

Agenda Item Details

Meeting May 16, 2022 - Regular School Board Meeting

Category 3. Administrative Reports

Subject 3.5 MS/HS Principal Report

Type

Academic Achievement:

All yearly federal and state assessments have been completed.

Supportive Climate:

Various community agencies supported students to attend the Senior Class Trip recently. Thank you notes from the class will be sent out to all. Trip went smoothly, with stops at the Cave of the Mounds National Natural Landmark, Field Museum, Shedd Aquarium, and Six Flags. Students also got the opportunity for an evening out at the elegant Rosebud Steakhouse, followed by a stop at the 360 Observatory experiencing "The Tilt" on the 94th floor.

Seven seniors have signed the Safe & Sober pledges. The Safe & Sober program is in partnership with the Red Cliff AODA Reduction Team.

Effective Communication:

School counselor met with high school staff May 13 to develop a high school teaching schedule for the 22-23 school year based on student class requests.

Middle school team met to review 22-23 Alt. Ed. recommendations. Five students are currently invited to commit to a placement in the program, with four on the waiting list. The total participants will be eleven students next year.

Attendance:

Attendance trend is the lowest it's been over the last five years. Data is a bit skewed for comparison considering two years were a mix of virtual, in-person, and hybrid learning. The Every Teacher A Leader committee has met and will be promoting attendance incentives. The plan is to re-establish ETAL meeting times for the 22-23 school year to really dive into the root cause of high absenteeism and how to turn those numbers around with plans in place earlier in the school year to prevent chronic absenteeism. Home school coordinator and case managers have been working with families for students with high absences. COVID and quarantines are still major factors in absences as well.

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- Grade Attendance Trends for All Students 6-8_20220515.pdf (46 KB)

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