# **Marion County Public Schools**

Where We.....



Superintendent Report February 12, 2015

### Our GOALS as always are... ALL Students Graduate College & Career Ready Students are on MATH & READING Level NO Novice

### **Leadership**

John Hattie –Visible Learning – Administrators attended last week in Bowling Green Leadership NOW Class of 2015 – met with Lisa Caldwell last week & shadowed administrators

## **Teaching and Learning**

### Focus: Guaranteed Viable Curriculum—"The What"

- Common Assessment Data Work to insure all children across district are prepared for next grade
- Learning Walks 2 Completed for this Semester
- LMS Academic Team, 3<sup>rd</sup> Place Governor's Cup
- MCHS Academic Team, District Champions
- Live Scoring Instructional Coaches working with students on prompts & giving immediate feedback

### **High Expectations**

- Congratulations to Mrs. Tammy Newcome, Educator of the Year
- Congratulations to Angie Akers, Assistant Principal at GES
- KIDS First Day in Frankfort & GRREC Board Meeting attended today
- Efficiency of Paperless "paper work" LMS piloting use of electronic professional leaves; electronic hire forms, field trip forms, and purchase orders to follow soon
- PGES—Professional Growth Effectiveness System
  - Student Growth Goals all staff met with Instructional Coaches to pilot program this year
  - o Continuing Mini Observations
- Strategic Planning Process-- Community Meeting Date Update:
  - BIG DREAMS—Plan a Spring Follow-Up
    - READY-SET-GROW & PRE-SCHOOL FOR ALL—

- Pre-School Over the Top Registration, February 7<sup>th</sup> with almost 100 children in attendance learning to be Kindergarten ready; Pre-school staff and many community volunteers helped make day a success
- Kindergarten Registration—Learning Bag will be provided; Kindergarten staff planning school visits & tours
- STUDENT LEADERSHIP & graduate ALL COLLEGE & CAREER READY— DREAM READY
  - Curriculum Guide & Individual Meetings to help with career pathways
  - Career Days at Elementary Schools shown on website
  - Operation Preparation planned for 8<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> graders
- MARKET-CONNECT-COMMUNICATE-
  - Radio Spots, Billboard, Discover Marion, Lebanon & Marion County, Lebanon Enterprise Community Guide, Chamber of Commerce Directory, Lebanon Enterprise Student Writing Spot Lights, MCPS Website & School Marquees
- STOP Bullying Literature/Random Acts of Kindness Week Anonymous link on MCPS Website; LMS held week of activities for "Random Acts of Kindness"

#### Communication

- o Attendance & Illness
- Feb 23 & Feb 25, Family Nights for our Hispanic & Japanese Families planned
- Calendar Countdown
  - ✓ 100<sup>th</sup> day of school celebrations used as learning tool
  - ✓ 11<sup>th</sup> Grade ACT, 11 days (every 11<sup>th</sup> grader takes free of charge, statewide)
  - ✓ KOSSA, 20 Days
  - ✓ KPREP, 49 days
  - ✓ Days Remaining, 63 days (every minute counts)