

10/2/24 BAT Meeting Minutes

Attendance

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Meeting Agenda

- Building Priorities / Goals
- Instructional Coaches and PLC Work
- Important Dates
- Technology & Cell Phones Policy Update
- Questions

District Priorities and Goals

Comprehensive Plan Priority

- Through the PLC and MTSS processes:
 - We will reach each student by analyzing their strengths and areas for growth and then will use targeted instruction to both enrich and remediate for achievement success.
 - As well as new mathematics programming at both the elementary and middle schools, we will be able to target individual student needs and reach pre-pandemic data goals.
 - Increasing avenues and opportunities for stakeholders to communicate and engage with school and district leadership to develop and work toward shared responsibility for student learning.
 - Through the onboarding process, the schools and district will evaluate each student's strengths and areas for growth to maximize educational opportunities to create equitable opportunities for growth



Building Goals

Goal 1: By June of 2025, the middle school will establish the systems, structures, and supports to ensure that **all students** are provided with the **opportunities to participate in a targeted intervention and enrichment program** (WIN Middle)

Goal 2: By June of 2025, **all staff will engage in a coach lead** collaborative team (PLC) focused on evidence of student learning specific to questions 3 and 4 of the 4 Critical Questions:

- How will we respond when the students have not learned the topic?
- How will we respond when students already know the topic?

What are Instructional Coaches & PLCs

An instructional coach is a seasoned teacher with training in delivering professional development, teacher support, group facilitation and best instructional practices.

- Nate Beamer, Literacy
- Diana Cole, Math & Science

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○ Katie Weaver, Social & Emotional Learning
PLC's are Professional Learning Communities our groups off job alike teachers that meet to answer four questions.

- What do we want students to learn? Curriculum
- How do we know that they have learned it? Assessment
- What do we do if they didn't learn it? Intervention
- What do we do if they already know it? Enrichment

Instructional Coaches Help

- Facilitate PLC Meetings
- Support teachers in improving instructional strategies
- Help teachers create higher-quality classroom environments

Important Dates

- Faculty Conference Day, October 14
- Fall Social, October 25
- Turkey Trot, November 26
- Thanksgiving Break, November 27-29

Technology and Phone Calls

Electronic Device Policy 237 updated- no cell phones used by students during the school day

Parent/Student Handbook-

Cell phone use by students at HES is disruptive and distracting to the educational environment. Therefore, cell phone use is not permitted. Cell phones must be turned off and placed in student bookbags during the school day. Cell phones should not be carried in clothing. Students assume full responsibility for personal devices brought to school. The school is not responsible in the event of damage or theft of personal devices.

Staff will ask students who have a cell phone to turn it off and put it in their book bags. Repeat violations will result in a discipline referral.

Questions/Comments

Kimberly Dotts - Reminder to parents that picture retake day is October 24th. Erick elaborated on thoughts of using the photo company the Elementary School uses.

Thank you!

Next BAT Meeting - November 6, 2024