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## GOALS FOR K-2 STUDENTS

### District Goals: 2020-2021

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#### FocusAreas:

In K-2 our school will primarily focus on the following area: **Reading Fluency and Comprehension in Language Arts**

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- » Participate in Community circle every Friday at 12:25 pm where I will demonstrate to parents what I am learning

### AS PARENTS WE WILL:

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#### Focus Areas:

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**Focus Area (ELA): Narrative Writing**  
**Focus Areas (Math): Statistics, Probability and Algebra**

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- » Provide online resources to support families and assign to the students homework in using Google Classroom
- » Provide Academic parent workshops, school events to learn academic strategies and practice Math, Reading and Writing with students at home.
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- » Participate in Community circle every Friday at 8:40 am where I will demonstrate to my parents what I am learning

### AS PARENTS WE WILL:

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- » Use Math, Literacy, Writing strategies to support my child with homework assignments
- » Use online resources and help my child with Google Classroom
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