

# PLAINS SCHOOL

Newsletter

## Principal's News

Submitted by Hank Skala

I have enjoyed visiting various classes over the past weeks via zoom and am always amazed at the enthusiasm of both teachers and students during these online lessons. The students are always eager to share what they are learning and take great pride in the classroom activities. It is a very special part of my day and helps me connect in a small way with our students. I am looking forward to the next months when we will welcome back groups for in person learning. The building begins to have life again and the school excitement demonstrated by children learning side by side can never be replaced.

We recently completed some assessments in order to determine student progress. Teachers will review data and make instructional decisions in order to support continued growth. If you have any questions, please contact your child's teacher directly. I know there are daily messages being sent out and it appears that the use of the Dojo has helped greatly with communication.

We are hopeful that we will have a few virtual school events in the near future. Please stay tuned for more information!

In the meantime, there are no classes the week of February 15-19 due to winter vacation.

KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION for the 2021-2022 School Year begins on February 1. Packets are available at the school office.

Best,  
Hank Skala, Principal

For the month of February, the following dates are important:

**\*\*\*We will be holding our Packet Pick Up for New Kindergarten and New to First Grade students for the fall. Please pick up your packet at the school as we will not be accepting on line registrations. The packets will be available starting Feb.1st- Feb 12<sup>th</sup>. You can stop by the Main Office anytime between 8:30 am- 3:00 pm for pick up.**