

BRIDGE BULLETIN

MAY 15, 2021

FROM THE DESK OF MRS. ROUNDS

On Monday we will have 12 days of school left!

The list of upcoming events is getting shorter...

May 17 - 21 - End of year DIBELS testing grade K-6

May 19 - Kindergarten Round Up for 2021-2022 students

May 24 - KEEP Kindergarten end of year assessment begins

May 28 - \$2 Dress Down Donation Day

May 31 - Memorial Day (no school)

June 3 - Last Day of School (it is NOT a short day)

- Field Day
- Yearbook signing
- FREE dress down day!

Yearbooks - the yearbook ordering closed on April 15. The school will NOT have yearbooks available for purchase. Students who do not have a yearbook can bring their own journal to have signed or the school will provide students with an autograph "book".

If you ordered a yearbook but your child will not be at the school on June 3, you can pick the yearbook up at the school the following week or we can mail it to you if you prefer.

As always, thank you for entrusting Bridge with your children's education.

Have a terrific weekend and we will see you on Monday.

Lani Rounds



BASE ON JUNE 3 (LAST DAY OF SCHOOL)

The last day of school is NOT a short day. We still intend to have BASE that day for the families that need it. PLEASE let us know if your child will be attending BASE on Thursday, June 3 so our kitchen staff will have a more accurate count for dinner.

[BASE LINK FOR JUNE 3](#)

THE AWARDS KEEP ON COMING!

Through the incredibly hard work on behalf of students, teachers and para educators, Bridge has received NUMEROUS awards this month! We are blessed with staff who work tirelessly to help kids succeed and students who are learning how to set and attain goals!

- **National School of Excellence for Imagine Learning Language and Literacy**
- **National School of Excellence for Imagine Learning K2 Math**

- These awards are based on growth, lessons passed and usage. There are 16,000 schools across the nation who are eligible and only 80 who met the requirements to earn the award.

- **2nd Place Utah Math Cup Challenge for Imagine Learning K2 Math**

- This award is based on growth, lessons passed and usage, and includes ALL Utah schools that use Imagine Learning products.

- **Intermountain Health B3Kids Challenge**

- B3 (Brain Body Boost) is a one-of-a-kind, school-based physical activity program integrated with Utah's Health Education Core Curriculum. This awesome program is a unique digital experience where both teachers and students are rewarded for engaging in healthy behaviors.



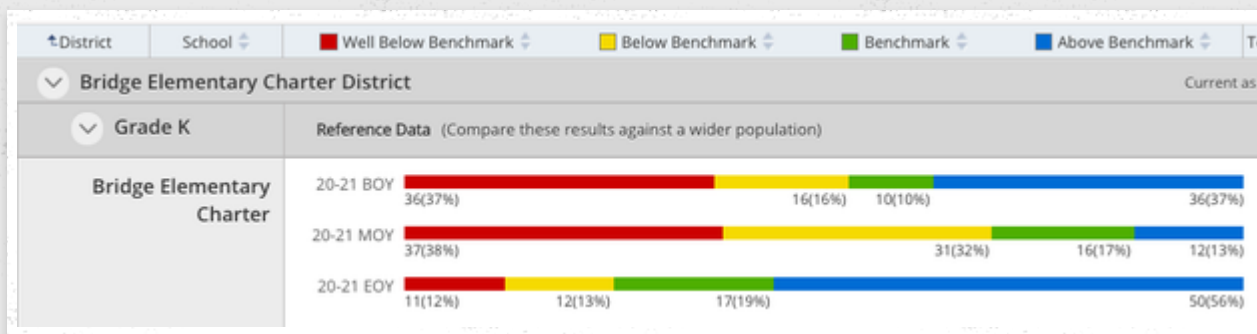
IMAGINE LEARNING ACCESS UNTIL JULY 30

We just received word from our vendor that our students will have access to Imagine Learning, until July 30! Imagine will also have a fun math challenge during the summer in which students can win awesome prizes just by completing lessons.



DIBELS TESTING

Next week we will complete our DIBELS testing but we are TOO excited to wait and share our kindergarten results! (The only grade that has completed all testing.) In ALL of my educational career I have never seen this kind of growth in kindergarten reading. At the beginning of the year only 47% of our kindergarten students were at grade level (blue and green). With some COVID hiccups, quarantines and soft closure, our scores dipped a little at the middle of the year, BUT with no unplanned breaks the scores increased substantially. Now, 75% of our kindergarten kiddos are at grade level according to DIBELS. This is a 28% growth! Our kinder teachers, paras and kids are the BEST!



DRESS CODE REMINDERS

As warm weather is upon us please remember we still have a dress code even on dress down days:

- Closed toed shoes only - NO flip flops or sandals.
- Skirts, skorts, shorts, and dresses must be no shorter than 4" above the knee unless leggings or tights are worn underneath (leggings or tights must be black or white only)
- Shirts must have a sleeve that is at least 3" wide (tank tops and spaghetti strap tops not allowed) and must be long enough that the belly or midriff are not visible.



You can find our entire Dress Code Specifications on our website at:

<https://www.bridgecharter.org/policies-procedures>

FIELD DAY - CANS OF SODA NEEDED

THANK YOU so much for ALL of the fabulous prizes that have been donated. We are now only in need of cans of soda for a ring toss game. Any soda will do - those tasty cans of Shasta are terrific!



THANK YOU in advance for helping us make this Field Day an event to be remembered!

READY2TEACH

Bridge is ALWAYS in need of great subs! If you are interested in subbing at Bridge - lunchroom, recess, classrooms, special education, etc. please apply today through Ready2Teach using the button above. We pay \$12 for all substitute positions.

VISIBLE LEARNING

Our students have now learned about all six of Bridge Elementary's the Visible Learning traits. We will continue to review the traits and reward students who display the traits through our Watch Me Learn schoolwide program. These are the traits your students have learned and we are hopeful that by continuing their education at Bridge, these traits will become part of their daily skill set.



- Flexibility
- Reflection
- Initiative
- Determination
- Thoroughness
- Enthusiasm

Our mission is to empower students to take ownership of their own learning. By learning, practicing and embracing these visible learning traits, students will have the skills needed to become accountable for their own lifelong learning. You can find the six Visible Learning traits on our website at [Visible Learning](#)



BRIDGE ELEMENTARY



The mission of Bridge Elementary is to provide students with a personalized learning experience and **empower** them to take personal ownership and accountability for their **own** academic performance.

WHO TO CONTACT FOR WHAT

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