

December 17, 2018

Middle School Board Report

1. Our Midmester Academy handbook is now on the website. Students have been introduced to the courses and have begun to sign up. We hope to get the lists ready for teachers by our January inservice.
2. Our MS Band and Choir performed a winter concert on December 10th. Thanks to the music department, students, and parents for supporting our school.
3. Middle School Girls Basketball and Wrestling concluded their seasons this past week. Thanks to all of the students and coaches for making the first part of the Winter sports a success. MS Boys basketball will begin later this week.
4. On December 5th, we took a team of teachers to Stilwell Junior High in West Des Moines to view their PBL school. They are a member of the New Tech Network and it was a great learning experience to learn about their process and see where we are as a building.
5. Our staff has been having fun participating in the 12 Days of Christmas Activities we have setup through our PBIS team. Thanks to Mrs. Miller and Mrs. Geerts for making this happen and sharing with the other buildings to build comradery
6. Keep reading my blog to see how our teachers are incorporating PBL within their content areas. This last month has highlighted, Mrs. Dunagan, Ms. Adam, and Ms. Remmen. Many more classrooms to come this month and next month.