

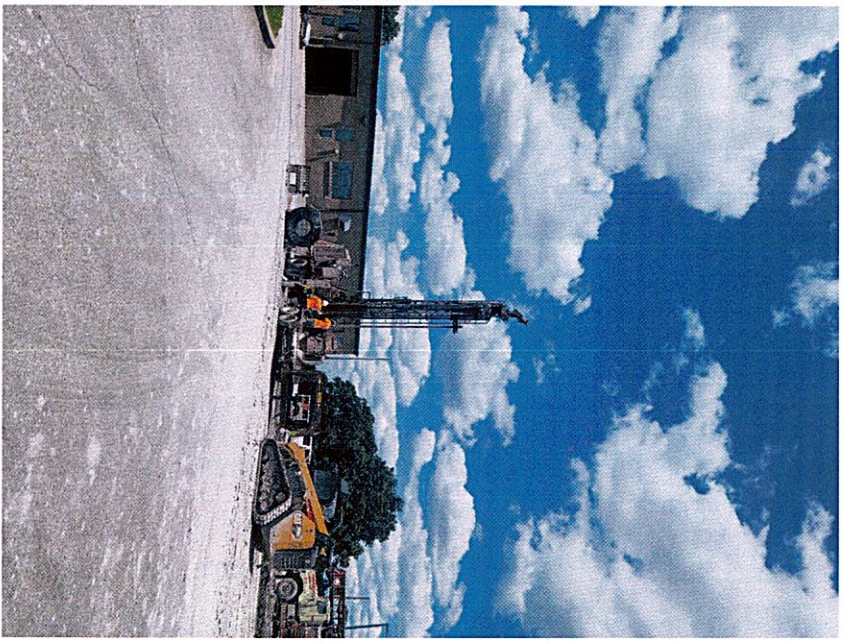
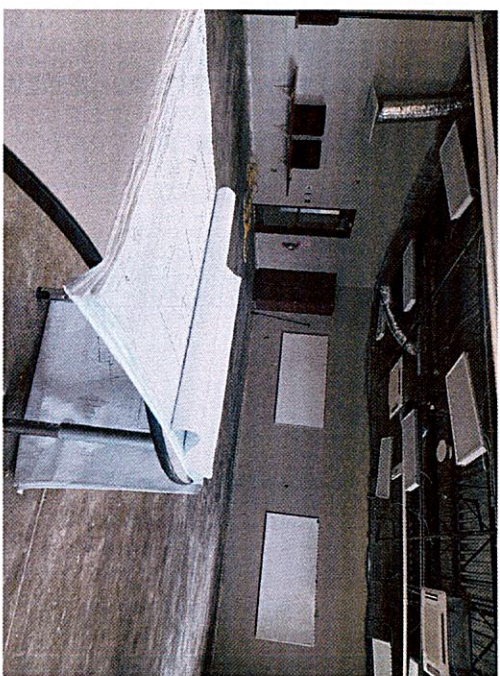
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# Facilities - Area Technology Center

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The ATC renovation is underway including drilling for the geothermal system and demolition work inside the building.



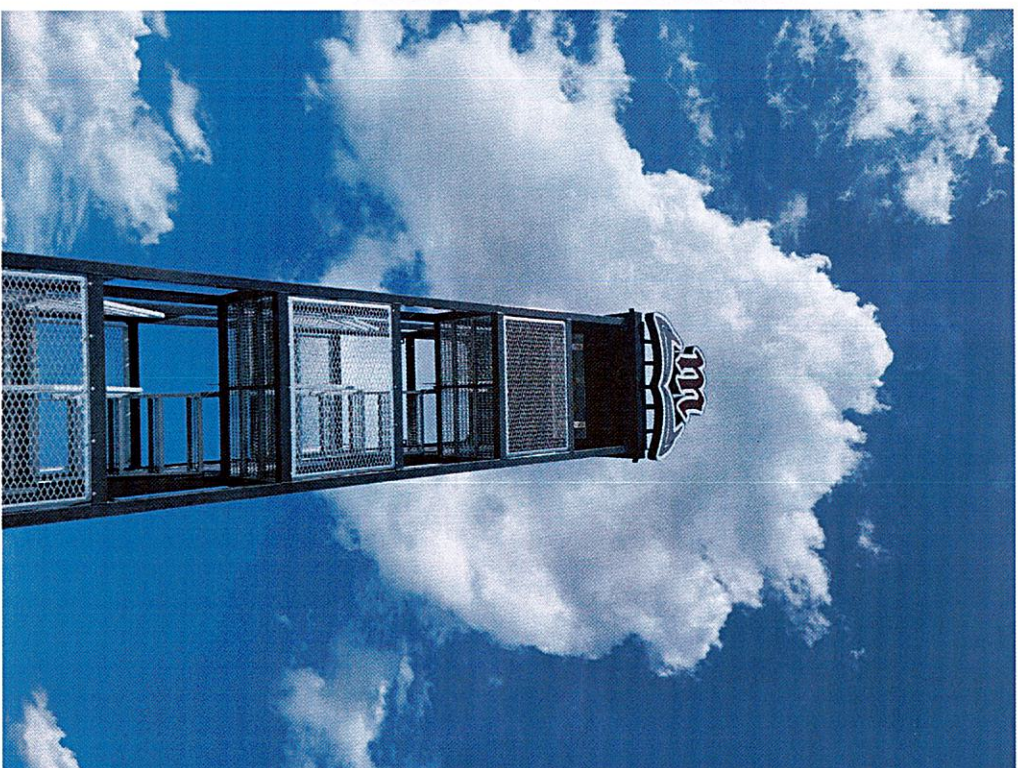
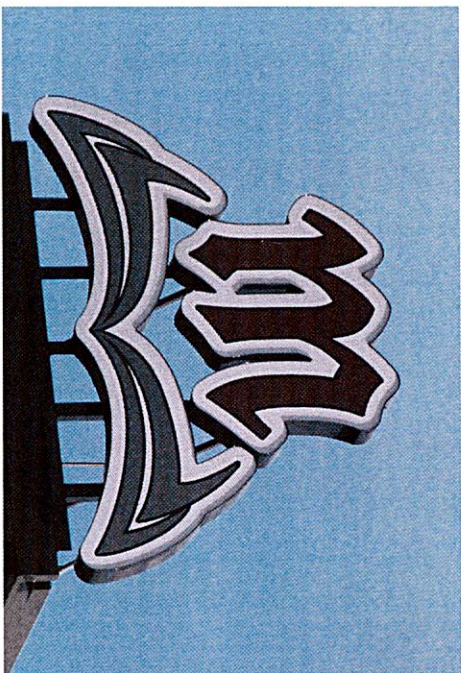
# Facilities - Maintenance building



- The maintenance building is nearly complete including new flooring, lighting, and an office area.



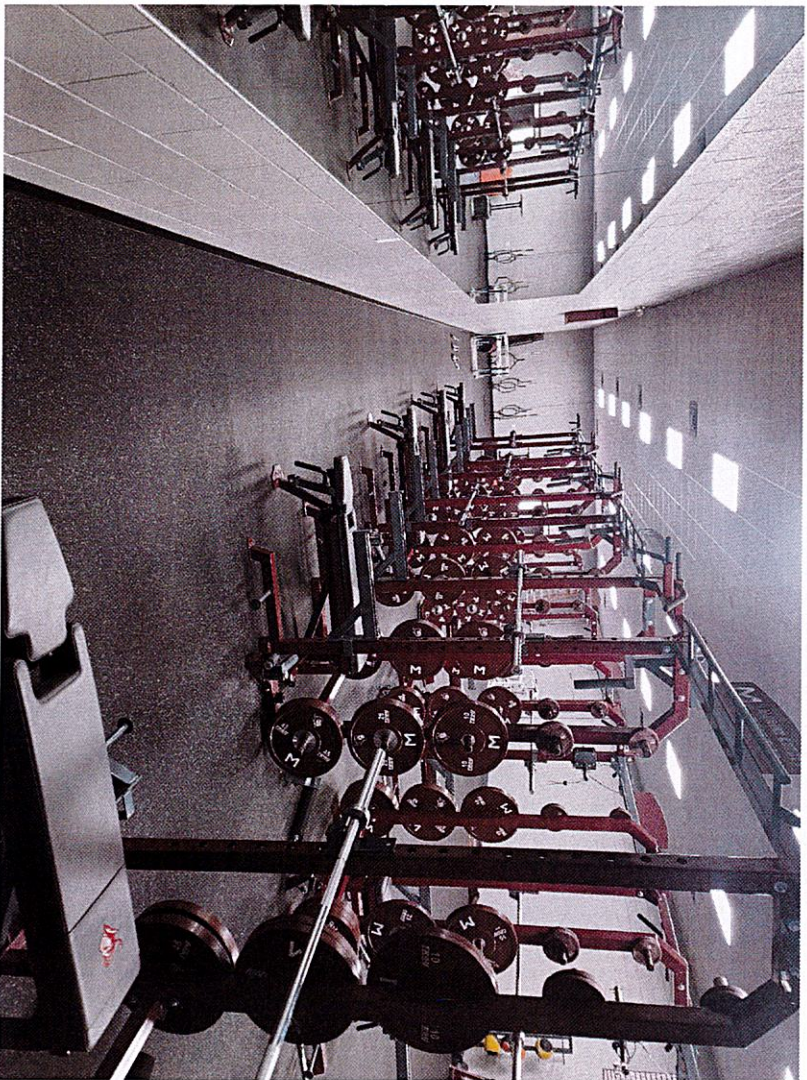
## Facilities - Band Tower



The new band tower was installed along with the district's logo on top which illuminates at night.



## Facilities - Fitness Center



- The MCHS Fitness Center was renovated and the district hosted an open house prior to a home football game.



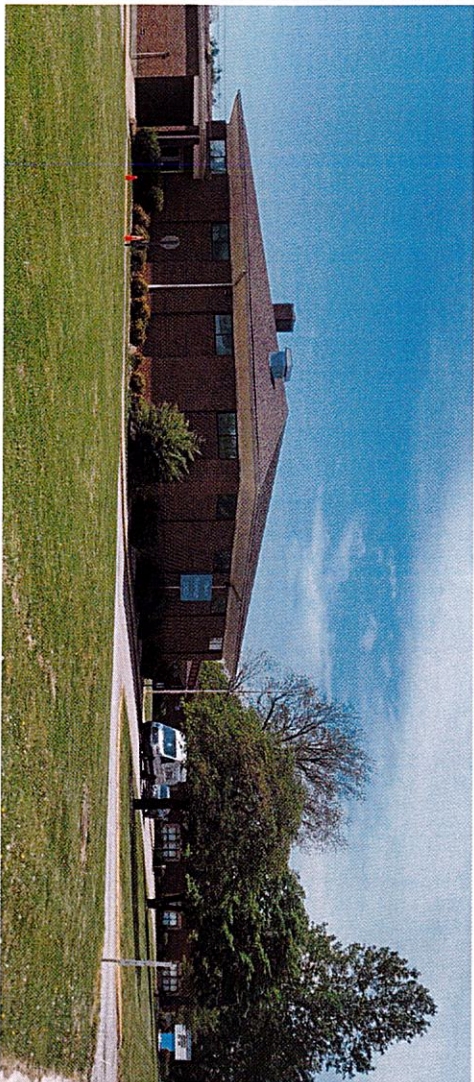
## **Facilities - New parking lot, practice fields, tennis court fencing**



- New parking lot on main campus
- Completion of practice soccer and football fields
- Upcoming fencing replacement around tennis courts



# Facilities - LES



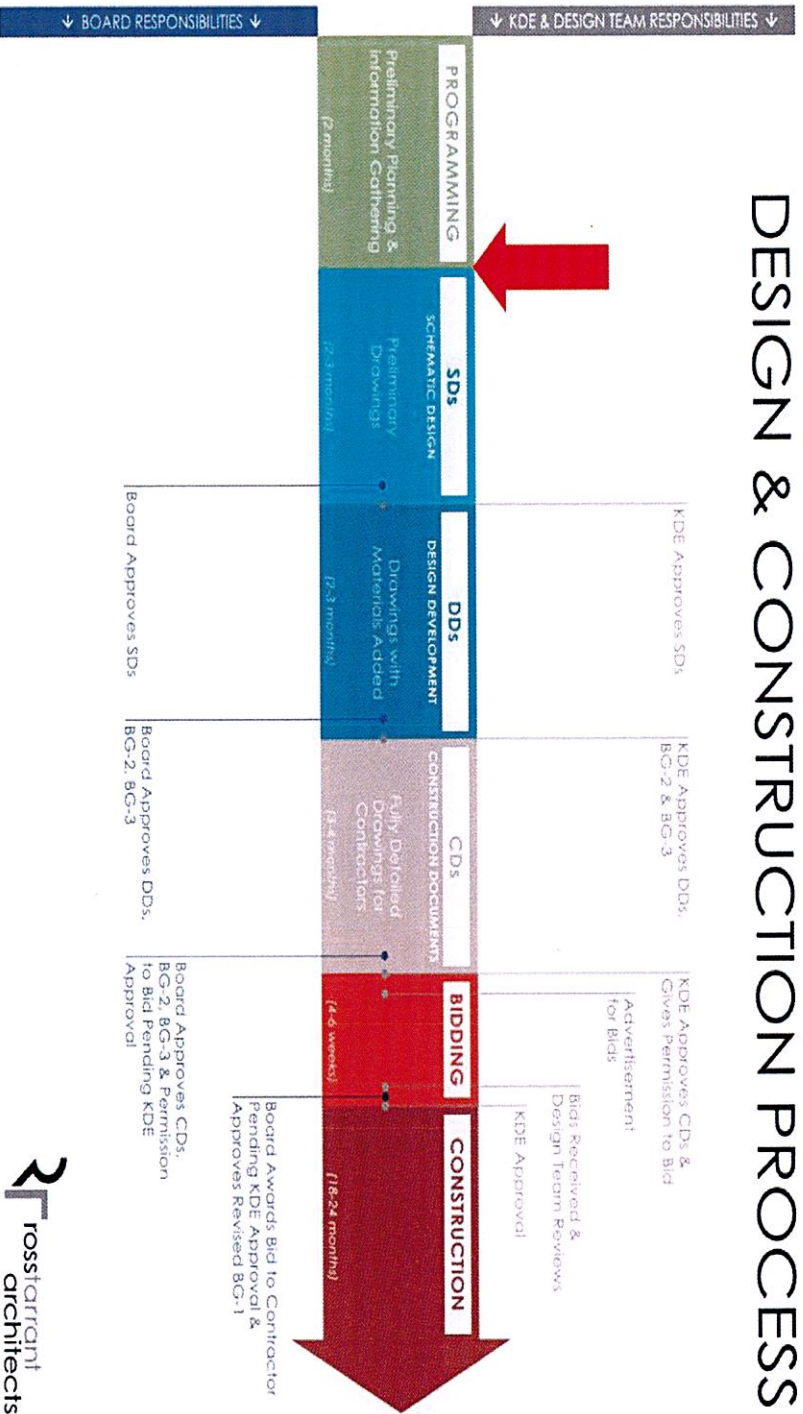
- MCPS received from the state legislature the funds necessary to build a new Lebanon Elementary School.
- The project is still in the early design stages.

- 2 → Section 76. There is hereby appropriated General Fund moneys in the amount
- 3 of \$10,000,000 in fiscal year 2026-2027 from the Budget Reserve Trust Fund Account
- 4 established in KRS 48.705 to the School Facilities and Construction Commission budget
- 5 unit to be distributed to the Marion County Board of Education for construction of a new
- 6 Lebanon Elementary School.



# Facilities - LES

## DESIGN & CONSTRUCTION PROCESS



# Academics - KSA Results

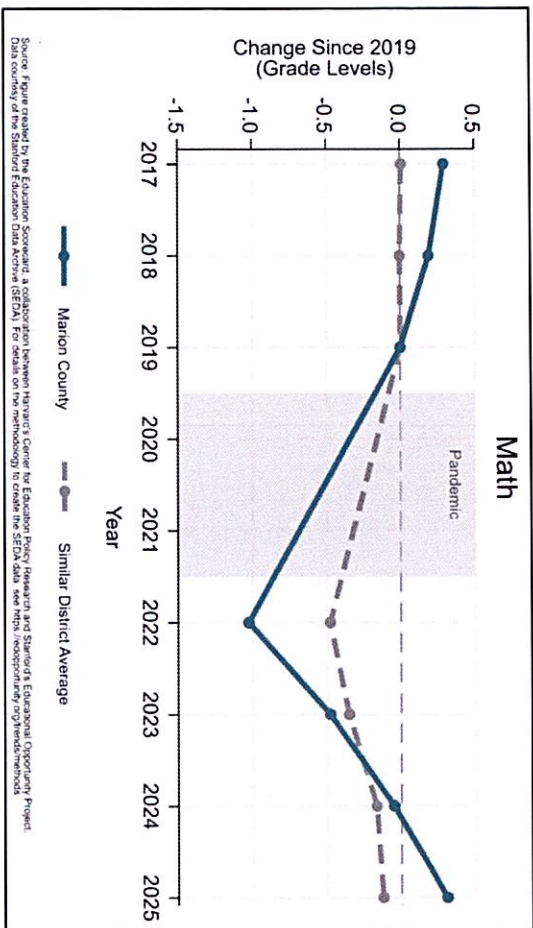
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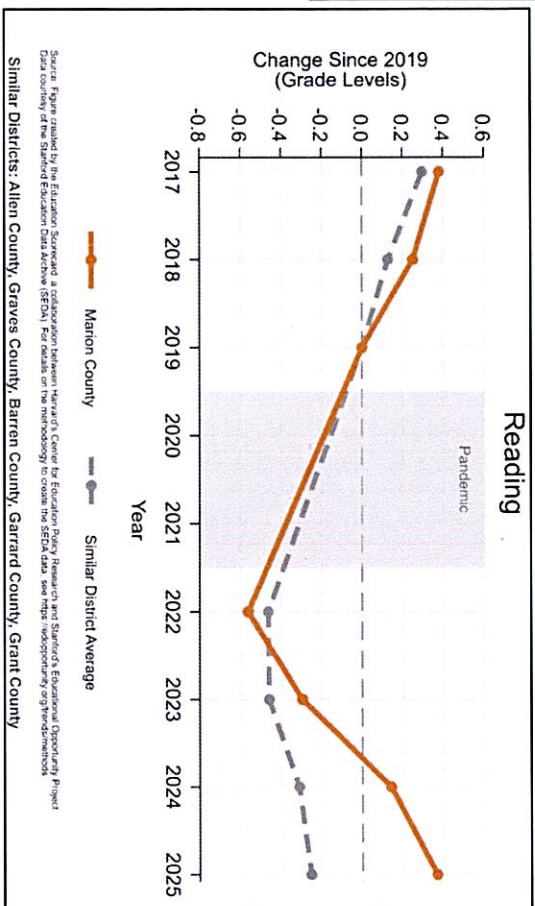
- MCPS showed steady improvement on the latest KSA results
- Nearly every school raised its overall performance score
- Ranked 7th out of 27 CKEC school districts
- Development of district agreements



# Academics - Education Scorecard



- MCPS was the subject of a case study focusing on schools that have seen especially rapid academic improvement in reading and math.
- Recognized as a national “District on the Rise”



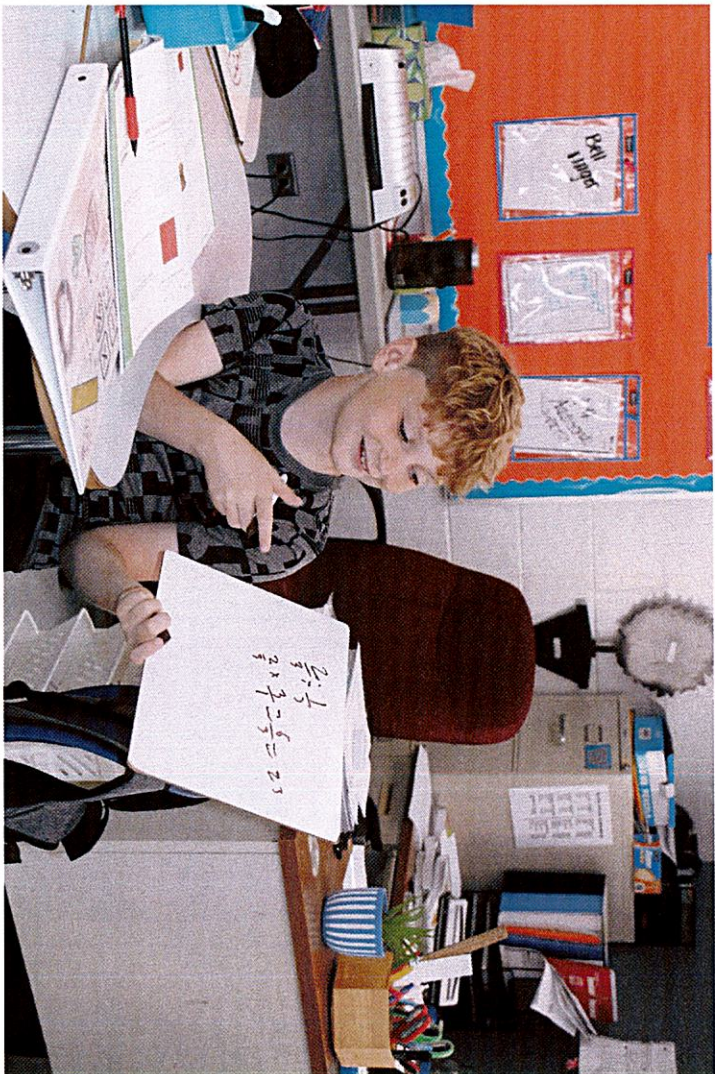
# Academics - Access to Algebra

## Access To Algebra

- Both Lebanon Middle School and Marion County Middle School met their *Access to Algebra* goals based on the results of the PSAT.
- *Access to Algebra* is a program that encourages middle school students to take algebra and includes financial incentives for students and teachers.



# Academics - Use of Chromebooks



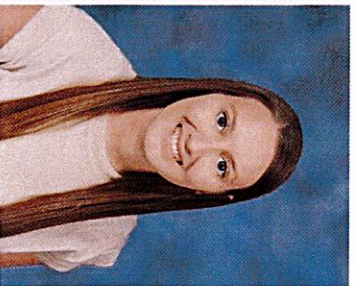
- Schools continued to adjust their use of Chromebooks and other technology as part of instruction, including incorporating periodic Screen Free days.



# Human Resources - Highlights



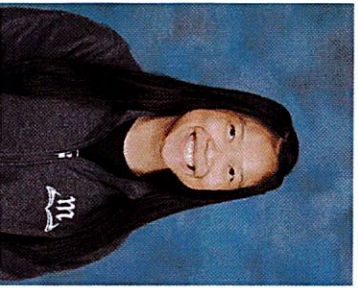
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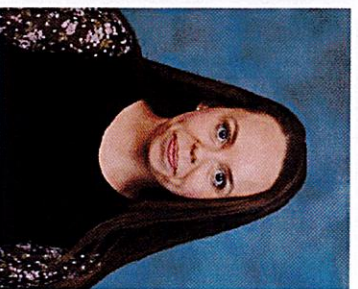
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- Six staff members were accepted into the Aspiring Leaders Program
- MCPS continued its relationship with Campbellsville University in hosting students from the Education department.
- Two high school teachers are now able to teach dual-credit courses



# School Nutrition



- During the '25-'26 school year, MCPS fed 251,250 breakfasts and 389,465 lunches
- Summer feeding is underway with 39,137 meals distributed during the first two weeks



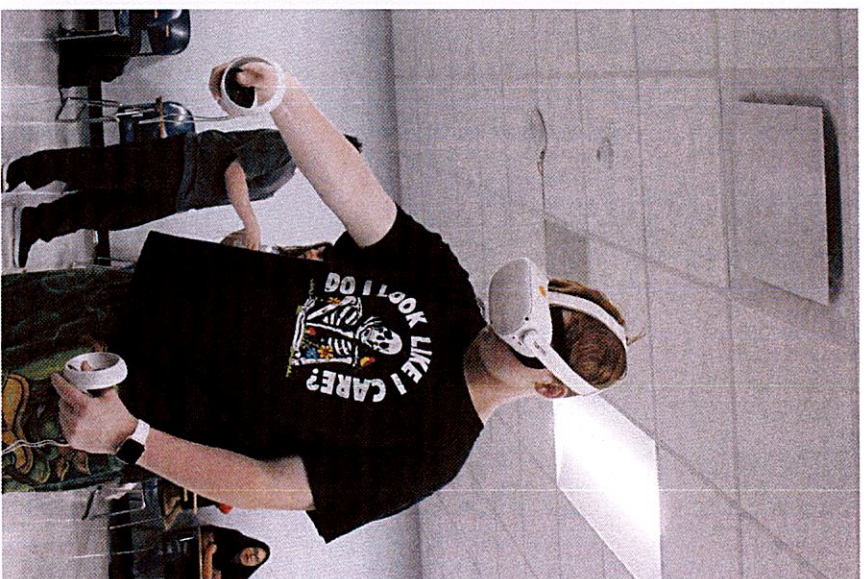
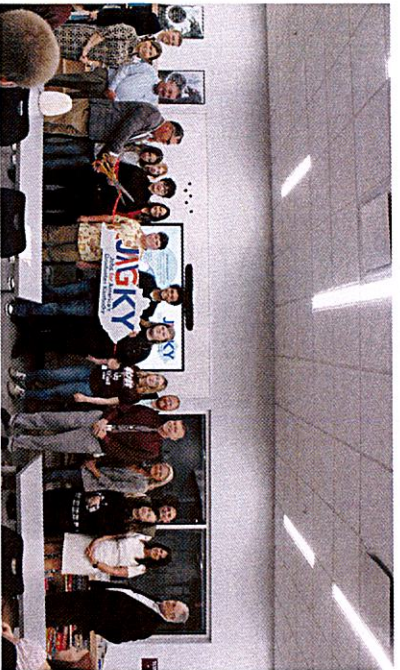
# Technology



- Additional security cameras and camera replacements throughout the district
- Fiber optic cable replacement from MCHS to ATC and LMS
- New staff and student login process to improve security



# Additional Highlights - JAG Program



- The JAG program at MCHS completed its first year which included an official ribbon-cutting, initiation ceremony, guest speakers, and hands-on experiences.



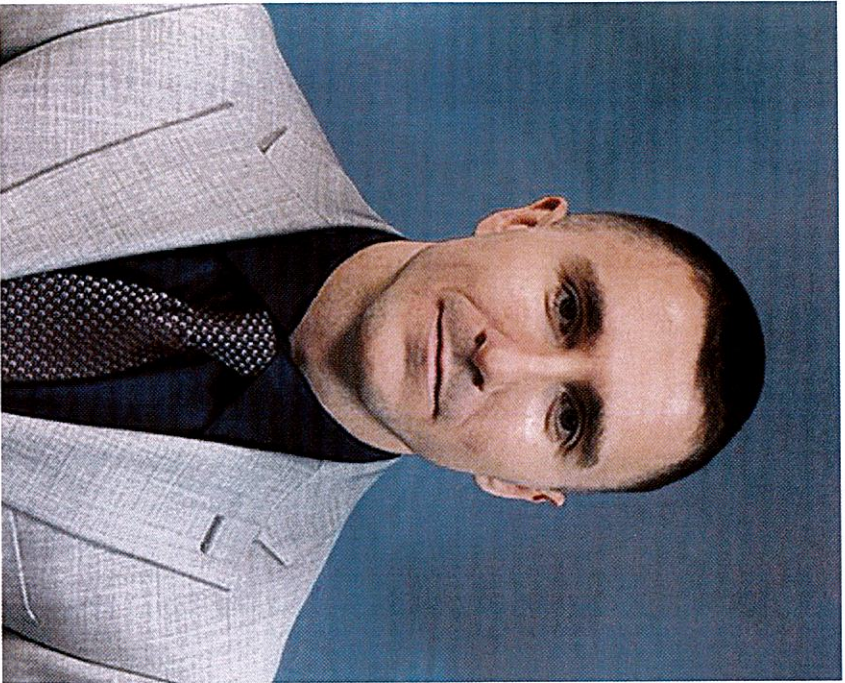
## Additional Highlights - Food Pantry



- Food Pantry operated by the district's FRYSC directors
- Families visited the food pantry over 120 times from December - May



## **Additional Highlights - SRO**



- Student Resource Officer Chris Jewell joined MCPS thanks to a partnership with the Marion County Sheriff's Office.



# Additional Highlights - Impact Survey

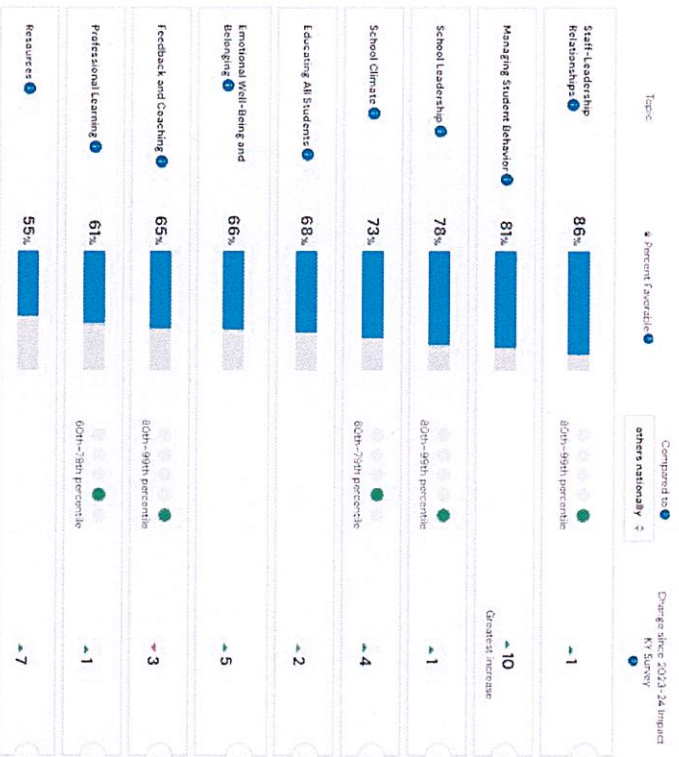


## 2025-26 Impact Kentucky Working Conditions Survey

What feedback did teachers & staff have for their seniors?

163 responses | Know classroom

Save as PDF



- The Impact Kentucky Working Conditions Survey results were published, with MCPS showing improvement in nearly all areas.



# EKU Experience Excellence Superintendent of the Year



- Recognized at CKEC monthly meeting
- Noted the district's academic growth and facilities improvements



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