



WELLINGTON

EXEMPTED VILLAGE SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Dear Parents or Guardians,

Under the Third Grade Reading Guarantee, Westwood Elementary has administered the Reading Diagnostic Screener to students in grades K-3. The Third Grade Reading Guarantee is legislation that ensures every struggling reader gets the support he or she needs to learn and achieve.

As a crucial component of the Third Grade Reading Guarantee, we have meticulously crafted Reading Improvement and Monitoring Plans (RIMPs) for each student who still needs to meet the minimum requirements on the Reading Diagnostic Screener as established by the Ohio Department of Education. These plans are tailored to address each student's unique reading problems, ensuring no issue goes unnoticed. We will vigilantly monitor the plan to ensure your child's reading improves.

Westwood also screens all students to determine their reading skills and whether they show any characteristics of dyslexia. This does not mean the students have dyslexia.

Your child was given the Acadience Learning Screening in September. Using this screening tool, we looked at your child's reading skills (letter naming, pulling apart the sounds in words, and matching sounds to letters). Your child's teacher will review your child's results with you and a goal score we hope all children reach at this point in the school year.

Your child has been identified as "not on track" and will receive the additional intervention. We want to emphasize that your continued support at home in reading is also essential. Rest assured, we are fully committed to providing the necessary support for your child's reading development.

The RIMP will provide your child with additional intervention, as needed, based on his or her weaknesses. This additional intervention can include flexible grouping, which involves extra research-based reading instruction during WIN time and one-on-one support intervention supports. Your child's intervention teacher may change according to how well he or she progresses.

Your child's RIMP will be reviewed and revised with you during PARENT/TEACHER CONFERENCES in November. Please sign up for a conference to discuss your child's areas of need and support.

Sincerely,

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