

# Marion County Public Schools: Where We ...



**December 8, 2016**

## **Leadership**

**Welcome: Millie Blandford, New Lebanon Middle School Principal**

Book Studies:

*The Leader's Guide to 21st Century Education*

*Turning High-Poverty Schools into High-Performing Schools*

### **Excellent Teaching & Powerful Learning**

- 1st Round of Learning Walks Complete
- Mobile Science Unit Visited by all Elementary Schools
- Winter Map Testing is Underway/Goal Setting for Students
- First Royal Event held at the Crown Center on Saturday, December 2<sup>nd</sup> - Music Master Class with Campbellsville University Music Students (Similar to a Super Saturday @ WKU)
- 4<sup>th</sup> Grade Teachers & 7<sup>th</sup> Grade Science Teachers, EdLeader21 National Collaboration Project; 1 of 36 Schools
- 4<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Math Teachers participate in a Professional Learning Grant - participating in afterschool virtual meetings across districts once a week to discuss learning
- District Wide Novice Reduction Meeting in collaboration with the Kentucky Department of Education
- Dream Bus--Mobile Learning Lab

### **High Expectations**

- Six BIG Dreams
- 4th Annual Spring Summit, April 13, 2017, Save-the-Date
  - **Learning Begins at Birth**
    - Born Learning Parent Meeting Session 3 held on November 15, 2016 at Glasscock Elementary School
    - Book Give-away at Dickens Parade

- Continue our Book Giveaway at the Hospital

- **Universal Pre-School**

- Marion County Preschool Numbers

<u>School/Center</u>	<u>3Yr</u>	<u>4Yr</u>
• St. A	17	17
• Loretto Child	8	0
• Corner Stone	30	20
• Kids Place	13	4
• Head Start	26	54
• MCPS	22	102
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Total	116	197

- Preschool Partnership Meeting

- **1:1 Technology**

- Continuing the Integration of Technology at ALL Levels
  - 2nd Annual I-2 Conference will be held at MCHS, January 17<sup>th</sup>, David Cook, Associate Commissioner will be the guest speaker & host a televised statewide round table discussion in the Next Gen Lab to feature the work being done in Marion County

- **Market-Connect-Communicate**

- Leadership Lebanon visited MCPS, November 18<sup>th</sup>
  - Successful Participation in the Loretto Christmas Parade
  - Successful Dicken's Parade/Booth
  - Family Literacy & Migrant to host ESL (English as a Second Language) & Dream Bus at Brookhaven
  - District Hosted the Northern Kentucky Regional Migrant Directors Meeting
  - Sycamore Township (OH) visits Dream Bus
  - Campbellsville University Recruitment of New Teachers

- **Next Generation Marion County**

- St. Charles Middle School Leadership Created
  - Plans for Young Leaders Conference, March 18<sup>th</sup>
  - Student Ambassadors work ethic i.e., Dickens Parade
  - Café Chats during high school lunch started this month - first guest was County Attorney Lisa Nalley-Martin
  - Leadership NOW applications are out with selections to be made before the end of this semester. A new Leadership NOW Phase II has been created to provide a more intensive study of leadership in Marion County Public Schools.

- **All Students Graduate College & Career Ready**
  - Creation of a local board for the Area Technology Center; Project Start Date - January
  - PLTW (Project Lead the Way) Launch Pad at GES
  - Dual credit
    - 62 students taking Dual Credit courses-1st semester
    - 111 students registered for Dual Credit courses-2nd semester
  - 50% of Senior Class is College & Career Ready
  - December 13<sup>th</sup>, Senior Survey Day; One-on-One Senior Interviews about their future

### **Communication**

- MCPS hosted Northern KY Migrant Director's meeting, November 17<sup>th</sup>
- Leadership Lebanon will visited MCPS, November 18<sup>th</sup>
- Recruiting Future Teachers through Campbellsville University and Western KY University (GRREC--Green River Regional Educational Co-op)
- NTI--Non-Traditional School Day Information
- Charter School Discussion
- Completed 80 of 174 days of instruction
- 94 days remain to ensure that ALL students Graduate College & Career Ready
- 1 week & 1day until Christmas Break
- 18 Weeks until the Last Day of School