

## Marion County Public Schools: Where We ...



**February 9, 2017**

### **Leadership**

Book Studies:

*The Leader's Guide to 21st Century Education*  
*Turning High-Poverty Schools into High-Performing Schools*

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

- Gail King, Educator of the Year
- MCATC, Marion County Area Technology Center, Chamber President's Award, Annual Marion County Chamber Banquet
- Feb 23<sup>rd</sup>, Three National Board Certified Teachers, Recognition of Recertification, Ellen McFall, Coury Osbourne, & Sarah Lockard, Frankfort/Capitol
- 2nd Round of Learning Walks Continue
  - KDE (KY Department of Education) Representative has asked to participate
- Teachers are implementing the new Science Through-Course-Task as a part of the new accountability system in every grade level.
- WMES, KPREP Awards Night
- CROWN Center Royal Event: primary talent pool, tour the MCATC, and participation in a Robotics lesson, sit in on a PLTW (Project Lead the Way) lesson, and a visit from Miss Kentucky- she participated in robotics w/MCHS students
- Future Royal Event: DREAM BUS goes on the road
- Increase in Gifted Student Recommendations
- KDE NEXT-GEN Leadership Network Presentation
- Migrant Program: Mrs. Elma Simpson, selected to participate in the state-wide auditing process, 2nd year
- TOP 10 Adult Education Program
- Marion County Adult Education has been selected to help write the new curriculum for Adult Education, invitation only
- Completed all Principal Mid-Year Evaluations

#### **High Expectations**

- Six Big Dreams
- 2017 Summer Dream Academy "BIG PLANS"

- 4th Annual Spring Summit, April 13, 2017, Save-the-Date
  - **Learning Begins at Birth**
    - Born Learning Parent Meeting - February 7, 2017 at Glasscock Elementary
    - Submitted 2 Grant Applications for LES & WMES for Born Learning Academy Grant
    - Reading Celebration Week, April 17<sup>th</sup>
      - Community Night, April 20<sup>th</sup>, 5-7 p.m., MCHS
  - **Universal Pre-School**
    - Over-the-Top Preschool Registration, February 4<sup>th</sup>
      - 63 Children & Families
    - Partnership: Professional Development - MCPS, Head Start, Loretto Childcare, Cornerstone, St. A, & Kidz Place, February 10<sup>th</sup> & Additional Trainings Scheduled
    - Marion County Preschool Numbers
 

School/Center	3Yr	4Yr
St. A	18	17
Loretto Child	8	1
Corner Stone	27	19
Kids Place	16	5
Head Start	32	48
MCPS	23	103
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Total	124	194
  - **1:1 Technology**
    - 2nd Annual I-2 Conference was held at MCHS on January 17<sup>th</sup> Associate Commissioner, David Couch, was the guest speaker & hosted a live televised statewide round table discussion in the Next Gen Lab to feature Marion County Schools
      - DATA indicated an overwhelming number of Staff wanted to do it again
      - KDE would like for us to open it up to other districts
      - KDE would like for us to serve as a model
    - Students at MCHS are serving as the “help desk” for the ChromeBook Initiative
    - Plans for future ChromeBooks/Technology
  - **Market-Connect-Communicate**
    - Webcast to Community
    - Participated in Martin Luther King Activities
    - Chamber Board Members participated in a Retreat
    - KSBA Banner
    - Meeting with Jim Milliman from Rand Paul’s Office and Local Representatives
  - **Next Generation Marion County**
    - Plans for the Young Leaders Conference, March 18<sup>th</sup>

- Teen Leadership, Visited with Judicial Areas
- Assisted with I-2 Conference
  - Leadership - Introduced each speaker, read a bio
- Assisted with Pre-School Registration
- Middle School Ambassadors, Service Learning Project
- **All Students Graduate College & Career Ready**
  - Local Board for the Area Technology Center; Feb 1<sup>st</sup>
  - MCATC Video
  - Cafe Lunch Session w/future Entrepreneurs - Students, guest speaker/ Owner of the “Cute Little Shop”
  - Daniel Mattingly & Allen Harmon met with CES on a “FUTURE FRIDAY”
  - Dual credit
    - 62 students taking Dual Credit courses-1<sup>st</sup> semester
    - 111 students registered for Dual Credit courses-2<sup>nd</sup> semester
  - 51% of Senior Class is College & Career Ready
  - Senior Survey Day, One-on-One Senior Interviews about their future
    - 70% Plan to attend a Post-Secondary Institute

### **Communication**

- Local Planning Committee (LPC) Meeting
  - 2<sup>nd</sup> LPC, February 15th with a Public Forum at 5:30 p.m., Central Office
- Scott Spalding - Presenting at the KSBA Energy Conference, 3 Panel: UK, Toyota, K-12
- Lt. Governor, Jenean Hampton, visited MCHS, SCMS, & LMS Students on Monday, February 13<sup>th</sup>
- Bluegrass Festival, Student Participation
- DREAM BUS Influence (4 Districts)
- NTI--Non-Traditional School Day Information
  - Currently we have missed two full days & 1 hour delay
- Charter School Discussion
- SB1 (New State Accountability System)
- Senate Education Committee Attendance, Feb 23<sup>rd</sup>
- 7 weeks until Spring Break
- 10 Weeks until State Accountability Testing/Advanced Placement
- 13 Weeks until the Last Day of School
- FEBRUARY 17<sup>th</sup>, Kindergarten Registration, 12-6 p.m., each Elementary School