

What is WIN time?

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This year we have incorporated a 20-minute block of WIN time into each class schedule. WIN stands for “What I Need”, and refers to interventions and/or enrichment.

During WIN time, some students receive a 10 or 20-minute intervention to work on specific math or reading skills. They might work with their classroom teacher, or a Title Reading or Math teacher. Other students may work on grade level work while still others who are above level may participate in enrichment activities during this time.

Our staff works to make this time meaningful for all students, and the schedule is flexible so students can move in and out of groups as needs change.

Some of the things I have done during WIN time this year include working with some Kindergarteners to enrich their writing skills, helping 1st – 4th graders practice specific math skills, and guiding eight 6th graders who are creating three projects for National History Day.

Having a specific time set aside for interventions and enrichment help to make sure these important needs are met for all students on a regular basis, so every student “WINS”.