### Communication About Student Learning



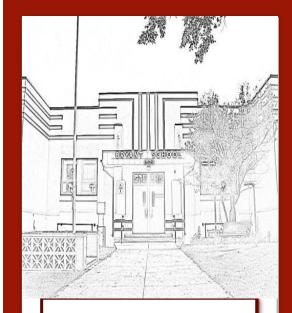
### **Bryant Elementary**

is committed to frequent twoway communication with families about student success. Some of the ways you can expect to reach us are:

Homework Folders
E-Mail Updates from the Principal
Newsletters
PE, Music and Library Reports
E-Mail from the Classroom
Teacher Phone Calls Home
Panther Pride Awards
Parent/Teacher Conferences
Back to School Night
PowerSchool (4th and 5th)

If you have questions about your child's progress, please e-mail your child's teacher:

2. Grade		
	Mrs. Rumley	wrumley@hsd1.org
	Mrs. Mullen	smullen@hsd1.org
4th & 5th Gra	ide	
	Mrs. Finstad	efinstad@hsd1.org
	Mrs. Emge	memge@hsd1.org
	Mrs. Canevaro	kcanevaro@hsd1.org
Specialists		
Mrs. Warne	nwarne@hsd1.org ~ Resource	
Mr. Chaffee	jochaffee@hsd1.org ~ Special Education	
Mrs. Haden	thaden@hsd1.org ~ Speech and Language	
Mrs. Elton	selton@hsd1.org ~ Special Education	
Mrs. Butler	bbutler@hsd1	.org ~ Title I Teacher



## Bryant Expectation Pledge

I am a Bryant Panther!

I strive to....

Be Safe

Be Responsible

Be Respectful

Be a Learner

at home, at school and in my community. Be at school, on time everyday.



Bryant Elementary School 1529 Boulder Avenue Helena, MT 59601 Phone: 406-324-1200 School – Parent Compact for Achievement 2014-2015



3rd, 4th & 5th Grade

More kids learning more...

hsd1.follettdestiny.com



Mr. Nick Radley
Principal
bryant.helenaschools.org

At Home: Parents for Bryant School joined staff to develop ideas about how families can support students' success.

It is important to note that **YOU** have the greatest impact on your child's school performance. It is our hope that as partners in your child's education, you are committed to doing your part as well. To set each child up for success, it is important to us that you are able to answer each of these questions with a **"YES."** 

Does your child read at home each day for at least twenty minutes?

Do you read to your child every day?

Are math facts gone over daily until they are known automatically?

Is there a quiet location in the house for homework time & do you check your child's homework each night? Is your child sent to school ready for the day following at least eight hours of sleep?

## Helena School District Goals For Student Achievement

80% or more...

Reading and Math – 80% of our students will be proficient (40 PR or higher) on District Benchmark Assessments.

<u>Attendance</u> – 80% of our students will miss 10 or fewer days of school during the school year.

#### Helena students will be...

- Engaged in their own learning
- Challenged academically in all disciplines with a strong foundation in literacy and math
- Graduates who are college and career ready









# Our 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> grade classrooms:

Each grade level team will work with children and their families to support student success in reading, math and citizenship. Some of our key resources are:

- Flexible groups
- Montana State Standards focus
- Helena High School Peer Mentors
- PAL Mentors
- Carroll College Reading Tutors
- IEFA Tutoring
- Progress Monitoring
- SuccessMaker math tutorial support
- Social Skills Lessons
- Parent-Teacher Conferences
- Parent engagement activities

#### Focus on MATH

Operations and Algebraic Thinking
Numbers and Operations in Base Ten
Fractions
Measurement and Data

Measurement and Data Geometry

#### Focus on **READING**

- Phonics
- Comprehension
- Fluency
- Spelling
- Vocabulary
- Connections between texts and real world experiences
- Critical Thinking Skills

Reading skills are integrated into science and social studies Montana State Standards

#### Focus on **communication**

Writing – various styles Speaking and Listening Using Proper Grammar Grade Level Spelling Critical Thinking Skills