

Browning High School
March Board Report
2020

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Let's all fight for BHS!!

Principal Instructional Goals 2019-2020

Staff:

Certified Attendance for March: 60%

Classified Attendance for March: 73%

BHS staff Perfect Attendance Total for March: Glenn Castle, Ross DeRoche, JoAnne Grandstaff, Debra High, Lester Johnson, Dr. Johnson, Brenda Johnston, Kevin Kickingwoman, June Matt, Jack Parrent, Melody Small, Carla Whitegrass, Calvin McKay

Students:

Perfect Attendance for March Total: 4

95% or better for March Total: 12

Enrollment:

9th grade-135 10th grade-138 11th grade-114 12th grade-97 Total-484

Percentages

9th grade-86% 10th grade-86% 11th grade-86% 12th grade-87%

BHS Student % for March: 87%

Home visits: March: 20

Referrals: for March: 54 Total for year: 416

OSS:22

ISS:24

By comparison:

August 2019 to March 2020

OSS 104 students 181 resolutions. (+7)

ISS 65 students 141 resolutions (-38)

August 2108 to March 2019

OSS 107 students 174 resolutions (-7)

ISS 107 students 179 resolutions (+38)

Court Referrals: March:

Absent, Transfer or Drop students: 7 adds, 4 transferred

Transcripts Requests: 11

Dates to be aware of:

- All March and Activities are Cancelled
- School buildings are closed to students until April 10th (with more information to be coming from the Governor by the 10th)
- May Activities will be determined at the end of April

COVID 19 Information

Access to the building-

No students or children are allowed into the building at this time. People are screened (what they need, who they need to see, etc) to gain access to the building. Staff enter through the front door. Gloves, and a hand sanitizer station is located at the main office, with basic information regarding COVID-19 posted throughout the office. We have a rotation of staff answering phones, handling mail and creating packets from 8-12 M-F. Custodians are disinfecting the office area and building daily. All rotations are around 3 hours a day.

Staff Meetings-

We have staff meetings every Monday from 9am-10am via google hangout video. All staff have engaged in new technology and are sharing positives about our new teaching situation.

Department Meetings-

We have 9 separate department meetings Wednesday-Friday between 9-12 via google hangout video. Our instructional consultant is participating in these meetings. They will be utilizing these meetings to collaborate and problem solve any issues that are arising. Our next focus will be for teachers to create a teaching video and a welcome video. Our instructional support from OPI and independent consultants have been in contact with all staff and administration.

Packet Distribution-

Classes are sending us packet material to print and distribute each week. We have comprised a list of 78 the first week and then 62 the next week. We had times for each grade to pick up and drop off packets. The first week we had around 22 people pick up packets. The next week we had 7. There are many people telling us they are apprehensive about leaving their homes. We have mailed out the remaining items.

Materials and online assignments returned

This has ranged from 0% to 50% with one class being 70%. We are going to reach out to the community to solicit assistance from parents to have students not only check in but to turn in some assignments.

Grades

What does this look like for credits and such? We are outlining a plan to define what grades will be and how can students earn credit. We will also address "how will a student graduate?"

Pick up items from school-

By phone call we have been tracking down items for students and having them come to the school to pick up. Items can be picked up on Thursday 10 am – 12 pm.

Internet Connectivity-

In surveying our students and parents, we were able to contact 450 families out of 500. Out of these families 50 do not have access to reliable internet. We have distributed 11 jet packs and will be distributing 10 more to students. We are still distributing needed internet devices every Thursday from 10 am- 12 pm.

Portfolio Process-

We understand this is a rite of passage for all seniors and a graduation requirement. We are brainstorming our options.

Sr Events & Graduation Ceremony-

In the event our graduation ceremony and/or Senior events are still under social distance rules or quarantine, we are looking at a variety of possibilities to celebrate this rite of passage for Seniors. We will continue to brainstorm and problem solve to make sure our students receive their diplomas and have a special virtual celebration.

Counseling Staff

Have set up a google classroom to support all students. They are writing a virtual protocol for suicide prevention and are setting up parameters to counsel remotely from home and online.

Praise to all the staff for providing education in a different way, trying new things, supporting one another and contacting students & families! Thank you to all essential staff who are providing & transporting food and regular maintenance of the campuses!

We sure miss our students!

As always, please see and praise all the positive aspects of BHS!