

January 20, 2025  
Middle School Board Report

1. We welcomed back students on January 3rd. Students have all adjusted to their second semester schedules. January and February can seem like long months so we will continue to seek student input about how to make NHMS a better place.
2. The Middle School Chickasaw Leadership Team is looking to continue fun and engaging activities for students this second semester. These kids under the guidance of our 8 supervising teachers are doing an excellent job, in their January meeting they worked through some leadership scenarios/activities.
3. MS boys basketball and MS Girls wrestling is underway and they have to date they have completed 25% of their schedule and are representing us well.
4. We began our winter screening of FAST. All of our students are taking the aReading, AutoReading, aMath, and mySaebres screeners again. These screeners in conjunction with PLC meetings have been working really well to make sure we get support where needed for students.
5. Staff had some time to work on Endmester courses, as we get ready for those starting after ISASP on April 22 - May 2nd.
6. 5th graders have scheduled their trip to the State Capital and to the Iowa Science Center for April 16th, look for some pictures to come. This is a great experience for our students even with a 6:45am gather and 7:00am depart time.
7. I would like to thank Chief Rosendahl and Mrs. Jenna Miller for bringing back our DARE program to our school as our 5th graders will start working through this 13 week program on January 21st.
8. Quarter 2 activities were enjoyed on the 19th of December. Students enjoyed a movie at Charles CityTheatre, Roller Skating, Bowling, and the Cedar River Complex in Osage.

