at kriste.crocker@salem80.org or at 729-6611.
- Watch "Let's Read Together" https://youtu.be/9-EOZqU3_RE
- Watch the Ted Talk <https://youtu.be/ZBuT2wdYtpM>