

**BMS/BHS Monthly Board Report**  
**January 2024**  
**Tiffany Hicks**

**THANK YOU, BOE MEMBERS!**

- As always, thank you for your continued support in all of our endeavors!
  - **HAPPY NEW YEAR!**

**BMHS SMART GOALS UPDATE**

| Updated 1/3/23        | Goal  | Actual   | + / -  |
|-----------------------|---|--|--|
| <b>Attendance</b>     | <b>95%</b>  | 92.17% (2nd Semester)<br>93.78% (23-24 SY)   | - 2.83<br>- 1.22   |
| <b>Behavior</b>       | <b>Reduce by 5%</b><br>(361 total)<br>(Reduction of 18)   | 126 total referrals<br><br>Staff: 21<br>Event Types: 28<br>Events: 126<br>Students: 61                                   | Last year at this time, we had 159 referrals. (-33)<br><br>Staff: 26<br>Event Types: 23<br>Events: 159<br>Students: 75 |
| <b>MAP Percentile</b> | 20th Percentile or Below Math Goal:<br><b>20% or less</b><br><br>20th Percentile or Below Reading Goal:<br><b>15% or less</b> | 20th Percentile or Below Math: 26%<br>(decrease of 1 %)<br><br>20th Percentile or Below Reading: 19%<br>(decrease of 4%) | + 6%<br><br>+ 4%   |

## **INSTRUCTIONAL COACHES REPORT (Ms. Winkler / Mr. Skaggs)**

- Ms. Winkler supported teachers as they prepared semester exams, reviews, and projects in December.
- We continued the implementation of the FOCUS incentive program that culminated in a donut party for four winning classes and a prize drawing for eligible students. We gave away a set of AirPods, two mini-fridges, and two galaxy night lights.
- We organized and updated curriculum resources on Google Drive and also assisted with planning for a *new course*, Algebra 1 Restart
- Ms. Morgan Nilhas from Scholastic joined us from Scholastic for her meetings with teachers on Nov. 30 and Dec. 1.
- All middle and high school English teachers are planning with and implementing a CommonLit 360 unit this semester. This is in hopes to adopt / approve CommonLit360 as a 6-12 curriculum in the middle/high building for the 2024-2025 school year.
- Looking forward, the spring holds Internal Labs and Book Giveaway! Be on the lookout for those upcoming events. 😊

## **GUIDANCE COUNSELOR REPORT (Mrs. McDougall)**

- I worked to finalize all 1st semester grades and met with any student who submitted a schedule request change.
- Ms. Hicks and I reviewed the list of all students who failed a class and created a plan for them to make up those credits.
- I assisted students with FAFSA that just opened December 31. A KHEAA rep was here 1/8/24 to help meet with students/parents as well and this was well attended!

## **ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL REPORT (Ms. Young)**

### **Behavior**

- Upon the start of the second semester, Mrs. Hicks asked each teacher to greet their students at the door and bring that first day energy! Mrs. Young and Mrs. Hicks also worked to visit every classroom the first day back. This provided us a great time to quickly reconnect with our students, answer questions, and address any student or teacher misconceptions regarding the BMHS code of conduct and policies.
- Mrs. Hicks also asked the teachers to review the cell phone policy and dress code policy during all ENGAGE classes. She reiterated that it is important for us to implement with consistency.

## **Attendance**

- On Friday, Mrs. McDougall and Mrs. Young met with any senior that has more than 5 unexcused absences at this time (this will affect their ability to walk at graduation). This included only 2 students with a traditional class schedule and 2 that are now on a virtual schedule.
- We will reconvene with our Weekly attendance meeting on Tuesdays to review attendance concerns and discuss next steps to support those students.

## **DATES OF IMPORTANCE**

- January 12: KYOTE testing (transition readiness)
- January 17: Senior meeting
- January 25: Self Defense Class (open to district and all families; ages 7+) 6:00 - 7:30 pm
- February 5-7: Big Smiles Dental Visit; room 201
- February 16: 3rd Quarter Progress Reports sent home
- February 16: Sophomores to ATC tour
- February 20: "Oh, she built that" (girls woodworking) for middle school
- February 22: "Oh, she built that" (girls woodworking) for high school
- February 23: Senior Mock Interviews
- March 1: 7th grade to TMU
- March 5: 9th grade to UL
- March 5 10th grade to UK
- March 7: 8th grade to Cincy St.

