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To: Mr. Mahoney and Board of Education

From: Kip Crandall

Re: September Board Report Date: September 11, 2017

Current Enrollment:

Pre-Kinder - 23 7th Grade – 115 8th Grade – 90

SIP Goals & Progress:

<u>SIP Goal 1:</u> DLR PARCC attainment scores for meeting and exceeding in Math and ELA will double from the 2016-17 results. Currently students are MAP testing. Linkage study will be utilized to determine how many are on track to meet/exceed on PARCC exam. Teachers are being asked to complete a self-identified PD opportunity through the use of a digital platform.

<u>SIP Goal 2:</u> Focus on increasing student leadership roles in school such as leading school assemblies, planning SOAR activities and classroom responsibilities. Students are being tasked to utilize teacher created digital platforms to communicate curricular information home to parents. For instance, Mrs. Leamanczyk has developed a class face book page.

PPAC: - 1st meeting will held on September 27, 2017

Professional Development:

8/18 – Departments met to discuss BT, alignment – priority standards – department expectations, etc.

9/1 – Social Studies and Science – a.m. PD on new HMH materials

9/19 – BT 103 (PLC work) in a.m. w/ selected staff

9/19 – BT 102 (ELA, Math & Sped) in p.m., all others meet w/ department for alignment discussions or other departmental needs

DLR teachers will be required, as per the SIP action plan, to complete one PD session through a digital platform and share that experience out during a staff meeting



Beyond Textbooks Update:

- 7th and 8th math and ELA are following the pacing calendar provided by BT, with minor adjustments where appropriate.
- 7th and 8th math and ELA formative assessments have been given with reference to the pacing calendar.
- Other subjects are working to develop pacing calendars and utilizing the BT standards template.
- Michelle Bothe, 7th grade math, has been published on the BT website; see link below!!
 https://www.beyondtextbooks.org/6th-8th/Seventh_Grade/Math/Standards/7.M.NS.A.02/Teacher_Submitted_Resources/Ideas/Week_2_not_es_and_vocabulary

Events List:

- 1. Sep. 6 Student Council Mtg. 7:00 am
- 2. Sep. 12 Builder's Club Mtg. 7:00 am
- 3. Sep. 13 Yearbook Mtg. 3:00 4:00 pm
- 4. Sep. 14 FCA Mtg. 7:00 a.m. (Rally Around The Pole)
- 5. Sep. 14 Picture Retakes
- 6. Sep. $15 1^{st}$ qtr. mid-term
- 7. Sep. 20 Student Council Mtg. 7:00 am
- 8. Sep. 21-22 IAJHSC Student Council Leadership Conference
- 9. Sep. 22 Progress Reports Home
- 10. Sep. 25-29 Homecoming Dress Up Days
- 11. Sep. 26 Builder's Club Mtg. 7:00 am
- 12. Sep. 27 Yearbook Mtg. 3:00 4:00 pm
- 13. Sep. 28 FCA Mtg. 7:00 a.m. (Rally Around The Pole)
- 14. Oct. 2 Art Club Mtg. 3:00 4:00 p.m.
- 15. Oct. 2 Choir Fall Spectacular 7:00 pm @ BHC
- 16. Oct. 3 Card Club 3:00 4:00 pm
- 17. Oct. 4 Student Council Mtg. 7:00 am
- 18. Oct. 7 ILMEA Auditions All Day Jefferson HS, Rockford
- 19. Oct. 8 Band marches in AOP Parade 1:00 pm
- 20. Oct. 10 Builder's Club Mtg. 7:00 am
- 21. Oct. 12 FCA Mtg. 7:00 a.m. (Rally Around the Pole)



Positively Speaking:



Mr. Albrecht and Mr. Crandall survey the new HMH lab equipment sent to support our recent Science materials adoption.



Mr. Albrecht and Mr. Crandall conclude, "yep, these will do!"

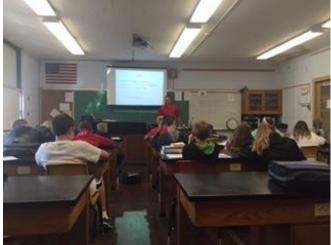




Mrs. Fulton and her homeroom students went to great lengths to brighten up one of our basement hallways at DLR. This looks much more inviting than the plain white walls prior to decorating.



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Mr. Albrecht's class discusses property of matter.



Mrs. Leamanczyk's class give presentations in a unit of study referencing social justice.



Michelle Bothe, 7th grade math, gets published on Beyond Textbook's website! https://www.beyondtextbooks.org/6th-

<u>8th/Seventh Grade/Math/Standards/7.M.NS.A.02/Teacher Submitted Resources/Ideas/Week 2 not es and vocabulary</u>

Respectfully submitted... Kip Crandall