

Assistant Superintendent Report to the Board

June 2016

District

- Dr. Cary and I conducted staff meeting in all buildings in May to discuss the development of leadership teams for next year. They will be termed “Continuous Improvement Teams” and their essential duties will be to develop School Improvement Plans (SIP) and monitor the implementation of DW and school strategies to improve student achievement for ALL. Those teams will be developed this summer with support from DFT and principals. We will be providing PLC training to those teams in August prior to workshop week.
- Superintendent Gronseth and I have working on the hiring of the principal positions at East HS and three elementary schools.
- As the end of the year is coming to a close, I will be meeting with each principal to complete their principal evaluation. I meet with each principal in the fall, winter and spring to review their professional goals and student outcome data as part of the ISD 709 Principal Growth and Evaluation Plan.

Early Childhood

- We are looking into several opportunities for early childhood expansion with federal and state funds for next year and beyond. I am working with Pam Rees and Jay Roesler to complete applications for these funds to add more classrooms, provide transportation and create full day programs for improved access for families.

Elementary

- Summer school (Excel) planning is underway and we are in the process of hiring staff. Excel will run June 28-Aug 4 (except week of 7/4) Tuesday-Thursday. Here is the breakdown in number of students per site:

LAURA MAC	45	
LESTER	88	
LOWELL		43
MYERS WILK	70	
PIEDMONT	40	
STOWE	32	

Secondary

- I have been able to attend graduation ceremonies for our 2016 graduates at ALC, Denfeld, East, and Woodland Hills Academy. Congratulations to the Class of 2016!

