

DAYTON INDEPENDENT SCHOOLS

Dayton High School
Board Report
Wednesday, September 25th, 2024



- Yonder Bags were implemented with the middle school on Tuesday, September 3rd.
- Held our leadership team Portrait of a Learner meeting on Friday, September 6th.
 - What is a Portrait of a Learner?
It is a collaborative effort to define the qualities, skills, and attributes we believe are most important for our students to develop. This vision will guide our educational goals and strategies, ensuring that every student is equipped to thrive in an ever-changing world.
- Homecoming Game was on Friday, September 6th.
 - Homecoming dance was held in the high school cafeteria on Saturday, September 7th.
- Held our District Attendance Team Meeting on Tuesday, September 10th.
 - Identifying students missing school.
 - Making phone calls and home visits.
 - Formed a school attendance team committee.
 - Each staff member on committee selects students they have a positive relationship with and assist in working with increasing student attendance.
- Torch Prep was here on September 10th – 11th at the Board of Education Office:
 - Worked with a mixed grade level of high school students.
 - Instructors work on all things ACT to help students improve their score.
- 1st Quarter Progress Report Period Ended on Thursday, September 12th.
 - Progress Reports went home out of 6th Bell on Friday, September 13th.
- Held our September Grad Rate Tracking Meeting on Friday, September 13th.



- We hosted our 2nd Inspire Speaker on Monday, September 16th.
 - Dr. Kevin Miller (Class of 1981) was our Inspire Speaker.
 - “People don’t care how much you know until they know how much you care”
 - Set short attainable goals.
 - Put in the effort.
 - Don’t doubt yourself.
 - Hardwork pays off.

- River Cities College Fair for Seniors took place on Thursday, September 19th.
 - Host School – Newport HS.
 - Schools Participating – Bellevue, Dayton, Ludlow, and Newport.

- Ruwe Pharmacy was here on Thursday, September 19th – Flu Shots for staff.

- We are having our walk-throughs with each department as an administrative team.
 - We have a follow up meeting after school to discuss what we viewed in their classrooms and provide positive feedback.

- Update on our current post-secondary readiness numbers:
 - We are now at 49/67 students post-secondary ready for 73%.
 - Ways we are attempting to get students Post-Secondary Ready:
 - Industry Certification and Dual Credit through the ATC. We did not have any students enroll this year with Skilled Trades at Newport HS
 - KYOTE Testing with specific FLEX time interventions.
 - Mrs. Ryan and Ms. McDonald are working with students.
 - Gateway/Dual Credit – students must earn a C or better in their courses.
 - Industry Certifications through our business department pathways at DHS.
 - Juniors at Dayton HS take ACT Test Prep to help prepare them to reach required benchmark scores to achieve Post-Secondary Ready status.

- Gutsy Goal for 2024-2025 school year is a minimum of 81%; if the denominator stays at 67, this would take 54 students earning academic or career readiness.



- We will continue to meet as an administrative team regularly to check on progress of students and look for additional ways to support students as they work toward postsecondary-readiness.

- Visitors to Dayton HS Campus for Seniors:
 - Army – Tuesday, September 9th.
 - Thomas More College – Friday, September 13th.

September Drivers of the Month:

Chris Watts	Mariah Burgan
Ceanan Dicks	James Ferguson
Cheyenne Thompson	Peyton Bengé
Neveah Scott	Olivia Bell
Aaliyah Horton	Waylon Gulley
Robbie Kersey	Lillie Israel
Lorenzo Price V	Hailey McVey
Lanaya Torres	Nick Stevens
Sierra Foley	Kairi Deming
Bradley Young	Will Mueller
Lillie Israel	Talon Trimnell
Connor Callaway	