



"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

December Highlights

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Staff Services (Curriculum, Instruction, Programs, Staffing)

Professional Learning Communities / Professional Development

Throughout the year, instructors will be working through 4 critical questions related to curriculum, assessment, intervention, and extensions as part of our journey into PLCs. Most recently teachers focused on authentic assessment. We will continue this discussion and how it connects to the general learning plan.

Next Level Programs of Study

Central Nine will continue expanding NLPS options next year. Discussion and planning is currently underway to prep for next school year.

Evaluation

Mrs. Michelle Augustine is wrapping up Coaching Sessions with instructors. Mr. Preda and Mr. Quaranta have started formal observations with those instructors who have already gone through the initial coaching session process with Mrs. Augustine.

Student Services

Marketing/Recruiting

- 11/3 Lunch and Learn – Whiteland HS (22)
- 11/3 Endress+Hauser Internship Interviews
- 11/8 Lunch and Learn – Indian Creek HS (4)
- 11/9 Presentations – Perry Meridian (250)
- 11/10 Presentations – Franklin Community (350)
- 11/11 Johnson County Directors of Guidance Meeting
- 11/15 Tour – Beech Grove HS (1 Group AM)
- 11/16 Tour – Center Grove HS (2 Groups AM/PM)
- 11/17 Tour – Indian Creek HS (1 Group AM)
- 11/18 Tour – Whiteland HS (1 Group AM)
- 11/18 Tour – Franklin Community HS (1 Group PM)
- 11/19 Tours – Greenwood HS (2 Groups AM/PM)
- 11/22 Tour – Franklin Central HS (1 Group AM)
- 11/22 Tour – Perry Meridian HS (1 Group PM)
- 11/22 Southport Journalism Students taking Pictures for Yearbook
- 11/23 Tour – Franklin Central HS (1 Group AM)
- 11/23 Tour – Franklin Central SPED Group (PM)
- 11/30 Lunch and Learn – Franklin Community HS (8)

This year, a new approach to tours related to the marketing of our programs was created to minimize disruption to classes, while keeping the integrity of large partner school group tours intact. Tours were all scheduled the week before and of Thanksgiving Break. This new tour schedule was largely well-received by teachers, partner schools and students. An estimated 650 students toured Central Nine during that 7 day period. Additionally, a new program was created called “Lunch and Learn” to share information with school partners, Counselors, Teachers of Record and Administration. Culinary Arts students provided boxed lunches and Student Services Counselors shared information regarding NLPS, Programs and Course Codes, Master Enrollment and Scheduling for the 2022-23 school year, important dates and answered questions. Lunch and Learn opportunities continue into December.

Administration – Student Services Office

This year, a peer-to-peer Ambassador group was interviewed, selected and trained to lead multiple tours for their high school peers through programs at Central Nine. Additionally, a leadership group was established to work through the CLNA report for the State. COVID communication continues to flow through Central Nine staff, families and partner schools.

Supportive Services

Student Services continues to meet with parents and students as needed. We also continue to manage post-secondary relationships and resulting data. We continue to update the virtual and live job boards, connecting business and industry partners to students. We assisted in arranging interviews for students with the Endress+Hauser Internship Program, and lots of work is happening behind the scenes for the Governor’s Work Ethic program, working toward important December deadlines. Additionally, information for the Secret Santa gift exchange has been shared.