



Andrew Carnegie Elementary School

Principal's Report to the LSC

Tuesday, November 14, 2017

VISION:

Our vision for Andrew Carnegie Elementary School is to embody a safe, caring, and compassionate learning environment. We are committed to developing knowledgeable, community-minded, globally successful life-learners who will gain respect and understanding for all cultures, through a collaborative effort among parents, staff, students and the community.

LRE MANDATE: LRE requires that to the maximum extent appropriate students with disabilities, including students in public or private institutions or other care facilities are educated with students who are non-disabled.

ENROLLMENT: 632, the district projection for the 2017-18 school year is 636, the district held school harmless and funding of over \$165,000 was not removed from our school budget. Funds has been designated for After-School Academic & Enrichment Programs, Music, Technology, Professional Development and building improvements.

VACANCY: There are no staff vacancies.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- 1st quarter Report Card Pick-Up/Parent Conference will be held on Wednesday, November 15th from 11:45 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. We are expecting 100% parent participation.
- Turkey Drive

SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT PLAN/CIWP

- **Support Area: Quality Instructional Program**
 - Effective the 2nd quarter and beyond, all Physical Education and Health Education are as follows:
 - Ms. Shea will teach all PreK-3rd PE & Health Education grades
 - Mr. Dean will teach all 4th-8th PE & Health Education grades
- **Support Area: Student Centered Learning**
 - High School Fair
 - IB Design Fair
 - Christmas Around the World Fair
 - *Instructional Materials*
 - 6th IB-MYP received IB Concepts & Context books.
 - Particular classes received Ozobots for Coding.
 - Updated Leveled Readers/Guided Reading books for 2nd Grades
 - Additional Books in the Bag were added to all Kindergarten through 2nd grade classes.
 - All gifted classes, 8th grade teachers, SECAs, Gifted Coordinator and Robotics for Girls coordinator received 1 to 5 iPads to support their instructional programs.
 - 45 Chromebooks has been order to replace dated and broken Chromebooks.

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- 3 to 5 Calming chairs has been ordered for SpEd, Kindergarten and 1st grade classrooms.
 - Music supplies/items/equipment
 - **Assessment**
 - The Fall TRC/NWEA Reading & Mathematics, iReady Reading & Mathematics Diagnosis & REACH Performance Task Assessments were administered to all Kindergarten-8th grade students. Student Progress Scores will be given to parents on Report Card Pick-Up Day.
- **Support Area: School Leadership & Support Area: Professional Development**
 - Mrs. Watson, Gifted Coordinator attended Gifted Coordinator Meeting.
 - Ms. Adams, school counselor attended several School Counselor/Case Manager meetings.
 - Mrs. Brown & Mrs. Percy attended student travel and procurement training.
 - Mrs. Roberson attended IB Training at DePaul University.
 - Special teachers attended IEP Training.
 - Kindergarten teachers attended Kidstech Training
 - Pre-K teacher & Teacher Assistant attended the Office of Early Childhood Fall Institute
 - Mr. Hutson, Mrs. Jackson, Ms. Salome, Ms. Thompson & Mr. Baldwin attended CHAMPS Behavioral Expectation training.
 - The Administration will attend in December an IAA class.
- **Support Area: Parent & Community**
 - Thank you to the Parent Advisory Council (PAC) will sponsor “Haunted House & High School Fair
 - Title 1 Compliance
 - Raising Highly Capable Kids
 - Scholastic Book Fair
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- **Support Area: School Management and Daily Operations**
 - The North Dorchester & 61st Place stairwells received a makeover which includes Children Storybooks and Colleges, Universities and IB logo.
 - Mr. Filus, Mr. Dean & Mr. Adams and the Art Clun are completing a fairy tale mural near the North Dorchester.
 - Additional IB Flags will be installed during the Winter break between Rooms 212-222.
 - Wall pads in the gym will be installed during the Winter break.
 - New lights has been installed on the gym ceiling.

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