WILDER Elementary
Home of the Wildcats

Summary of Comments:

216 responded to the survey

Questions 1-7, Academics (84 responses overall):

22 - Need to provide appropriate/consistent homework amount for grade level

14 – Overall great job/love Wilder

11 – Need to differentiate for all ability students

3 - Need better/more information why child needs additional instructional support

Recommendations:

- Develop a homework continuum that outlines minutes per grade level that is appropriate
- Develop deeper common understanding of differentiation (currently learning about learning styles, etc through our prof dev)
- Provide information to parents when student receives outside the class instructional support (from class teacher and support teacher)

Questions 9-13, Safety (54 responses overall):

6 – Provide students with antibullying information in class for school and bus issues

5 – Need follow through in class and playground for inappropriate behavior

5 – Impressed with behavior and the follow through with consequences

4 - Buses need more control over behavior

3 – Need a positive, nurturing environment

Recommendations:

- Schedule school counselor and principal to provide antibullying blasts 2x a year with follow-up in classes
- Implement Positive Behavior Intervention Support (PBIS, starts April 13), embedded antibullying
- Continue to work with transportation regarding the bus behavior

<u>Questions 15-19, Communications (67 responses):</u>

29 – Report card not effective/grading system does not provide needed information

6 – Keep teacher (including specials) pages on website updated (homework, handout)

6 – Chris and Chris are great!

5 – Need comments on report card for it to be effective

5 – Teachers are accessible and communicate

4 – Principal accessible/supportive

4 – Teacher conferences need to be longer

4 – Website is cluttered and needs to be updated

3 – Need stronger/positive communication from principal

Recommendations:

- Collaborate with Learning Services regarding report card
- Continue to develop website (home page and teacher pages)
- Revisit conferences
- Be aware of the need for positive communication and feedback