



School Board Report March 19, 2014

1.. Professional Development at Ozona Elementary School.

- **Grade Level Meetings** to discuss math concerns and possible uses for the funds appropriated from the Focus Campus Grant. Decreasing the number of tutorial students so that we can be more effective, gathering data such as the Student Level Review, Instructional Focus Calendars and tutorial list from the most recent math assessment.
- Teachers completed their online training for TELPAS. Way to go the First Grade Team (Crenwelge, Mecke, Patterson) and the Kindergarten Team (Harmsen, Henderson, Venegas and Rodriguez) for completing their student ratings already!
- Concluding teacher observations and summative conferences.
- Staff attended our District-wide Assessment Training hosted by the Region Center 15.
- Attendance had decreased due to student illnesses. 4th Grade earned the extra recess the 4th Six Weeks with a 96.22%.

2.. The Texas Education Agency has named our campus as a Focus Campus, meaning that we are grouped with the lowest 5% of elementary schools across Texas.

- Discussion with Robin Harmon from Region Center 15, she will submit our Title I 1003(a) Focus Grant which will provide our school with the financial support to implement strategies to address our gaps in reading and math with our subgroups. Mrs. Bricken, Mr. Chavarria, Mrs. McWilliams and Mrs. Munoz also attended the meeting.
- Planned interventions include: Mary Castanuela will present on Brain-Based Research Strategies for ELL students; a 3-Day STAAR Boost where we hire a substitute for Math and Reading for three days before the first administration and three days before the second administration in order to provide additional support to our teachers; purchasing Istation for the K, 1st, and 2nd grade; add STAR Progress Monitoring component from Renaissance Learning; hire a presenter/coach to help with math interventions; purchase additional headsets with microphones for our ELL students to use with Imagine Learning; host our first Ready for School Camp at the beginning of school in order to give our students a head start; and get some additional help for the technology department in order to get our computers and laptops working and add possible student computers in teacher's classrooms.
- Visiting with Mr. Byrd and discussing other options for math interventions.

3. Happening at Ozona Elementary:

- Celebrating Texas Public School Week during the week of March 3rd-7th with several activities such as hosting a STAAR informational meeting for parents, inviting families to come eat breakfast with us during the Muffins for Moms, Donuts for Dad, and Goodies for Grandparents. We concluded our week with a Robin Reading Evening full of literacy and spectacular First Grade Read Across America Presentation. Thank you Ms. Saunders!
- Interviewed several great candidates for the custodial position at our campus. The decision was definitely difficult to make. Our committee composed of Vicky Munoz, Anna Martinez, and myself concluded our search by offering the position to Irma Sanchez. Mrs. Sanchez, welcome to C.C.C.S.D!
- Mrs. Munoz and Mrs. Parker attended the annual Three Rivers Counseling Association Luncheon in San Angelo. They took one of our students, Natalie Tambunga, who was a recipient of the TRCA Tribute Award! Thanks to Ms. Parker for the nomination.
- Nurse Karen has spinal screened our boys and girls. Thanks Nurse Karen!