

Homedale School District #370

Memo

To: Board of Trustees
From: Principal - Shay Swan
CC: Rob Sauer
Date: 6/3/25
Re: Board Report - Homedale Middle School

Enrollment:

Listed below are our current enrollment numbers:

5th Grade: 102

6th Grade: 105

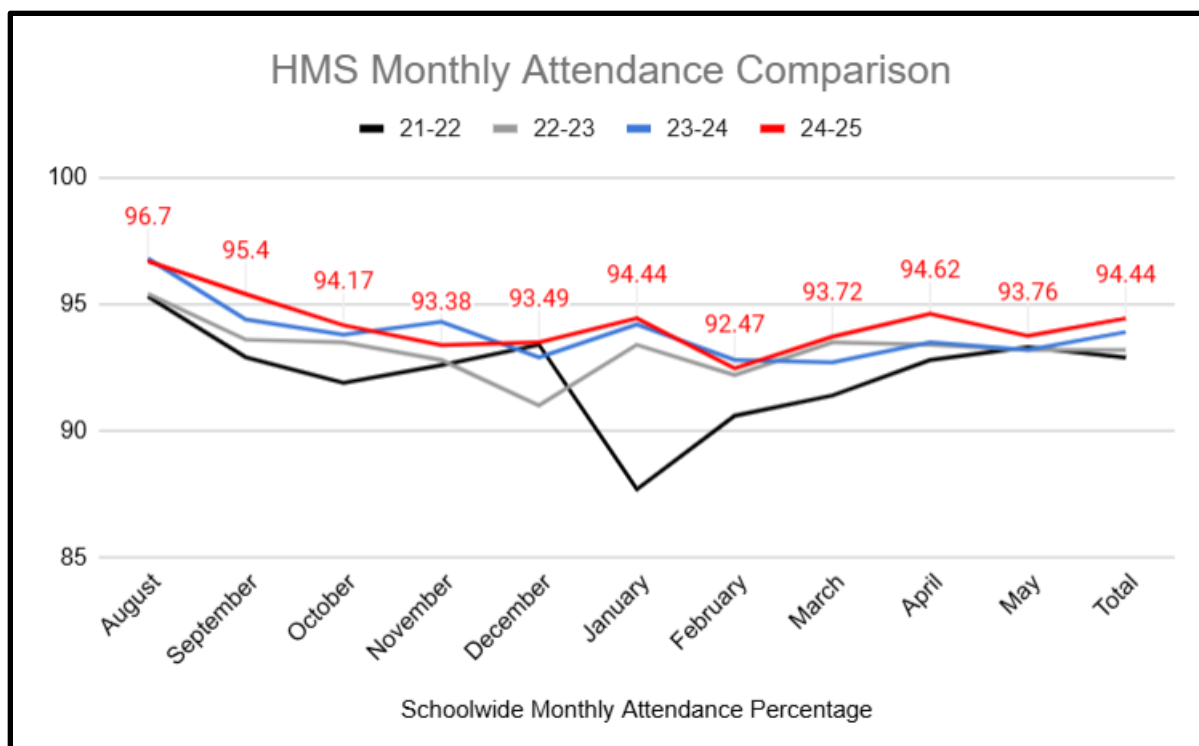
7th Grade: 98

8th Grade: 89

Total: 394

Attendance:

As a school, we finished with 94.4 percent attendance for the year. This attendance mark has steadily increased over the last few years, but I believe we can still improve on this number in the coming school years.



ISAT Testing:

We have completed the ISAT testing and the Homedale Middle School Students performed very well on these assessments. As a school we had a higher proficiency rate in 6 out of the 8 cohorts within math and ELA. In the following areas, the students showed a tremendous amount of student growth. We are super proud of the efforts put forward by students and teachers.

Roughly the students should make 20-25 points of growth in a year.

5th Grade Math → 71.5 points of average growth

5th Grade ELA → 83.9 points of average growth

7th Grade ELA → 34.5 points of average growth



HMS Math ISATs 24-25

		Total	Student Count	Test Completion Rate	Average Scale Score	Performance Distribution	Percent At and Above Proficient
5th	State		23957		2502 ± 1	 Percent: 31% 26% 19% 23% Count: 7.5K 6.3K 4.6K 5.5K	42%
	District		102		2520 ± 10	 Percent: 25% 26% 21% 27% Count: 26 27 21 28	48%
6th	State		23930		2519 ± 1	 Percent: 32% 27% 20% 21% Count: 7.7K 6.5K 4.7K 5K	41%
	District		105		2509 ± 12	 Percent: 37% 24% 15% 24% Count: 39 25 16 23	39%
7th	State		23843		2539 ± 1	 Percent: 30% 27% 22% 21% Count: 7.2K 6.4K 5.2K 5K	43%
	District		98		2536 ± 10	 Percent: 24% 38% 21% 16% Count: 24 37 21 16	38%
8th	State		23854		2553 ± 1	 Percent: 35% 24% 18% 22% Count: 8.4K 5.8K 4.3K 5.3K	40%
	District		89		2581 ± 12	 Percent: 18% 33% 22% 27% Count: 16 29 20 24	49%

HMS ELA ISATs 24-25

5th

		Student Count	Test Completion Rate	Average Scale Score	Performance Distribution	Percent At and Above Proficient
State		23864		2508 ± 1	<div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around;"> <div style="width: 26%; height: 10px; background-color: red;"></div> <div style="width: 20%; height: 10px; background-color: orange;"></div> <div style="width: 28%; height: 10px; background-color: green;"></div> <div style="width: 26%; height: 10px; background-color: blue;"></div> </div> <div> Percent: 26% 20% 28% 26% Count: 6.3K 4.7K 6.7K 6.1K </div> </div>	54%
District		101		2525 ± 10	<div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around;"> <div style="width: 15%; height: 10px; background-color: red;"></div> <div style="width: 28%; height: 10px; background-color: orange;"></div> <div style="width: 31%; height: 10px; background-color: green;"></div> <div style="width: 27%; height: 10px; background-color: blue;"></div> </div> <div> Percent: 15% 28% 31% 27% Count: 15 28 31 27 </div> </div>	57%

6th

State		23860		2529 ± 1	<div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around;"> <div style="width: 24%; height: 10px; background-color: red;"></div> <div style="width: 24%; height: 10px; background-color: orange;"></div> <div style="width: 31%; height: 10px; background-color: green;"></div> <div style="width: 20%; height: 10px; background-color: blue;"></div> </div> <div> Percent: 24% 24% 31% 20% Count: 5.7K 5.8K 7.5K 4.8K </div> </div>	52%
District		102		2527 ± 10	<div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around;"> <div style="width: 27%; height: 10px; background-color: red;"></div> <div style="width: 20%; height: 10px; background-color: orange;"></div> <div style="width: 31%; height: 10px; background-color: green;"></div> <div style="width: 22%; height: 10px; background-color: blue;"></div> </div> <div> Percent: 27% 20% 31% 22% Count: 28 20 32 22 </div> </div>	53%

7th

State		23753		2558 ± 1	<div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around;"> <div style="width: 22%; height: 10px; background-color: red;"></div> <div style="width: 23%; height: 10px; background-color: orange;"></div> <div style="width: 35%; height: 10px; background-color: green;"></div> <div style="width: 20%; height: 10px; background-color: blue;"></div> </div> <div> Percent: 22% 23% 35% 20% Count: 5.2K 5.4K 8.4K 4.8K </div> </div>	56%
District		97		2574 ± 9	<div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around;"> <div style="width: 12%; height: 10px; background-color: red;"></div> <div style="width: 29%; height: 10px; background-color: orange;"></div> <div style="width: 38%; height: 10px; background-color: green;"></div> <div style="width: 21%; height: 10px; background-color: blue;"></div> </div> <div> Percent: 12% 29% 38% 21% Count: 12 28 37 20 </div> </div>	59%

8th

State		23800		2570 ± 1	<div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around;"> <div style="width: 22%; height: 10px; background-color: red;"></div> <div style="width: 24%; height: 10px; background-color: orange;"></div> <div style="width: 35%; height: 10px; background-color: green;"></div> <div style="width: 19%; height: 10px; background-color: blue;"></div> </div> <div> Percent: 22% 24% 35% 19% Count: 5.2K 5.6K 8.4K 4.5K </div> </div>	54%
District		88		2579 ± 10	<div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around;"> <div style="width: 17%; height: 10px; background-color: red;"></div> <div style="width: 26%; height: 10px; background-color: orange;"></div> <div style="width: 36%; height: 10px; background-color: green;"></div> <div style="width: 20%; height: 10px; background-color: blue;"></div> </div> <div> Percent: 17% 26% 36% 20% Count: 15 23 32 18 </div> </div>	57%

Field Trips:

HMS students attended their annual end of the year field trips to the following locations:

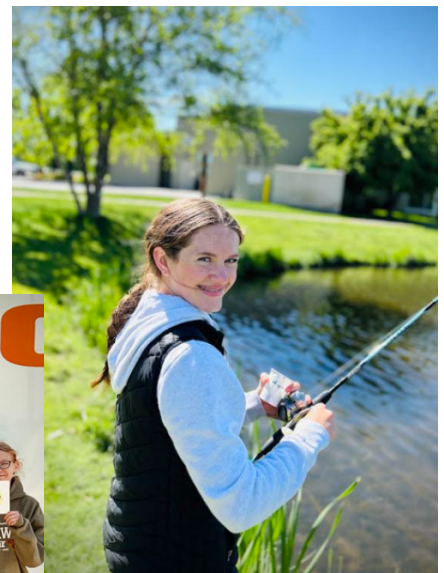
8th grade field trip to BSU and the Old Penitentiary.

7th grade field trip to Kleiner's Park- Idaho Fish and Game

6th grade field trip to Nampa Rollerdrome

5th grade field trip to Nampa Rec Center

Good times were had by all.



HMS Art Night...

Mrs. Johnson hosted her annual "Art Night" on Wednesday. Thank you Shannon for going the extra mile for our kids.



Essay Contest Winners...

Aspen VanDerhoff and Lizzy Townsend were able to collect awards from the annual Caldwell Elks American Essay Competition. Aspen came in second place in our region and Lizzy not only won our region, but also won the state competition as well.



Middle School Dance...

Recently, HMS hosted their middle school dance for students to celebrate all of their hard work throughout the year. Leading into this event, we were able to bring in two dance instructors from our community to give the students line dancing lessons. The students had a very good time with both the lessons and the dancing.



NJHS Induction Ceremony...

Margo Phariss and Starla Bender hosted our annual NJHS Induction Ceremony last Tuesday night. The event was very well attended and we have a great group of kids stepping into this leadership role. Starla and Margo put in a lot of work into these students and it without a doubt makes our school a better place.



Fourth Grade Visitation...

The current 4th grade students visited HMS on Wednesday, May 14th. The students started off with a quick "get to know you" discussion in the cafeteria. We then had a few select 8th grade students escort different fourth grade groups throughout the school on a tour. The event gave the students a good first impression of their future school.



Honor

HMS hosted a retirement celebration for Debby Turner, Shannon Johnson, and Kim Portwood on May 30th. Having breakfast together, sharing gifts, and telling stories was a great way to send off these three ladies. They will definitely be missed.



8th Grade Promotion Ceremony:

The 8th grade promotion ceremony was held on May 28th at 2:00pm. It was very well attended and the staff members in charge did a very good job honoring the work of our students.

Class of 2029

8th Grade Promotion Ceremony

Agenda

INTRODUCTION	GRACIE JAKOVAC
PROMOTION WALK	CLASS OF 2029
NATIONAL ANTHEM	MS. STARLA BENDER
STUDENT RECOGNITION	
CITIZENSHIP	MRS. SHANNON JOHNSON
ACADEMICS	MRS. MARGO PHARISS
ATTENDANCE	MRS. KIM MORIN
PROMOTION CERTIFICATES	MS. STARLA BENDER
CONCLUDING REMARKS	MR. SHAY SWAN

