PLANS FOR 2015-16

We are in the final year of our three year School Improvement Plan and have seen great gains in the academic success of our students. They outperformed the overall state percentage in most areas! We are proud of our student’s success and will continue to work hard to implement our plan and programs and keep their learning at the highest level.

This year we are rolling out nearly 600 Chromebooks (mini laptops) as the first steps in reaching our goal of a one-to-one technology integration within our building.

HIGHLIGHTS OF OUR SCHOOL

The Mt. Baker staff feels that a quality school gives recognition to students’ successes and communicates actively with parents. The staff has worked hard to build programs that achieve both of these goals.

Student Recognition:

“PRIDE” Recognition Assemblies:
Students are selected quarterly by their teachers to receive awards for outstanding citizenship, academic progress and achievement.

Way to Go Awards:
Students collect these awards for doing something positive for the school community.

Parent Communication:

Listed below are some of the programs at Mt. Baker to ensure excellent levels of communication between parents and the school. Every effort is made to ensure these messages are being sent in the home language of the student and their family:

School Messenger:
Automated phone call system that allows parents to know of upcoming school-wide events and their student’s attendance.

Staff/School Websites

Family Access:
Parents can access their student’s attendance and daily record of homework, tests, quizzes and projects.

Principal’s Weekly E-mail:
Parents receive a weekly e-mail newsletter from the principal with information about our school, upcoming events and important information.

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

- Communities in Schools onsite coordinator
- LEAP (Latino Education Advancement Project)
- La Chispa (Latino Student Leadership Program)
- Multiple parent volunteer opportunities
- Builders Club (middle school version of Key Club)
- End Zone Academy (community service club)

TITLE PROGRAM

Mt. Baker is a Schoolwide Title I school. This means that all students at Mt. Baker are Title I students! Title I is a federally funded program developed to help schools raise the literacy and math levels of students. Teachers, parents and especially our students benefit from this unique status. As a Schoolwide Title I school, Mt. Baker is able to offer high quality instruction to ALL children. Mt. Baker students may receive extra support in reading and math. We are working to improve student learning each year through partnership efforts between our staff, parents and students.
MT. BAKER MIDDLE SCHOOL
Performance Data

ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS - Grades 6, 7 & 8

MATH - Grades 6, 7 & 8

SCIENCE - Grade 8