

Murdock Elementary Board Report

August 6, 2026 * Board Report # 1 * Stacy Lanzi

June Enrollment=481 TK= 53, K= 79, 1st= 74, 2nd= 86, 3rd=94, 4th= 89

August Enrollment =467 TK= 48 , K=73 , 1st=81 , 2nd=87, 3rd= 87, 4th= 97

The 26-27 school year is underway at Murdock. Our opening focus this year remains grounded in Capturing Kids Hearts: connection before content, and a belonging-centered culture for every student and staff member from day one!

Current enrollment for August = TK= , K= , 1st= , 2nd= , 3rd= , 4th= 31 Murdock staff members returned last week for a 2-day professional training by **Capturing Kids Hearts...** (we also invited WIS & WHS) .. I received tremendous feedback from all staff members, even the ones who don't like to get personal. We have new excitement and a bond from these 2 days!! { We hope to get the 10 teachers who could not attend.

Our **Back to School Night** is August 5th, 5:30-6:30. All families are invited to campus to meet their teachers, learn classroom plans, and expectations. Then have **Popsicles with the Principals**, culminating at 6:30 to ensure our staff and students get home for a good night's sleep.

August 4th- a focused professional development day with our **PLC coach** is working on our **top 6 ELA standards for the year for a guaranteed and viable curriculum** in every classroom on our campus. Our teachers will also have training in our **HMH Math curriculum** that they voted to pilot for the year as well.

"It's a Great Day to be A Mallard!" Please let me know if you have questions.