

Browning High School
November Board Report
2019

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Browning Indians are the BEST
Let's all fight for BHS!!

Principal Instructional Goals 2019-2020

Assessment Goals

- Increase **Proficient** by 15% in Math on STARMath and Reading on ISIP by May 2020
- Decrease **Intensive** by 15% in Math on STARMath and Reading on ISIP by May 2020
- Increase writing scores in Benchmark by 15% on District Writing Assessment by February 2020
- Increase writing scores in students who raise scores 1 pt by 10 % on District Writing Assessment by February 2020
- Increase ACT scores by 10%
- Decrease behavioral incidents by 15% by May 2020
- Decrease 40+ attendance by 10% by May 2020
- Increase Graduation Rate 10% by May 2020

Staff:

Certified Attendance for November: 90%

Classified Attendance for November: 92%

BHS staff Perfect Attendance Total for November: Robert Bremner, Whitney Bremner, JoAnne Grandstaff, Melanie Magee, Randy Rivas, Jennifer Wagner, Marge La Buff, Gail Oscar, and Josephine Wagner.

Students:

Perfect Attendance for Year: Total:

95% or better for Year: Total:

Perfect Attendance for November: Total: 5

95% or better for November: Total: 16

Enrollment:

9th grade-136 10th grade-148 11th grade-132 12th grade-98 Total-514

Percentages

9th grade-76% 10th grade-75% 11th grade-75% 12th grade-74%

BHS Student % for November: 75% (our attendance average has gone up this month)

Home visits: November: 20

Referrals: for November: 105 Total for year: 296

OSS:73 – At this time, our totals are down from last year for OSS.

ISS:32

Bullying Reports: November: 5

Court Referrals: November:0

Absent, Transfer or Drop students: 5 transfer, 21 dropped (still cleaning our attendance in the database up)

Transcripts Requests: 3

Western Native Voice-Census information



Joe Running Crane and Cinda Burd from Western Native Voice reached out to BHS with interest to talk to the Senior class. They wanted to inform them about the census; what it means and why it is important to be counted. In 2010, this age group was the most undercounted group.

Students on Governor's Youth Leadership Council

Mara Old Person and BreeAnna Polk have been selected to the Governor and First Lady Youth Leadership Council. They have been selected because of their commitment to serving others, passion for feeding Montana's kids and experience working with their peers and community to create change. They attended an all-day retreat November 22 and must engage in project planning and management to prepare for Fight Childhood Hunger Week, participate in monthly calls, submit project reports, progress reports and implement these projects in April. Their advisors are Amy Andreas, Kevin Kicking Woman and Kathy Broere.



Vaping Presentation

Kris Minard from OPI - Tobacco Use Prevention Education Program was at BHS to give factual information about the history of vaping and the dangers of vaping. Her presentation was interactive; students were able to use the Kahoot app to answer questions and win prizes. According to students and staff this presentation was very powerful and had interesting and good information.

Site Visits-Math - Mary Buck

BHS was visited by Mary Buck as support to our Math department. The strengths she finds are routines and structures are in place, staff is receptive to consultant assistance, all classrooms have a positive learning environment.

Effective Strategies-MSRP, SSRI, MCLP, AVID, EL

During our Extended Wednesday meeting, BHS staff has been giving presentations on effective strategies to their colleagues. Different examples of organization systems (color coding notes, interactive notebooks, pre-printed Cornell sheets, etc) for students and staff have been highlighted. Many interactive activities for college, BNAS, and IEFA have been shared. Engaging our students in their own learning is key to sustain knowledge.

BioCubes

Ms. Grandstaff's ENG 9 & 10, researched authors and put facts on the cube to share with the class. Yellow cubes are Sherman Alexie and green cubes are for Charles Dickens.



We welcome you to stop out to BHS and acknowledge the positives we have going on here at BHS!