

News from
Alden Place Elementary

January 15, 2021

Upcoming Events



Lunch Spacing

Currently, 3rd and 4th grades use the APR (all purpose room) for lunchtime. They mask up when needing to move (throw out, bathroom, water station, or lining up). 5th grade maintains their spacing in the classrooms for lunch.

Alden School Pictures

The picture packets were sent home this week and seemed to be somewhat a greenish hue and lacking color. We contacted Lifetouch regarding the issue and have good news. Lifetouch believes that the problem was in the processing phase and can be fixed. They are reprinting the packets and sending them to Alden Place for distribution. You may keep the first batch as Lifetouch does not need them returned.

Second Quarter Report Cards

Plan for report cards being sent home with students on February 5 (Blazers and Gray Cohorts) and February 8 (Blue Cohort). Absent students and remote students will receive their report cards by mail.

Library Genrefication

Mrs. Bosan has been busy revamping the Alden Place Library categorizing books according to their given genres. This process turns the library shelves into a bookstore model breaking out sections such as humor, mystery, graphic novels, etc. Check out the picture below with the genre heading on the signs above the shelving.



Your child can continue to check out books from the district webpage/Alden Place/library. Mrs. Bosan will pull the request and deliver it to the office or your child's desk. The books are returned, sanitized, and reshelfed.

Notes:

1. The PTO Gertrude Hawk fundraiser is currently running. Extra information sheets are available in the school office if you would like to participate. The PTO is also continuing their membership drive for 20/21. Please consider joining as they do so many good things for your children.
2. Thank you so much for your role in making the drop-off / pick-up routine successful. Your patience in not passing each other is commendable.
3. Remember to fill out the screening form daily for each child.

4. We have Alden Pictures available on Instagram. Follow us at [alden_place_elementary](#).

Thomas Libka, Principal of Alden Place Elementary

Gallery



This is the 4th grade (Blue Cohort) at recess on Tuesday. The gaga pit was popular even in the snow.



Junior Interact displayed their Kindness Rocks recently to the left of the school entry.



5th graders (Gray Cohort) are taking a quiz.