

1. Students and staff had a lot of fun during the end of the year (CLT planned) Battle of the Classes. Students worked very hard right up to the end when iPads were checked. Students closed the school year out with lots of laughter and fun. Students played various yard games, sports games, decorated cookies, put puzzles together, and designed a square with chalk out front all to earn points for their homeroom. We had an assembly with closing thoughts on this school year and crowned a homeroom victor. It was a great way for the 5th-8th grade CLT members to organize the event and take charge in setting up a fun day for all involved.
2. During the end of the year Professional Development, teachers worked on getting their rooms back to normal. We also spent some time looking at data (ISASP and staff/student surveys) and talked about what interventions we need to continue and what we need to add/change for next year.
3. Special thanks to all custodians for getting the building looking shiny and new again, the hallways and carpets are clean on the second floor. The building was in great shape for self-guided tours during Heartland Days.
4. Students enjoyed S&E Ice Cream as a building as part of a job well done this year. Students and staff enjoyed seeing the seniors walk the hallways prior to Graduation.
5. (2024) Iowa Assessments are back and we have seen growth in certain areas. Some students grew a lot, others grew a little, and only a couple declined. Our staff is already reviewing the data, setting up preliminary intervention groups and resources. Overall from last year as a building increased 2% (73% - 75%).

Overall Proficiency in grades 5-8 Data on ELA/Math/Science in grades 5th & 8th

5th - 140/237 = 59%

6th - 104/122 = 85%

7th - 100/134 = 75%

8th - 177/225 = 79%

2020-21 Total ELA/Math/Science Proficiency for building — 509/663 =77%

2021 -22 Total ELA/Math/Science Proficiency for building — 503/635 =79%

2022 - 23 Total ELA/Math/Science Proficiency for building — 521/718 =73%

2023 -24 Total ELA/MATH/Science Proficiency for building — 532/706 =75%





