



October 2024 Board Report

To the Emmett School District Board,

Enrollment Information:

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| Black Canyon High School | - 65 |
| Black Canyon Junior High | - 24 |
| Black Canyon Night School | - 16 |
| Patriot Center | - 34 |
| Total Enrollment | - 139 |

Average Daily Attendance August

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|---------------------------|-----------|
| Black Canyon High School | - 79.29% |
| Black Canyon Junior High | - 84.00% |
| Black Canyon Night School | - 99.44% |
| Patriot Center | - 100.00% |
| Average of all | - 87.34% |

Behavior and Positive Behavioral Intervention Support (PBIS) and
Important Dates

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Be RESPECTFUL to all people and the school.

Be RESPONSIBLE for yourself and others.

Be HERE mentally and physically.

Be APPROPRIATE in language, behavior, and dress.

Be a BLACK CANYON TEAM PLAYER.

Check out our other news links below for pictures and storylines:

[Black Canyon Junior Senior High Newsletter Page](#)

Highlighted Individuals

We would like to shout out to Megan Deluca our new high school science teacher and Christine Hopkins our new IDLA (Idaho Digital Learning Alliance) Coordinator for joining our Black Canyon team!

Assessments and Data

Black Canyon students have finished the following assessments:

Shortened Interim Comprehensive Assessments (SICA) which uses the same blueprint as the ISAT Summative Assessments. Which will give students a familiarity with the ISAT to hopefully reduce test anxiety and stress. Allowing our teachers to see where student strengths and areas of need are so they can make adjustments to their teaching in the classroom.

IXL diagnostic Snapshot which is the first of three benchmark standardized tests given to students. IXL, unlike the ISAT comprehensive system, uses student scores to prescribe interventions within its student platform. ISAT scores reflect strengths and weaknesses but only make suggestions of what to do for interventions. Our students will have time in their Focus class weekly to work through the IXL prescriptions to improve their academic skills.

Past events

- Homecoming parade



- ScareCrow Contest: Black Canyon entered our very own scarecrow for the Harvest Festival that is located downtown Emmett. We were able to join a number of local businesses for this fun tradition that the City of Emmett does.

Coming up

Monday, October 28, 2024, Secondary Professional Development Day, no students. Our concentration will be on student SICA scores which will drive adjustments to classroom instruction.

Halloween Carnival and Quarter one student celebration October 31st.

Thursday, November 21, 2024, Black Canyon annual Thanksgiving Feast

Thursday, June 5, 2025, Black Canyon Graduation site TBA

Stephen R. Joyner

Principal, Black Canyon Junior Senior High