

Board Presentation - December 17, 2025

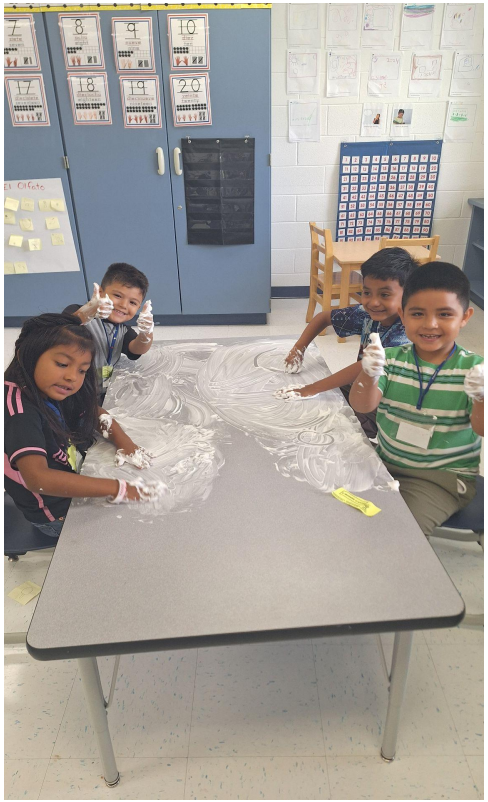
Crosby Elementary Board Update:

Kindergarten Teaming, Play-Based Learning, and Inclusion

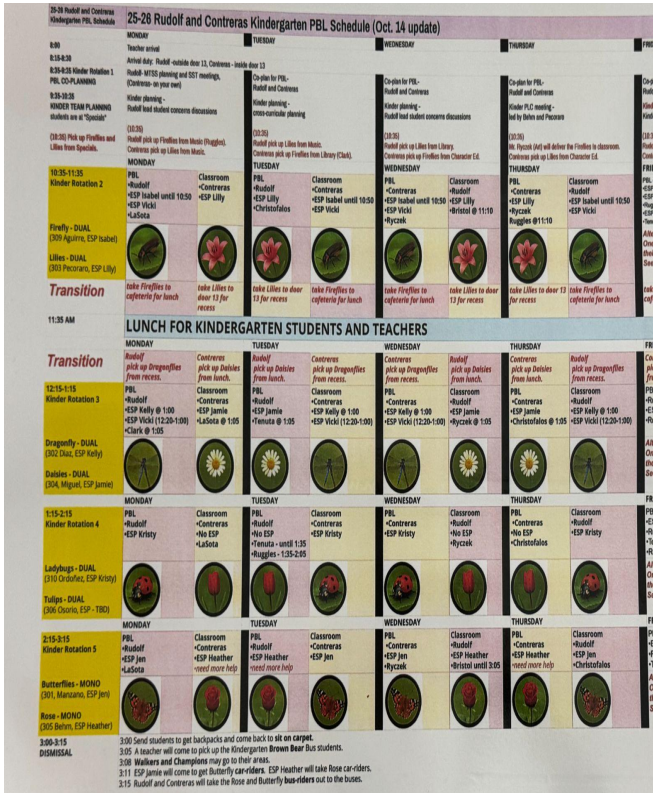


Team Teaching

Can you tell us what your school day looks like?







25-26 Rudolf and Contreras Kindergarten PBL Schedule (Oct. 14 update)

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY
8:00	Teacher arrival			
8:15-8:30	Arrival duty: Rudolf -outside door 13, Contreras - inside door 13			
8:30-8:35 Kinder Rotation 1 PBL CO-PLANNING	Rudolf- MTSS planning and SST meetings, (Contreras- on your own)	Co-plan for PBL- Rudolf and Contreras	Co-plan for PBL- Rudolf and Contreras	Co-plan for PBL- Rudolf and Contreras
8:35-10:35 KINDER TEAM PLANNING students are at "Specials"	Kinder planning - Rudolf lead student concerns discussions	Kinder planning - cross-curricular planning	Kinder planning - Rudolf lead student concerns discussions	Kinder PLC meeting - led by Behn and Pecoraro
(10:35) Pick up Fireflies and Lilies from Specials.	(10:35) Rudolf pick up Fireflies from Music (Ruggles). Contreras pick up Lilies from Music.	(10:35) Rudolf pick up Lilies from Music. Contreras pick up Fireflies from Library (Clark).	(10:35) Rudolf pick up Lilies from Library. Contreras pick up Fireflies from Character Ed.	(10:35) Mr. Pycek (Art) will deliver the Fireflies to classroom. Contreras pick up Lilies from Character Ed.
10:35-11:35 Kinder Rotation 2	MONDAY PBL: •Rudolf •ESP Isabel until 10:50 •ESP Vicki •LaSota Classroom: •Contreras •ESP Lilly	TUESDAY PBL: •Rudolf •ESP Lilly •Christofalos Classroom: •Contreras •ESP Isabel until 10:50 •ESP Vicki	WEDNESDAY PBL: •Contreras •ESP Isabel until 10:50 •ESP Vicki •Rycek Classroom: •Rudolf •ESP Lilly •Bristol @ 11:10	THURSDAY PBL: •Contreras •ESP Lilly •Rycek Ruggles @11:10 Classroom: •Rudolf •ESP Isabel until 10:50 •ESP Vicki
Firefly - DUAL (309 Aguirre, ESP Isabel) Lilies - DUAL (303 Pecoraro, ESP Lilly)				
Transition	take Fireflies to cafeteria for lunch / take Lilies to door 13 for recess	take Lilies to door 13 for recess / take Fireflies to cafeteria for lunch	take Fireflies to cafeteria for lunch / take Lilies to door 13 for recess	take Lilies to door 13 for recess / take Fireflies to cafeteria for lunch
11:35 AM	**LUNCH FOR KINDERGARTEN STUDENTS AND TEACHERS**			
Transition	MONDAY Rudolf pick up Dragonflies from recess. / Contreras pick up Daisies from lunch.	TUESDAY Rudolf pick up Daisies from lunch. / Contreras pick up Dragonflies from recess.	WEDNESDAY Contreras pick up Dragonflies from recess. / Rudolf pick up Daisies from lunch.	THURSDAY Contreras pick up Daisies from lunch. / Rudolf pick up Dragonflies from recess.
12:15-1:15 Kinder Rotation 3	PBL: •Rudolf •ESP Kelly @ 1:00 •ESP Vicki (12:20-1:00) •Clark @ 1:05 Classroom: •Contreras •ESP Jamie •LaSota @ 1:05	PBL: •Rudolf •ESP Jamie •Tenuta @ 1:05 Classroom: •Contreras •ESP Kelly @ 1:00 •ESP Vicki (12:20-1:00)	PBL: •Contreras •ESP Kelly @ 1:00 •ESP Vicki (12:20-1:00) Classroom: •Rudolf •ESP Jamie •Rycek @ 1:05	PBL: •Contreras •ESP Jamie •Christofalos @ 1:05 Classroom: •Rudolf •ESP Kelly @ 1:00 •ESP Vicki (12:20-1:00)
Dragonfly - DUAL (302 Diaz, ESP Kelly) Daisies - DUAL (304, Miguel, ESP Jamie)				
	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY
1:15-2:15 Kinder Rotation 4	PBL: •Rudolf •ESP Kristy Classroom: •Contreras •No ESP •LaSota	PBL: •Rudolf •No ESP •Tenuta - until 1:35 •Ruggles - 1:35-2:05 Classroom: •Contreras •ESP Kristy	PBL: •Contreras •ESP Kristy Classroom: •Rudolf •No ESP •Rycek	PBL: •Contreras •No ESP •Christofalos Classroom: •Rudolf •ESP Kristy
Ladybugs - DUAL (310 Ordoñez, ESP Kristy) Tulips - DUAL (306 Osorio, ESP - TBD)				
	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY
2:15-3:15 Kinder Rotation 5	PBL: •Rudolf •ESP Jen •LaSota Classroom: •Contreras •ESP Heather *need more help	PBL: •Rudolf •ESP Heather *need more help Classroom: •Contreras •ESP Jen	PBL: •Contreras •ESP Jen •Rycek Classroom: •Rudolf •ESP Heather •Bristol until 3:05	PBL: •Contreras •ESP Heather *need more help Classroom: •Rudolf •ESP Jen •Christofalos
Butterflies - MONO (301, Manzano, ESP Jen) Rose - MONO (305 Behm, ESP Heather)				
3:00-3:15 DISMISSAL	3:00 Send students to get backpacks and come back to **sit on carpet.** 3:05 A teacher will come to pick up the Kindergarten **Brown Bear** Bus students. 3:08 **Walkers and Champions** may go to their areas. 3:11 ESP Jamie will come to get Butterfly **car-riders.** ESP Heather will take Rose car-riders. 3:15 Rudolf and Contreras will take the Rose and Butterfly **bus-riders** out to the buses.			

Team Teaching

Students experience:

- Consistent routines
- Targeted instruction
- Increased opportunities for relationship-building with multiple educators
- Access to educators with diverse experiences

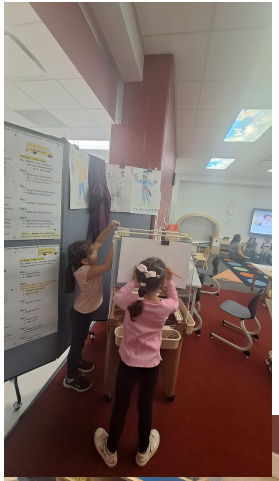
Teachers are able to:

- Collaborate closely
- Align instructional practices
- Respond collaboratively to student needs
- Integrate content areas

Play Based Learning

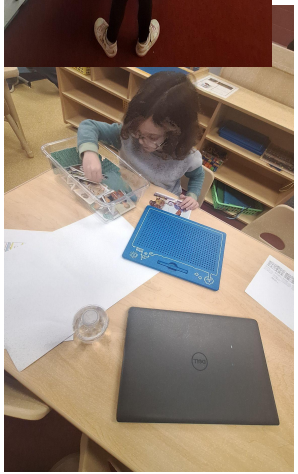
What is your favorite center in PBL? What do you like to create/make/build?













PBL

-Students engage in purposeful play

- Children build creativity, collaboration, oracy, and critical thinking while developing early literacy and math skills



Inclusion

Who helps in your classroom? What teachers or adults do you see?







What is your favorite part about coming to school?

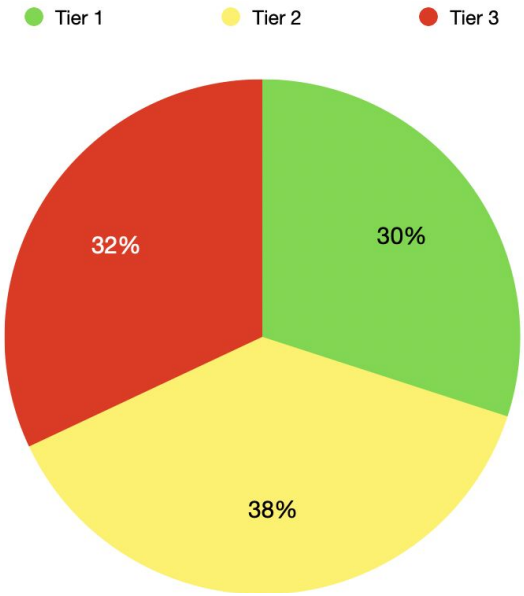






Kinder NWEA Math Map Scores

Spring 2025 (Last year's Kindergarten)



Winter 2025 (Current Kindergarten)

