# **BOE REPORT**

November 2022

Scranton Attendance Center Preschool

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"Inspiring and Empowering every Charger, every day."

## What's Happening at the Preschool

October was full of fun and engaging activities at the preschool. Students are fully involved in literacy, math, and SEL while learning about fall themes. This month the high school students joined our classrooms 3 times to work with students. The relationships that our youngest students develop with our older student population are strong. They are role models, mentors, and act as big brothers and sisters to some of our kids. It is a special day when the "big kids" come to see us. Thank you to all of their continued support at the preschool. We can't wait to see them soon.



Our annual Scranton Halloween parade was a hit. Businesses and community members gathered with their buckets of candy to give our students a wonderful Halloween experience. Every kid costume you can think of was represented in our parade. They were the cutest parade of students I have ever seen. Check out our new Scranton Preschool FaceBook page for all of the wonderful moments captured. A special thank you to our Scranton community, parents, teachers, high school students, bus drivers, and support staff for all of their hard work to put on this event. This is so important for our parents.

### **Parent Education**

One of our preschool goals this year is to improve our parent education to support school readiness. This building goal directly aligns to **BOE goal 4: Community Involvement**. Please see our goal below along with the appropriate actions steps to meet that goal.

#### **Goal: SEL and Community Involvement**

SAC will promote social emotional learning through community education on appropriate preschool readiness skills. These include executive functioning, problem solving, self-help skills, independence, and interpersonal skills. Effective education will be determined through parent participation in learning opportunities and qualitative surveys over the course of this school year.

#### **Action Steps:**

- 1. Share strategies that parents can use at home with their child via newsletters, social media, and Friday folders
- 2. Partner with Parents As Teachers program to support birth to 3 year old children for preschool readiness.
- 3. Research the Osage HeadStart Program as an available resource for SFT families.

4. Host family evens and provide educational activities an information to parents.

Please check out this month's newsletter to learn more about SAC Preschool activities.

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