



Hopson Middle School SAC Report-October 2021
Principal-Charles TenBroeck and Assistant Principal-Tracy Mulvenon

Enrollment: Sixth=93(-1), Seventh= 90(86-4), Eighth=94(0): Total=273(-5)(Red-DL)

Glows:

1. New and returning staff-

Corrine Danner-ILT-New teacher. She has hit the ground running by sending out an introduction letter and preparing a packet involving whaling equipment and the traditional distribution of whale parts.

Joel Daniel Griffis-7th Grade Science-Returning from medical-Daniel has also jumped in and developed creative opportunities for students during distance learning.

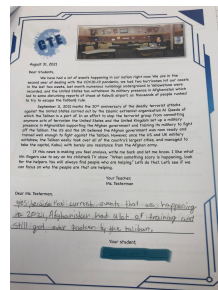
Provided training and support to get caught up with the year.

2. **Distance Learning**-Teachers are continuing to provide content and activities to enhance participation with students. Teachers have taken extra time to do additional PD in the areas that will help our students succeed.

Examples:



7th Grade Science-Buiding a Spacecraft



CTE-Giving students a place to express thoughts and information.Students also expressed shows they were watching, working on their work, and wanting to return to school.

7th Grade Social Studies-Project examining Greek thinking by reading Greek Fables.

3. **Radio Show.** We were able to do one radio show so far this year. Mr. TenBroeck and Ms. Mulvenon gave an overview of the new school year, and groups of students were able to express what it meant being back in school.
4. **Participation of Families:** 6th Grade Locker Night and Open House were live events with record participation. Everyone wore masks and used hand sanitizer often. Parent/Teacher conferences were via Zoom and phone calls.

Focus Areas:

1. **Pivoting** to distance learning and accessing all the avenues for communication with students and families.
2. (Same as last month, updates in blue)**Developing 7th Period**-Enriching student skills regardless of their level. This class has activities, strategies and programs surrounding the following:
 - A. Time to work on academics and skills according to individual needs-Using a variety of programs such as Edgenuity to address academic gaps.
 - B. Positive Behavioral Intervention Strategies-PBIS. Working on Social Emotional and Health. PBIS team has met several times to discuss and update on this topic. Plans developed in moving forward in person or in distance.
 - C. Leadership Skills. Setting and accomplishing goals.-Continued work on finding funding for the Leader in Me Framework. The Franklin-Covey has extended our membership while we search for sustainability. Thanks to Lori Roth, we will present a proposal to the district for additional funding with various Title Grants. Two other schools, Anaktuvuk Pass and Nuiqsut are interested in developing the Leader in Me Framework in their schools.

Peek into October:

Oct. 6-Second HMS Radio Show 10:00 am -Focus National Book Month

Oct. 15=End of the 9 weeks

Oct. 17=National Boss Day-HMS wants to thank Mr. TenBroeck for his continued support and leadership.

