



OCTOBER 2024 HIGH SCHOOL BOARD REPORT



STAFF SERVICES (CURRICULUM, INSTRUCTION, PROGRAMS, STAFFING)

Staffing

We have an open Instructional Assistant position and we are seeking an ECA Treasurer/Secretary for 2025-2026 school year.

Professional Development

We continue to engage in work with curriculum matrices in Professional Learning sessions. The matrices assist teachers with scope and sequence and identifying essential standards. In the next session, after fall break, we will infuse ideas to improve student engagement and using AI tools to help enhance curriculum mapping and lesson planning.

United Way

The fall United Way campaign begins after fall break. Over the last three years, we have continued to surpass our goal. Incentives are being offered to staff members who donate including jeans passes, and a Halloween pizza party!

Evaluation

Joe Preda and Mike Quaranta continue to work through the first round of observations.

STUDENT SERVICES

Marketing/Recruiting

- 9/3 Navy Visit
- 9/6 Southport Homecoming Parade Float
- 9/6 Area 31 Partnership Day
- 9/13 Aspire Education Industry Collaborative
- 9/16 Picture Retakes
- 9/18 Advisory Board Meetings
- 9/19 Duke Energy/C9 Partnership Meeting
- 9/19 Endress+Houser CCEF Forum
- 9/23 VU in the Commons
- 9/23 College Go Week Activities all week
- 9/24 Ivy Tech in the Commons
- 9/25 Directors of Guidance for Johnson County Meeting
- 9/27 CIESC Engage and Renew Conference
- 9/30 ISFAA Counselors Workshop

Student Services staff is continuing to work with partner schools to develop creative ways to recruit for next school year. Student Services staff has visited classrooms to assist in dual credit for Ivy Tech and Vincennes Universities. Student Services Coordinators are meeting with students who are in crisis and/or having various other issues while also holding parent/teacher conferences as needed. Several staff members were nominated and won awards at the IACTE Conference Awards Dinner. Central Nine hosted a table and was interviewed at their annual CCEF Forum.

Administration / Student Services Office

Student Services staff are making Count Day preparations in order to submit data to the state in October. We continue to educate ourselves regarding student/staff safety training through monthly drills including severe weather, fire and active shooter (now called armed intruder) trainings. Central Nine also worked with industry partners during the Framework Study that was held to discuss hot topics such as enrollment.

STUDENT SERVICES CONTINUED

Supportive Services:

Seniors have learned about and opted-into the Governor's Work Ethic Certificate program. Dual Credit enrollment has primarily concluded for Ivy Tech and for Vincennes University. The SEE Nine planning committee met to discuss initiatives for this program year. College Go Week was celebrated with a Q-tip of the day during the announcements at the beginning of each session, daily dress up days were announced and colleges/universities visited with students in the Commons during breaks. The first Counselor's Meeting of the year was held with great success and participation. Counselor's got to visit the Early Childhood Education classroom and were giving updated program information in an effort to recruit more students into that program.