

FLORENCE RIDEOUT NEWSLETTER

JANUARY 10TH 2025

What is
new at
FRES?

Welcome back!

We have hit the ground running in the New Year with iReady testing throughout the grades. In order to have success during these testing windows we encourage students to get a good night sleep and have a healthy breakfast.

We have a few days of extreme cold and windy conditions which have prevented students from being outside during recess. In accordance with our handbook students will continue to go outside if the real feel temperature is at or above 12 degrees.

Next week, students will be joined by Specialist and NHDl members to learn a dance performance that will be performed on Wednesday, January 22nd at Wilton Lyndeborough Co-Op School. For more information see the flyer below.

We have some changes. Nurse Marissa has joined our team at Florence Rideout Elementary School in the health office!
Many will recognize Nurse Marissa from LCS. We are excited to welcome Nurse Marissa to the team!



Indoor Recess
with Mr. M!

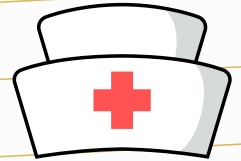
Get outside this winter and share this opportunity with your students. Ski NH is offering its 4th and 5th grade passports for \$59, which allow students to receive one lift ticket to each of Ski NH's 30 ski areas.
<https://www.skinh.com/passport>

No School Monday, January 20th in
observance of MLK

LYNDEBOROUGH CENTRAL NEWSLETTER

What is
new at
LCS?

This week we had a chilly first full week back! Teachers and students got creative incorporating movement into the day. Students practiced routines and academics are in full swing! All kindergartners began addition to 5 this week. We have been preparing for our iReady diagnostic next week. On Wednesday, January 15th, all kindergartners will have specials together to participate in NHD (New Hampshire Dance Institute). We are looking forward to our dress rehearsal at FRES on the 22nd, and evening performance at WLC! Just a reminder there will be no school on Monday 1/20/25 in observance of Martin Luther King Jr. Day. Have a fabulous weekend!!!



We have some changes in the health office! Nurse Marissa has moved to Florence Rideout Elementary School however, can still be reached by LCS families and will still support our LCS students. Nurse Marissa's new number is (603) 732-9286.

Mr. M making an
impact with our
LCS students!

SPECIAL EDUCATION

Special Education

Another important part of our special education team is our BCBA and ABA/RBTs. They are part of our RISE and Student Support programs. Therapists work 1:1 or 1:2 in both the regular education classroom and special education setting.

The ABA (applied behavior analysis) Therapists and RBT (Registered Behavior Technician) implement various teaching techniques including discrete trial teaching, task analysis, positive behavior management, data collection, verbal behavior, and de-escalation strategies. They model expected behavior and help foster social skill development. The ABAs/RBTs assist students with their daily academics and carry-over lessons from other services. They also teach acceptance and knowledge to students in the regular education classroom.

Our BCBA (Board Certified Behavior Analyst) oversees the ABA/RBT Therapists and provides ongoing support for students. She conducts functional behavior assessments, creates positive behavior support plans which are individualized for each student, and analyzes the program data to ensure student progress. The BCBA has also developed training for the staff.

The patience and excitement this group shows for ALL children is beyond measure. They are known throughout the school, especially when they participate in themed activities. They are a lot of fun and we appreciate them for everything they do.



Joke of the Week:

Which school supply is King of the classroom?

The first 5 students who know the answer and who come *to the front office* will receive a small prize.



Upcoming Events

- 1/6 - 1/17 iReady testing
- 1/10 Skate Night at FRES PTO
- 1/13 Read-A-Thon PTO event
- 1/20 No School MLK day
- 1/22 FRES & LCS NHDI Performance at WLC 5pm
- 1/23 Spelling Bee
- 2/21 Winter Dance at FRES PTO

Skate Night

**Join us for the first skate night of
the year!**

January 10, 2025

\$6 per skater

4 for \$20

5:30pm-7:30pm

5:30-6:30 k-2

6:30-7:30 3-5

The Theme is :

Glow Party

Pizza, Drinks & Snacks

are available for purchase!

READ-A-THON

JANUARY 13- JANUARY 17

Kindergarten - 5th grade

THE FRES/LCS PTO HAS DECIDED TO HOLD A READ-A-THON THIS YEAR! READ-A-THONS ACTUALLY GET YOUR READER EXCITED ABOUT READING, AND IT GIVES FRIENDS AND FAMILY THE OPPORTUNITY TO ENCOURAGE YOUR CHILD TO READ EVEN MORE.

A WEEK BEFORE THE READ-A-THON IS SET TO BEGIN, INFORMATION WILL BE SENT HOME ON HOW TO ACTIVATE YOUR READERS PERSONAL PAGE. THIS IS WHERE YOU WILL BE ABLE TO VIEW AND RECORD THEIR PROGRESS.

WE'VE CHOSEN THE READ-A-THON BECAUSE IT WILL NOT TAKE MUCH OF YOUR TIME, BUT GIVES YOUR CHILD A REASON TO WANT TO READ AND THIS HELPS WITH THE DEVELOPMENT OF STRONGER READING SKILLS.

WE HOPE EVERYONE CAN PARTICIPATE!

THANK YOU!

FRES & LCS Dance Performance

Open for all
Family &
Friends

Our elementary schools will be welcoming the NH Dance Institute for a week-long dance residency from 1/15/25 to 1/22/25. Students will be dancing every day with professional dancers and teachers and putting together a full school performance for Wednesday, January 22nd. Please arrive at 5pm for the performance to start shortly after 5. Come see all the fun and hard work your students have been putting in!

Mark the date!

22 January 2025

5pm at the WLC Gymnasium

questions?

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