



*"Central Nine exists to engage and empower students by providing career-based instruction in an innovative learning environment. We make an IMPACT on our students' personal and professional SKILLS, which enables them to succeed in post-secondary and career opportunities."*

## Governing Board Report – High School Division

### September Highlights

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#### Staff Services (Curriculum, Instruction, Programs, Staffing)

##### Individualized Professional Development

As part of the updated Teacher Evaluation Program, Eddie Small, the CTE Innovation Coach, began conducting non-evaluative observations of each staff member. These will be completed prior to fall break. Teachers also met with Mr. Small to develop individual goals and a personalized professional development plan. Instructors will work with Mr. Small throughout the year to monitor and make progress on these goals.

##### Focus Teams

Focus Teams met for the first time the school year on August 28. Teams met to continue working toward meeting our school improvement goals. This year, the Assessment and Data Team has been changed to the Achievement Team. The Achievement Team will work toward increasing student achievement in our populations' wide range of abilities, and by providing equity and excellence for all students and staff. This committee will examine certifications, assessments (like Accuplacer), meeting the needs of all students, successfully implementing accommodations and modifications, working with staff to meet goals, and analyzing our state data.

##### Student Vaping Presentation

On Friday, September 6, Nancy Voris, Tobacco Program Coordinator for Tobacco Free Johnson County, gave a presentation to all students about the dangers of vaping and smoking. The presentation was well received. We even received an email from a parent thanking us for doing this for our students.

##### Advisory Board Banquet

The annual Advisory Board Banquet will be held on Thursday, September 26, 2019 at 6:30 p.m. Boards will meet before or after the banquet. The Culinary Department is currently prepping the menu.

#### Student Services

##### Marketing/Recruiting

- 8/13 Meet the Instructor Night
- 8/13 Governor's Work Ethic Certification Program (x 4 sessions) at Meet the Instructor Night
- 8/20 Preview Purdue Event
- 8/21 Visited Poynter Sheet Metal for a tour with Dr. Kovach and Mr. Wiley
- 8/27 College and Career Fair at Franklin Community HS
- 8/29 Meeting with Sandy Hatton for Marketing Focus Team (Movie Advertising)

There were several meetings held with community entities to determine how we can establish partnerships. FAFSA Completion Night organization has begun and a partnership has been established with INvestED to facilitate (to be held December 3.) Promotion for College Day has also begun. College Day will be held October 24 and so far, 26 organizations have

registered to be in attendance. 220 Seniors have opted into the Governor's Work Ethic Certification Program surpassing our goal.

**Administration – Student Services Office**

Student Services has begun the drop/add portion of the back-to-school orientations. Students have one week to change courses or drop courses if they choose. The idea is to find the right fit for all students. Student Services Coordinators are seeing students by appointment every 15 minutes to change classes. Student Services continues to work with Marketing to enhance external marketing efforts. Program brochures are being improved and re-sized to better accommodate the needs of Student Services personnel. Student Services continues to provide support as daily issues arise, such as when the Whiteland bus was rear-ended.

**Supportive Services**

Student Services Coordinators continue to host parent/teacher conferences as the need arises. Vincennes University Dual Credit Enrollment is ongoing through 9/6/19.