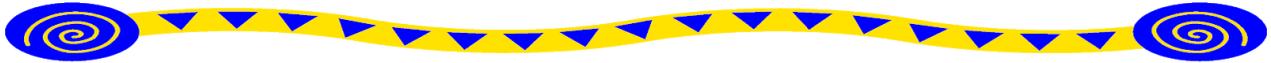


# Positive Parent POW-WOW

Listed below is our weekly PBIS (Positive Behavior Intervention Support) theme.  
I can be respectful, responsible and safe in all areas!!!

- Jan. 7-11 = I can keep hands, feet, and all other objects to myself (All Settings).
- Jan. 14-18 = I can go quickly to my destination and return quickly (Hallway).
- Jan. 21-25 = I can use an appropriate voice level (Cafeteria).
- Jan. 28-Feb. 1 = I can give privacy to others and respect restroom property (Restroom).



## Mrs. Criddle's Corner

January, 2019

Dear families,

Hopefully you and your family had a wonderful holiday season. It was nice to have a few days off from school, but we are excited to welcome everyone back for a great second semester.

One of our New Year's Resolutions is to keep excellent records and improve communication with families. In order to do this we are asking for your help. It is imperative that we have an up to date home phone number, cell phone numbers, and current email addresses. If you have recently had a change, please make sure to call school for any updates. Also, it is important to have your voice mail setup so that we may leave a message, especially in the case of an emergency. Thank you very much for your assistance.

January 7-11 students will be given an i-Ready winter benchmark. The benchmark test is given three times a year (September, January, and May). These tests are given by a classroom or reading teacher. The results of i-Ready provide us with a student's reading and math levels. Teachers use the scores to group students into leveled groups which allow us to differentiate instruction and meet the needs of EVERY child. Parents can help improve fluency at home by practicing reading passages aloud with their child. Also, have your child read aloud to you and see how many words they can read in one minute. Next, have your child try to beat that number and read the passage a second time. Any extra math fact practice will also help your children build fluency and speed.

Congrats to Ms. Mendi's Kg class for having the highest attendance percentage for the month of December. Way to go, Kindergarten students!!!

Gordonville friends and family, thank you for your support. Enjoy your January!!!

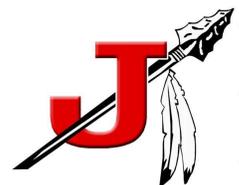
Happy New Year!!!

Shauna Criddle, Principal

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[January Elementary Lunch Menu](#)



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