

March 20, 2022

## Middle School Board Report

1. Middle School staff were in inservice last Monday and we continued our preparation for ISASP testing, we discussed plans for Endmester, continued our work on our SEL learning, and had work time for classroom planning.
2. Middle School Musical "Everything's Groovy!" will be held 3/23 and 3/24. The cast will have a dress rehearsal for the 4th - 8th graders on the 22nd at 1:30pm. I want to thank all of the hard work put in by our students as well as Mrs. Cantu and Mr. Pemble.
3. Materials have been ordered and groups have been set up for ISASP. The middle school staff have been excellent in making sure we get practice tests scheduled with chromebooks so students can get familiarized with the layout of IASAP. Thanks to Mr. Cantu for getting the chromebook carts ready as well.
4. We had our Quarter 3 reward party on the 10th and 13th. The kids had a lot of fun bowling, skating, watching a movie at Sunset Theater, and staying active at the Cresco wellness center which included swimming. Students have been working hard to receive these PBIS awards.
5. 5th graders enjoyed their trip to the state capital and the Science Center here recently and I wanted to include some pictures. Students were excited to see all the levels of the capital and the many marvels of science.
6. We will be having an assembly at the end of the day to kick off ISASP testing at the end of this month. Students will hear about their areas of growth within their grade levels and why this test is important, and what we will have for an incentive if growth or proficiency is shown on this year's tests. Last year every student earned an incentive as our building grew an average of 2%.

