

Meeting Called to Order 12/2/24

Welcome, Judge Brunt!

System Numbers:

- 141 Homeless (2 at ces)
- 60ish Foster (\_\_\_ at CES)
- 402 Backpack buddy (\_\_\_ at CES)

Foster Care numbers dropped from 200 to 115. Not sure why?

- This does not include "family preservation." May be 20-30% higher.
- DFCS custody

Absenteeism is a chronic issue.

- Lower numbers at City. One SSW per school helps!
- Value of Education?
- Woodland reports 49% of students with chronic absences.
- More severe with teens.
- Can we find ways to encourage stronger attendance at lower level?
- What can we do to help catch these students up when they do return?

Child or Parent?

- Under eleven, it is a parent responsibility.
- 11-14 range. It is a mixture of both!
- Above 14, it is on the child.

85% of DFCS cases are the result of drug use (primarily methamphetamine)

- Drug rehab/ treatment can take 6-8 months after program initiation.

- DFCS determines best placement, but law encourages child to stay with their home-based school

What do you want us to know?

- Share ideas to boost attendance!
- Generational differences.
- Where is the desire to "be more successful?"
- How do we help them catch up?
- Judge Brunt shared specific truancy cases from our area.

GSC member shared about her Hispanic upbringing. They prioritized education.

Judge Brunt shared his gratitude for today's Meeting.

CCRPI Data review

- Readiness: Attendance @ 90.6% of students less than 6 days.

Reading up 4%  
Beyond the Core  
Flags for ELA & Science  
Content Mastery  
\*One data point. Quick snapshot. Overall trends.  
State should release scores, soon!

CKH: We are applying to be a showcase school.  
Please complete survey data. We need at least 50% participation!

Any Guest speakers?

Future Planning  
Next two classes are large. Looking at additional allotments.  
Impact of schedule.  
Additional special areas?

Calendar Updates?  
Should go before the board this month.

Holiday Happenings  
Reindeer Lane: Family gift shopping on a budget!

Next Meeting: 1/27/24

Meeting Adjourned