

Superintendent's Report for BOARD OF EDUCATION

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- Our first round of Evaluate Data is in and has been analyzed. (see below) As a reminder, this data represents our growth from the SEPTEMBER test. In Evaluate, we measure growth as the test given in September is given again in November, then January and then again in March.

Grade Level	Math	ELA
K	grew 10	Grew 17
1	Grew 12	Grew 5
2	Grew 14	Regressed 3
3	Grew 8	Grew 2
4	Grew 10	Stayed same
5	Grew 7	Grew 5
6	Grew 9	Grew 3
7	Grew 8	Grew 1
8	Grew 16	Grew 13

*Plans have already been put in place at the 2nd grade ELA level to address the dip including strategizing the focus instructional strategies.

*As a reminder the growth is percentage of growth from the initial scoring. Many of our students are still scoring in the Below Basic and Basic categories but it is positive to note that their growth indicates they are moving closer to proficiency from where they were.

*This growth trend also represents that our MPI scores are moving in the right direction which is actual number that the state will look at to determine our growth and renewal status.

*The blocks of color coding for the grades in the charts above have no meaning. I distinguished each 3 grade levels as a separate instructional coach works with that block of grades.

- On Friday, November 11, I had the opportunity to represent LATCA at the BLOC (Black Leaders of Change) in conjunction with the Amplify Conference for Urban Education. We met for an hour at Grandview Middle School. We toured their building and observed instruction and shared ideas of instructional innovation for students of color. We also listened to student voices about how they feel about education today.

- We have posted our vacancy for building principal on MoReap as well as other social media sites. The window to apply will be closed November 25, 2022 and we plan to begin interviews on November 28, 2022. Our target goal is to have a recommendation to our BOE by our December meetings. We have received several applications and the deadline is November 25, 2022. We have sought staff for their input and are doing the same with parents and community.
- **NOVEMBER ENROLLMENT UPDATE**

Grade	Teacher	Teacher	Total
Kinder	Johnson – 21	Taylor – 17	38
1	Mason – 20	Witt – 20	40
2	Edwards – 20	Byrd – 18	38
3	Gilmore – 18	Douglass – 18	36
4	Copes – 24	Munday – 24	48
5	Spencer – 15	Garlington – 18	33
6	Nash – 17	Turner – 17	34
7	Parks – 20	Crawford – 19	39
8	Neal – 15	Adams – 14	29
PRE K	19		19
TOTAL			354

**We are receiving multiple inquiries from families of Bishop Hogan School system.