

Executive Summary

Prepared for Board of Trustees Meeting

August 8, 2017

Gallian Center Update

Board Goal:

Vision

- Remain committed to providing equitable and outstanding opportunities for every student on every campus.
- Effectively communicate achievements and recognitions to the Denton ISD community.

Teaching & Learning

- Cultivate a consistent, strong, district-wide balanced curriculum based on ongoing needs assessments that support all students.
- Expect full curriculum implementation on each campus by instructional leaders.
- Establish quality staff development programs that promote professional learning communities.
- Stay abreast of and incorporate best practices into teaching, learning, technology and leadership.

Parent and Community Involvement

- Foster a positive and welcoming environment that encourages parent and community partnerships to achieve success for all our students.
- Promote child advocacy across the state and nation.

Human Resources

- Recruit, select, employ and retain teachers in every classroom because of substantive experiences in the discipline they teach, rather than in auxiliary functions
- Encourage all teachers and staff to pursue advanced professional development and degrees within their specialty area.

Purpose of Report The purpose of the update is to provide an update of the Gallian Child Development Center to the School Board.

Objectives

- The School Board will be informed regarding the personnel at the Gallian Center.
 - The School Board will be informed regarding the Curriculum used at the Gallian Center and how it supports the individual needs of each child enrolled in the program.
 - The School Board will be informed of grants we have received and the increase in tuition and how that compares with local programs.
 - The School Board will be informed of the Program Success and special recognition the program and the employees within have received.
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Operational Impact

The report will provide information regarding the history of the Gallian Child Development Center since the last report and the direction we are headed.

Results

The School Board should be proud of the work done at the Gallian Child Development Center that impacts the children enrolled, their families (most of whom are DISD Employees), and other individuals who are working in the field of Child Development in the North Texas Area.

Other Options