



### Staff Update

March 6, 2020

### Getting our Reps In.

OUR ONE WORD

# REPS

### Grateful

1. **Anna Deri**-I'm grateful that I have a few more weeks of Anna Deri as our secretary.
2. **Michael Jenkins**-Michael is such a team player and is always willing to put in the work to do what is best for kids. Recently Michael got a new student who had a lot of needs and a BIG story. She happily welcomed him into her room, spent a few weeks getting to know him and was able to expertly advise all of us as to how we can best meet his needs. It is amazing to have teachers like Michael to work with every day.
3. **Spring Break**-It's coming...hang tight! March 23rd is coming!

## Love is an Intervention



Mrs. Watson brought Ms. Decker's K class in to visit Dolly the Dolphin on Thursday!

## Secretary Update

We have hired our new secretary. Her name is Kim Walters. Kim is a former teacher. In fact she was an EL teacher in Texas. Upon moving to Ohio she has worked for the YMCA and has currently been the site director for a Kindergarten Plus program at the YMCA of Central Ohio in Olentangy Schools. Kim is passionate about Hilliard Schools. She and her husband have six children who have attended Hilliard City Schools! I am currently working on setting up a meet and greet so we can start to get to know Kim before she starts on April 1st.

## Printers

We will be removing all color printers from the building except for the one in the workroom. They will become black and white.

## STAR Progress Monitoring for 2-5

Just a reminder that the STAR Progress Monitoring window opens next Friday, 3/13 and closes Friday, 4/3. This can be done in a "Choose Your Own Adventure" format. We definitely want to make sure that we are progress monitoring anyone who wasn't in the green in February (as well as anyone on the bubble). Here are some options:

- Two classrooms can give the STAR assessment while one or two do another activity (maybe around sense of belonging).
- You can progress monitor everyone. You can pull students who need small group to your back table if needed (or ask me for help).
- Pull a small group administer the STAR test to each day during your reading time.
- Or you can choose a way that would work best for you and your students.

Thank you so much! Please let us know if you have any questions or concerns.

## STAR Progress Monitoring for 2-5

Thank you for your enthusiasm for our fall Family Fun Night. The smiles, the creations, and energy was contagious. The upcoming Family Fun Night of STEAM on **April 8 from 5:00-6:30 PM at J.W. Reason.**

## STEAM

**BELOW is the Sign Up Genius and a video slideshow** from the fall that capture many smiles and fun. I sent the sign up to high school teacher advisors, and we have 42 slots filled by high school student mentors. This Friday I will share a bit at the beginning of our staff meeting. I'm sending to you ahead of time so you can let me know ANY feedback.

**The purpose of Family FUN Night of STEAM at J.W. Reason:**

- to build relationships with one another- teachers, families, students, and high school mentors
- to have fun in learning alongside one another using curiosity, collaboration, problem solving and creativity
- to ignite excitement for science, technology, engineering, art, math, and design thinking at J.W. Reason and as future career choices

**Here is the Sign Up Genius link:**

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70A0B48AFAB2EA64-spring>

Here is fun video slideshow from the fall event: **J.W. Reason Family FUN Night of STEAM Fall Celebration!**

THANK YOU for your support of our students and their families each and every day!  
Again let me know if you have ANY feedback. Have a wonderful evening!

## JW YOU Round 2

If your kids haven't filled out the google form for their JW YOU class please have them do so IMMEDIATELY!

Here are the links

[K-2A](#)

[K-2B](#)

[3-5A](#)

[3-5B](#)

## Hilliard U-PM Sessions at JW

We are excited about our plan for Hilliard University!

Here is the plan: ([there is a google form for you to fill out at the end of this message! Click on the link that matches your job title](#))

**We will be at Darby from 8:30-11:30**

**Lunch 11:30-12:30**

**We will be in the building 12:30-3:30**

**The afternoon will consist of THREE SESSIONS and some FUN!**

**Session 1a**--Vertical Alignment in Writing 12:30-1:25--this session is for all teachers EXCEPT RELATED ARTS

**Session 1b** for Related Arts--Building a Sense of Belonging--surprise presenter!

**FUN FOR ALL--1:30-1:45**

**Session 2a**--**Vertical Alignment in Math Fluency**--1:45-2:40--this session is for all teacher classroom and special education teachers

**Session 2b**-- **Integrating Tech into Related Arts** 1:45-2:40w/Jim Smalley (bring a device)

**Session 2c**--**Looking Deeper Into Phonics and Phonemic Awareness** EL and Title Teachers  
1:45-2:40 w/ Jackie Noland

**Session 3- Connection and Clarity with Counseling and the Classroom** from 2:45-3:30 w/ Jeff Williams--ALL STAFF

CLARITY-----OUR GOAL IS FOR EVERYONE TO HAVE TIME TO DIG IN AND DO THE WORK. WE WANT YOU ALL TO WALK AWAY WITH THINGS TO USE IN YOUR CLASSROOMS.

Please answer the questions below to help guide our planning for the day.

**Please click on the appropriate link to help us intentionally plan these sessions to best meet YOUR needs:**

[Classroom Teacher-Tech Guy-Counselor-Related Arts-Gifted](#) Session 1a, 2a and 3

[Special Education](#) Session 1a, 2a and 3

[Related Arts](#) Session 1b, 2b and 3

[Title Reading](#) Session 1a, 2c and 3

[EL](#) Session 1a, 2c and 3

Intervention Assistants-please attend session 1a, 2a and 3

## **JW Grows**

For this round of JW Grows we embedded the PD into our data teams. Grades K-3 and Title participated in an observation and debrief during a recent data team. We have received great feedback about this.

**We will be scheduling JW GROWS for 4th and 5th grades on March 11th and special ed and Nicole and Bethany!**

## **Rapid Evacuation**

BEFORE SPRING BREAK WE WILL HAVE OUR RAPID EVACUATION DRILL WITH POLICE. I CANNOT TELL YOU WHEN.

Please begin practicing this with students.

Main goal:

Show them how to get out of the building FAST but without pushing or hurting anyone

Run to a designated place and then talk with the class about where they would go if they really had to keep running away from the school.

## **Mobile Dentist**

The mobile dentist is coming back to JW on 4/28 and 4/29! Please be on the lookout for forms to start coming back! Thank you.

## **PTO Candy Sale-Feb. 24-EXTENDED TO MARCH 13th**

WHO WANTS TO VOLUNTEER TO GET SLIMED IF WE MAKE IT TO THE SLIME STAGE?

We will have a kick off video for the news---coming soon.

Chocolate sale will start Feb. 24th and run officially until March 7th with the option of extending it by a week until the 14th of March.

The prizes will be as follows:

Top Class gets a pizza party and a \$50 grant for the teacher.

If we sell...

50 boxes: Super hero day: students wear a shirt of their favorite super hero

100 boxes: All students will get a water bottle for field day

If we get to 150 boxes we will enter the **SLIME STAGE**:

150 boxes: Mystery sliming: Two students will be randomly picked to slime one of two mystery staff members. \*\*Every student at J.W. Reason will have their name entered into a drawing and two will be drawn at random to slime the staff members\*\*

200 boxes: Two more mystery staff members will be added to the list to be slimed.

For every additional 25 boxes of chocolate we sell above, 200 we will add another staff member to the slime lineup :)

## **SPRING ASSESSMENT DAYS**

Please check below for your assigned day.

I know that this may not be ideal for everyone, but please note that I did not pick the days-the dates and number of subs were assigned to us. So, here is the method behind the madness of how I assigned you to a specific day:

1-We were given 2 Friday assessment days-I used those for EL coteachers b/c they do not teach JW YOU.

2-I tried to keep grade levels together when possible

3-If I have scheduled your day on a day that you have a planned absence already please let me know ASAP.

4-Please be ready to adjust and adapt

5-I am considering this the **second** draft however the dates and number of subs on each day cannot be changed.

6-Some of the dates are dates that have been already assigned as AIR test dates therefore I had to avoid have grade levels assess for assessment days if that is their AIR test day.

**4/17-AIR MAKE UP DAY- (2 subs)-**Gorbett** and Webb-Assessment Day**

**4/21-5th GRADE MATH AIR TEST-(5 subs)-**Morris, Jeckavitch, Denman, Clarizio, Ells-Assessment Day****

**4/22-3rd GRADE MATH AIR TEST-(3 subs)-**Lough, Norris, Jenkins-Assessment Day****

**4/28-5th GRADE SCIENCE AIR TEST-(5 subs)-**Geckeler, Decker, VanVleet, Van Fleet, Callif-Assessment Day****

**5/1-AIR MAKE UP DAY- (2 subs)-**Stauffer, Ryan-Assessment Day****

**5/5-AIR MAKE UP DAY-(5 subs)-**Zawisza, Hudson, Knickerbocker, Jones, Miller-Assessment Day****

MANY OF YOU HAVE ONE MORE ASSESSMENT DAY LEFT---

If you have an assessment day left I have sent you a CALENDAR INVITE FOR THAT 4th day!

You will need to put in for a sub and put it in EAC.

## R Factor Lessons-for March

We are working on Build Skill this month. Here are your lesson plans

[K-2](#)

[3-5](#)

Tweet to #jwrfactor and #jwreason

## Master Facility Plan

The Master Facilities Committee will be putting a proposal in front of the Board on March 16th. The proposal includes idea about several schools, including JW Reason. I will have more information after the Board Meeting and will share that with you on March 17th during our Hilliard U PM session.

## Martti-Over the Phone Interpreter

Please fill out [THIS FORM](#) each time you use the service.

## What's on the calendar:

March 6-NO JW YOU THIS WEEK

Staff Meeting 8 AM---IGNITE REPEAT

March 11-JW GROWS for 4th and 5th grades, spec Ed, Emily and Bethany

March 12-Mini Math Data Teams Grades 1-5

March 13-Data Team Leaders 8:00 AM

JW YOU CHOICE ROUND 2 WEEK 1

March 17-HILLIARD U--Darby AM and JW in PM....more info to come

March 18-Mini Lit Data Teams Grades 1-5 at planning

March 19-SNACK CART from PTO

k ½ day PM data Team

BAC 3:45 and K an 1 Preview Night Team Planning Meeting

March 23-27-SPRING BREAK