



"Serving the Educational Needs of Munhall, Homestead and West Homestead"

Steel Valley School District

Park Elementary School

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Dear Parents and Guardians,

I have some very exciting news to share. Every Park Elementary teacher has earned their Apple Teacher Certification, and is now an "Apple Teacher." This is a tremendous accomplishment, and I want to thank the staff for their hard work. As many of you know, Park Elementary is academically outperforming the vast majority of schools in Allegheny County. While student academic achievement is very important to us, we also want our students to acquire the kinds of 21st century skills that will set them up for success in life. We want our students to be creative and collaborative; we want them to be able to communicate effectively and think critically. By earning their Apple Teacher Certifications, Park Elementary teachers are now better prepared to help their students acquire these skills. Please congratulate the following Apple Teachers for a job well done!

Mrs. Angelilli, Kindergarten Teacher
Mrs. Mehalik, Kindergarten Teacher
Mrs. Awenowicz, Kindergarten Teacher

Mrs. Oleksak, Special Education Teacher
Mrs. Blasko, Special Education Teacher
Mrs. Watson, Special Education Teacher

Mrs. Gennari, First Grade Teacher
Mrs. Draganosky, First Grade Teacher
Mrs. Banyas, First Grade Teacher

Mrs. Glinka, Speech

Dr. Kenavey, Reading Specialist
Mrs. Strom, Reading Specialist

Mrs. Law, Second Grade Teacher
Mrs. Stephenson, Second Grade Teacher
Mrs. Zabelsky, Second Grade Teacher

Mr. Janov, Physical Education Teacher
Mrs. Stulga, Art Teacher
Mrs. Takos, Librarian
Mr. Thompson, Music Teacher

Mrs. Davern, Third Grade Teacher
Mrs. Callahan, Third Grade Teacher
Mrs. Pugh, Third Grade Teacher

Mrs. Clark, Gifted Teacher

Mr. Tomasic, Fourth Grade Teacher
Mrs. O'Shell, Fourth Grade Teacher
Mrs. Cope, Fourth Grade Teacher

Mrs. Chalus, Counselor

Mrs. Bobick, Paraprofessional

Sincerely,

Dr. Thomas Shaughnessy
Principal
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