

# BROWNING SCHOOLS

## Browning Middle School February Report

February has been a busy month for Browning Middle School students. BMS sent a group of American Indians into Math and Science students to the University of Montana campus through the Gear Up program. The students attended STEM activities, job shadowing of professors, an Anatomy and Physiology class and Evolution class. Students experienced on the job skills for Pre-Veterinarians, dissected cow eyeballs in a college class, and participated in a sensory activity involving lasers and hand eye coordination. This educational experience exposed the BMS students to varied skills, professions and notetaking in a university setting. Gear Up will be sponsoring a STEM activity in the next month and the students are being encouraged throughout the 6 STEM classes that are held at Browning Middle School.





The BMS Drum Group was showcased and honored to sing at the Browning High School Boys Basketball game on February 14<sup>th</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup>. They sang the Blackfeet Honor Song before the Varsity games each night. The Drum Group is led by Mr. Stan Whiteman and Mr. Adrien Wagner.

Beginning on January 27<sup>th</sup>, students were informed that BMS would be offering an Incentive Trip for the students who are Sookapi Students (passing all classes) and Good Behavior students (no behavior logs). The cut off date was February 20, 2020 and the students and chaperones went to Wheels of Thunder in Great Falls, Mt. The students and chaperones had a pleasant experience and this was the first time most of the students have ever been roller skating. This is also the first time that most of the chaperones have been roller skating in decades but fun was had by all. Browning Middle School will continue to offer celebrations and incentives for the students, focusing on the positives of academics and behavior.





Classified Staff: 83%  
Certified Staff: 85%  
Staff attendance as a whole: 84%  
Perfect Attendance:  
Certified: 0 staff member  
Classified: 0 staff members  
7th Grade Students: 80.81%  
8th Grade Students: 77.69%  
Students attendance as a whole: 79.25%  
Perfect Attendance: 18 students  
Dropped students: 2 students  
Home Visits: 21  
Food Boxes: 8 boxes, 13 snack bags  
Behavior Report:  
Referrals: 33  
OSS: 15 students