Curriculum Coordinator Report:

January 2024

Professional development:

➤ I will be attending a state literacy conference next week along with Ms. Countryman. This conference is facilitated by the NYS Department of Education to strengthen administrators and literacy leaders' understanding of research evidence based literacy practices.

Curriculum:

➤ I have begun research to find a new math curriculum. I have reached out to other districts whose students have demonstrated high levels of proficiency on state exams. I am having conversations with other administrators and teachers, getting insight into how they believe their curriculum contributes to their students' success.

Data:

- Meetings with the 3-6 math teachers and 3-8 ELA teachers are scheduled in January to do an in -depth analysis of our students' state tests. This will help guide instruction in the last couple of months before the new tests are administered.
- > K-2 teachers will be looking at data from the second i ready diagnostic test. Students are taking it now, and it is scheduled to be completed on the 22nd of January.

MTSS:

Margueax Davis, Supervisor of Instructional Resources at SLL BOCES, is giving a presentation, during the January faculty meeting. She will provide an overview of the best practices for AIS and MTSS.

Positive School Culture:

There were a lot of community and culture building activities for the students and staff during the last week before Christmas vacation. The elementary students had the opportunity to sing and dance in the high school gym to Christmas songs. They sang their hearts out and danced their little feet off! Santa visited, and we had a lot of

excitement in the elementary hallway upon his arrival. There were also a plethora of activities and parties in individual classrooms. The generosity of teachers was evidenced in their planning and giving of special gifts to their students. The middle school and high school students had a great time participating in the block party. Their teachers also demonstrated their giving spirit by all the effort they put into planning creative and fun activities for their students, and participating in those activities with them. Smiles and laughter filled the hallways the week before vacation.