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November BOE Report
District Strategic Plan and MS SCEP – Link:

Strategic Plan Goal	Action Step	Progress
# 1. By June 2017, all students taking a state assessment will be proficient (3 or 4, 65 or higher) **Tenet 6** – Family and Community Engagement	Increase partnerships between school and families.	The LMS Attendance Team continues to meet every Monday to review student attendance, and set up interventions based on the district-wide attendance ladder (*this can be found on our website). Attendance letters have been sent home to 13 students who have missed four or more days (10%), and LMS staff is meeting with students to create Attendance Action Plans (10%) for these students. LMS staff has been meeting with Parents of students who have missed 6 or more days (15%), and continues to reach out to parents/guardians each time a student is absent. Several home visits have also been made. LMS is having a monthly attendance challenge (shared with our staff/students at Town Hall Meetings) in regards to the percent of students in each grade level who have not missed any school each month: **September Data/October Data:** 5th grade: 72% / 65% 6th grade: 66% / 67% 7th grade: 66% / 62% 8th grade: 72% / 68% * Every student with perfect attendance had their name put into a drawing for their grade level. Then three names were drawn at Town Hall to receive a free ice cream coupon. We will continue this incentive each month. October 26th from 6:00-7:00 we held an "Internet Safety Night" for LMS Parents. More information can be found on the LMS Website. Internet Safety classes will also be taught in our 7/8 Home Ec. classes.
	Establish district-wide Multi-Tiered Systems of Support (MTSS) for academic & behavior	We reviewed five week interim data (attendance, grades, ODRs) with grade level teams and brainstormed ideas to support specific groups of students at Tier 1. We will continue to review this data to recognize achievement, and to adjust

		interventions to further support all students academically, socially, and emotionally. Our Character Trait of the Month for October was "Curiosity." We recognized two students from 7th /8th grade, and one student from each 5th/6th grade homeroom at Town Hall this month. Next month our focus is - "Responsibility." LMS Tier 2 Team continues to meet every "H" day from 10:30-11:30 to review Tier 2 groups for Math, Reading, Writing, Attendance and ODRs. We are now organizing social/emotional groups to support our students (Example - Social Skills, Anger Management, "Why Try" and "Skills Streaming.") LMS Tier 3 Team continues to review individual students/interventions and to adjust plans to best support our students. These interventions are documented in RTIm Direct for teachers/staff to refer to as needed. (*Example a teacher can review a student's intervention history, and notes from any parent meeting, from Kindergarten on.)
Tenet 5 – Student Social and Emotional Developmental Health:		We continue to add to/develop our after- school groups available from 2:15-2:50. We also continue to work in conjunction with our After School Discovery Program from 3:00-5:00. We currently we have the Robotics Club, Foosball Club, Fitness Club, Choir, Band, Art Club, and homework support groups offered for our students after school. (*Look at our LMS website for updated student artwork!)
#2: By June 2017, each student who has achieved mastery will maintain mastery, and the percentage of new students achieving mastery will increase.	Provide access to enrichment opportunities for all students.	The LMS Robotics Club led by Mr. O'Brien has their first Robotics Competition for our LMS Team is November 19th in Webster.

Other – School Safety and Security

- The NRW District Safety Team met on October 25th to review the district plan, and all building plans. Final versions (with updates) will be sent out ASAP.

- LMS has completed ten safety drills. Eight evacuation (fire drills), one lockdown practice on 9/15, and one lockdown drill on 9/20. We have two more safety drills to complete before the end of the year. These drills will be a lockdown practice on 1/18 and a lockdown drill that will be unannounced.
- LMS is starting a "Safety Squad." LMS students will submit an essay to Mrs. DeFeo and our SRO in regards to their interest (and qualifications) for being a "Safety Squad" member. Their first introductory meeting was November 1st, and we are currently reviewing their applications. These students will help recognize "safe" students in our school, and at Town Hall each month.
- Other positive data – Interim 1 reports were mailed home the week of October 11th. See below for the % of students passing all classes at each grade level – 5th grade (73%); 6th grade (87%); 7th grade (83%), 8th grade (63%)