

Runnemedede Public Schools

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Dear Parents,

Our intervention model is a three tiered system consisting of a variety of research based strategies and programs designed to meet the needs of our students. Our intervention specialists work with all of the teachers and staff to identify specific needs and strategies to provide as much extra support as we can in each instructional day.

For the first few weeks of school, our intervention specialists will be assisting the teachers and assessing our students. Some students will be identified to receive interventions for a short period of time, while others will receive them long term. Many students may not fit the criteria at all. It's a fluid plan that will be customized to meet the students' needs throughout the year. We do our best to identify areas that your child may need extra help in which could include reading, writing, math, fine motor development, and social emotional skills.

If you have any specific questions re: your child, please reach out to his/her teacher or the intervention specialist assigned to your child's grade level. Listed below is our intervention team for the 23-24 SY:

Kathleen Marchiano	kmarchiano@runnemedeschools.org	Kindergarten Liaison from Pre K to K	Bingham & Downing
Joan Greenwood	jgreenwood@runnemedeschools.org	2nd & 3rd Grade Liaison from 3rd to 4th	Bingham & Downing
Christina Ayusa	cayusa@runnemedeschools.org	1st & 2nd Grade	Bingham
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Melissa Austin	maustin@runnemedeschools.org	English Language Learners	Bingham & Downing
Kristin Callahan	kcallahan@runnemedeschools.org	Social & Emotional Skills	Bingham & Downing
Annemarie Monico	amonico@runnemedeschools.org	Fine Motor Skills	Bingham & Downing

Our intervention specialists will be in the STEAM lab during our Back to School Night festivities. As always, please contact your child's teacher or me with any questions.

Sincerely,
Jade A. Yezzi
Principal