



**Bright Futures Holden
School Board Report
January 2023-January 2024**

Mental Health:

Suicide awareness/prevention support

School-Based Therapy program support

Student/staff education support

Sexual abuse prevention support

**Discussions with individual students
and/or families as indicated**

College/Career and Assessments:

Testing support

Career Fair support

Resources and Advocacy:

**Harvesters' BackSnacks
coordination**

**HAMA Food Pantry can drive
support**

**Back-to-School Night
Resource Fair coordination**

Food distribution support

**Referrals for food, healthcare,
utilities, housing assistance**

**Participation in various
community agency meetings**

**Homeless Liaison/Foster Care
Liaison duties (coordinating
meetings/transportation,
documentation)**

**Grade and building-specific teams
participation**

Attendance:

Monitoring of student attendance data

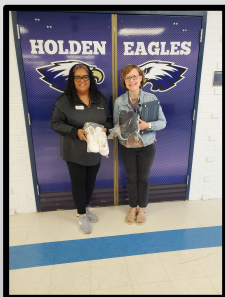
Consultation with students and parents as indicated by principals, counselors, and student data reports; identification and reduction of barriers to good attendance and school success

Traveling for home visits as indicated

Completion of referrals and updates to Juvenile Office as indicated

We want every student to have the basics...

EVERY CHILD
deserves a Bright
Future!



Dana Leonard with Home State
Health delivered 50 pairs of new
shoes!

We are community-based! Bright Futures is all about connecting families to the resources they need. We can't operate without the support of individuals, businesses, organizations, and giving agencies.



Resource Fair



Second annual Resource Fair

- Held during Back to School Night
- Immunizations offered

The Bright Futures Hub

- Boo to You/Coats for Kids
- Individual/Family appointments



Volunteers



Food Assistance



Bright Futures Food Bags: holiday, spring break, summer

Harvesters' BackSnacks: weekly

Snacks in each building: as needed

"Snacks To Go" bags: weekly

**We couldn't do it
without student
helpers!**

Student and Community Involvement



Monthly newsletters

Monthly donation themes

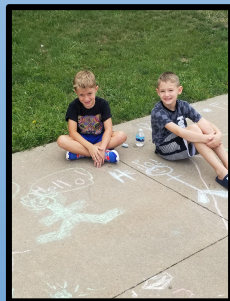
Community volunteers

Student volunteers



“Chalk the Walk”

“New to You”



Downtown Trick or Treat

“Adopt-a-Family”

School supply distribution

Community correspondence and support

Parent awareness/needs assessment



Additional Responsibilities

- *Manage item donations**
- *Maintain and report required documentation for giving agencies**
- *Clean/organize Bright Futures Hub**
- *Post announcements on social media/create monthly school newsletters**
- *Raise awareness about Bright Futures**
- *Correspond with supporters and donors as indicated**
- *Assist with the ongoing provision of resources/referrals for resources for students and families**
- *Manage Bright Futures phone line, available to families/donors after hours and on weekends/breaks**
- *Travel to charitable agencies and businesses to procure supplies as indicated**

Business

Advisory Board

We have five members who meet on a semi-monthly basis

Site Councils

We have two-three members in each building

Professional Development

Membership in School Social Workers' Association of Missouri

Regional Coordinators meetings: every other month

Bright Futures USA "Coordinator Calls" and conferences: intermittent

Correspondence with coordinators of other BF affiliates: as needed