Triad Local School District

Quarterly Learning Report
Winter 2025

Dear Community,

Whew, this winter has been a doozy! With all of the snow days and delays, it feels like the winter months are flying by. However, this has not kept our teachers and students from utilizing every moment we are here to continue learning and growing. With state testing coming up soon in April, teachers are using data to see where their students are and make decisions about what skills they still need to practice. They are also making sure to include some fun in the form of Kindergarten tea parties and cafe book tastings!

One very exciting thing that happened recently was that we got to reveal the new Career Tech Education (CTE) labs that have been under construction all year to teachers and students in grades 7-12! On February 27, 2024, we learned that Triad had received a $2.2 million grant from the State of Ohio to build our own CTE program. Since that day, we have been working diligently to build the best facilities possible to provide new and exciting opportunities for our students. On their tours, students learned about the Career Pathways they can follow in High School to prepare them for graduation and beyond. We can't WAIT to see what great things they will do! The official Grand Opening will take place on April 17, with tours running from 1:00-6:00 pm and the ribbon cutting ceremony starting at 6:00 pm. Please join us!

Sincerely,

Vickie Maruniak

Superintendent, Triad Local Schools

SAVE THE DATE

Please join us for the

GRAND OPENING

of the Triad Local School Career Technical Education Wing
Recipient of the Ohio Career Tech Equipment Grant

— April 17, 2025 —
1-7pm

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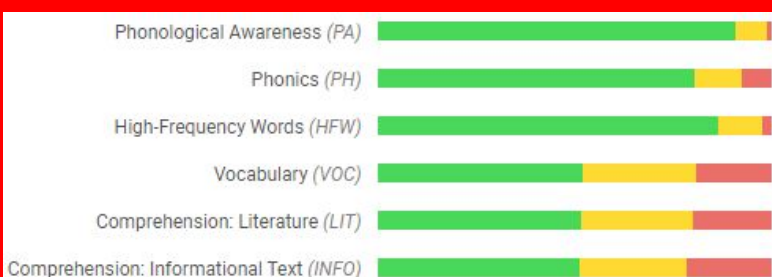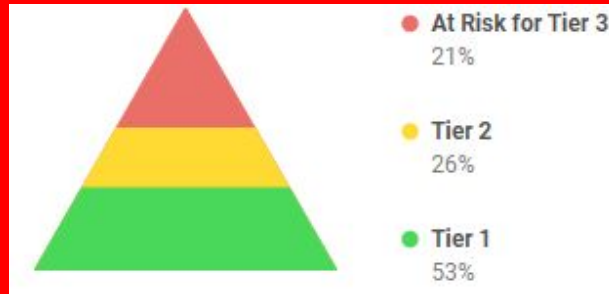District Literacy Coach
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District Data

Reading - January 2024

At Risk for Tier 3 — 18%
Tier 2 — 30%
Tier 1 — 52%

Phonological Awareness (PA)	
Phonics (PH)	
High-Frequency Words (HFW)	
Vocabulary (VOC)	
Comprehension: Literature (LIT)	
Comprehension: Informational Text (INFO)	

Reading - January 2025

At Risk for Tier 3 — 21%
Tier 2 — 26%
Tier 1 — 53%

Phonological Awareness (PA)	
Phonics (PH)	
High-Frequency Words (HFW)	
Vocabulary (VOC)	
Comprehension: Literature (LIT)	
Comprehension: Informational Text (INFO)	

Mathematics - January 2024

At Risk for Tier 3 — 13%
Tier 2 — 45%
Tier 1 — 42%

Number and Operations (NO)	
Algebra and Algebraic Thinking (ALG)	
Measurement and Data (MS)	
Geometry (GEO)	

Mathematics - January 2025

At Risk for Tier 3 — 15%
Tier 2 — 39%
Tier 1 — 45%

Number and Operations (NO)	
Algebra and Algebraic Thinking (ALG)	
Measurement and Data (MS)	
Geometry (GEO)	

KEY: Tier 1 (on grade level), Tier 2 (one grade level below), Tier 3 (two or more grade levels below)
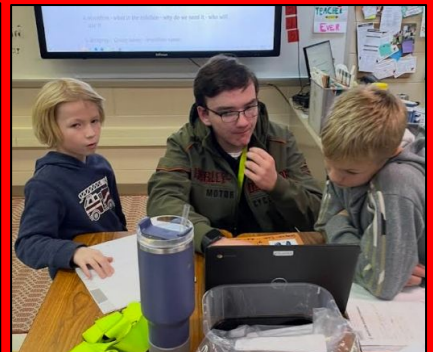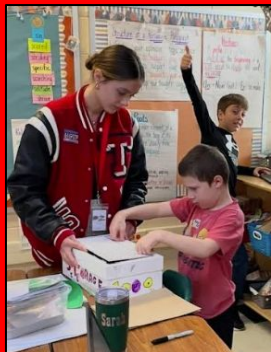
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TRIAD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Aspire Act Achieve

Triad Elementary has provided exciting career exposure opportunities in collaboration with Ohio Hi-Point. Our students participated in an Ohio Hi-Point Career Fair that highlighted Health Careers, Animal Science, Construction Trades, Exercise Science, Criminal Justice, and Emergency Medical Technician (EMT) roles. A big thank you to Ohio Hi-Point for continuing this invaluable partnership, helping our students become more career-aware.

Our fourth-grade classes recently completed a unit on inventions. Thanks to the Triad HS DECA members, who visited our building to provide valuable insights, guide students through the invention process, and help them create presentations.

Patrick Johnson

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TRIAD MIDDLE SCHOOL

Mrs. Graham set up the middle school library as a cafe setting for Mrs. Ford's 7th Grade ELA class. The classes rotated from table to table to "sample" various books to see which one(s) they liked. This is a great way for students to be exposed to various genres of books in a short period of time.

Students at the middle school participated in career lessons in partnership with the Ohio Hi Point teacher led kit program. Pictured are the Sports Medicine, IT Coding, and, STEM circuit building kits.
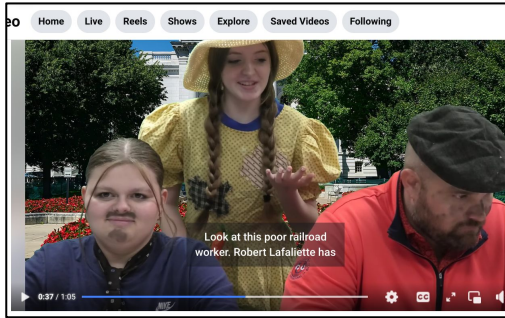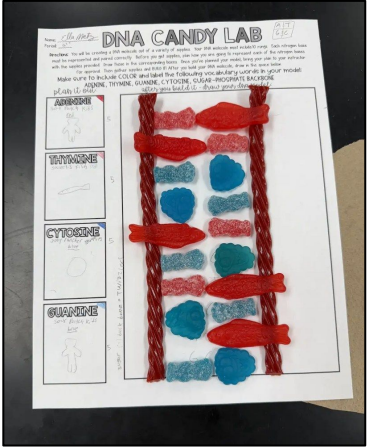

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TRIAD HIGH SCHOOL

Our HS teaching staff continues to find innovative ways to "reframe education."

The High School library has been repurposed to accommodate more learning opportunities for our students

Select Triad High School students participated in the Ohio Heritage Conference Fine Arts Festival in Springfield. Band and Choir students collaborated on new selections with students from across the conference throughout the day. In the evening, students performed an OHC concert. Art students came together to create new art pieces as a collective and displayed their work in an art showcase.

Todd Schneider
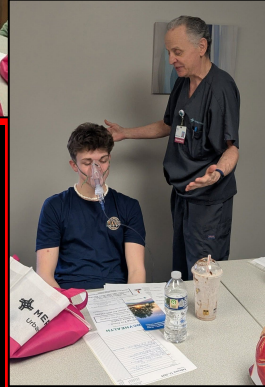High School Principal
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ACADEMIC PATHWAYS

Students in grades K-4 at the elementary school have been participating in career exploration activities during library time. They learn about different careers and what those people do at work. They also consider which careers were most interesting to them.
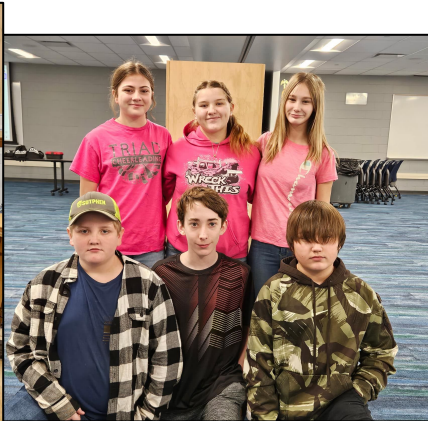
Triad members of the Student Leadership Champaign County group spent the day at Mercy Health learning about leadership and career opportunities in healthcare.

On February 4th, county schools participated in a timed skills competition for middle schoolers called Ninja Madness at Ohio Hi-Point. Hi-Point created and maintains the skilled trades activity cart that features construction, plumbing, and electrical skills.

Students practiced and completed time trials through Mr. Collier's 8th grade Career Pathway class.

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Testing Dates 2024-2025

Ohio's State Tests, Elementary School

Date	Assessment
October 16-17	ELA, Grade 3
April 10-11	ELA, Grade 4
April 15-16	ELA, Grade 3
April 29-30	Math, Grade 4
May 1-2	Math, Grade 3
June 23-27	TGRG second attempts

Ohio's State Tests, Middle School

Date	Assessment
April 8-9	ELA, Grades 7 & 8
April 10-11	ELA, Grades 5 & 6
April 22-23	Math, Grades 7 & 8
April 24-25	Math, Grades 5 & 6
May 1	Science, Grade 5 & 8

Ohio's State Tests, High School

Date	Assessment
December 2-20	HS EOC Winter Retakes
April 15-16	ELA EOC, Grade 10
April 22-23	Algebra I EOC
April 24-25	Geometry EOC
April 29	Am. History EOC & Am. Government EOC
April 30	Biology EOC
June 23-July 3	HS EOC Summer Retakes

Other State Tests

Date	Assessment
August 15-19	Kindergarten Readiness Assessment
November 13-15	Gifted Testing, Grades 2 & 5
Feb. 24-April 18	Alternative Assessment
February 25	ACT
March 3	ACT Make-up
May 8	AP Statistics
May 14	AP English Language
May 15	AP Computer Science

District Level Assessment Windows

Date	Assessment
August 19-Sept. 30	Diagnostic 1 - iReady (K-8), Pro-Core (4-12)
December 2-20	Diagnostic 2 - iReady (K-8), Pro-Core (4-12)
Feb, 17-March 7	Diagnostic 3 - Tested iReady (K-8), Pro-Core (4-12), ODE Benchmark
April 1-May 16	Diagnostic 3 - Non-tested iReady (K-8), Pro-Core (4-12)
May 15-16	Senior Exams
May 19-21	Underclassman Exams

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