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Professional development:
The district paraprofessionals will be participating in their next professional development meeting on December 4th. This training will be focused on confidentiality, professionalism and communication in schools presented by the ROE.

The nursing staff will be participating in Epilepsy training presented by Will Reager from the Epilepsy Foundation on December 4th.

Building level meetings:
Brittany Imm, WHS special education teacher has been assisting her department and JH special education teachers with how to incorporate STAR assessment data into IXL, a learning platform that provides personalized practice and diagnostics. This will be helpful with writing IEP goals and data collection.

Best Buddies at WHS:
Mrs. Goeddel and Mrs. Kretchmer received free Polar Express tickets for the Transition classroom, staff and their best buddies to attend November 11th from the National Best Buddies Organization. The students are very excited and we cannot wait to experience this with them.