

Principal's Report March 21, 2022

Charter Goals

Goal #1 Show an annual increase in the percentage of graduates that are college and career ready as defined by the state.

Goal #2 Show an annual increase in student participation in additional rigorous coursework through positive relationships, community-building activities, family engagement, and student support.

Goal #3 Show an annual decrease in the achievement gap for historically underachieving populations (SPED, ELL, socio-economically disadvantaged, and minority students).

Academics/School Update of Events

Prom

The Prom Board is thrilled to invite our Juniors and Seniors to our elegant and entertaining 2022 Grand Gala (Prom) on Saturday, May 7, at the Charleston Gaillard from 7-11 PM.

Testing (third-year students)- Andrew Drake

March 2, 2022, SAT Test- approximately 200 students

March 8, 2022, ACT- about 75 students

Workkeys April 4-29 window

EIR Grant Deadline

JICHHS has nearly \$118,000 of grant money to spend on PD this year, and it needs to be submitted by late April. The EIR grant team met with our staff last week to coach them through the process and discuss PD options.

The EIR Grant Team and many JICHHS educators are putting on an Education Innovation & Research Symposium via Zoom on March 23, 2022. Staff who attend may work from home and earn 3-hours of renewal credit and comp (not used during in-person school days).

School Choice

This timeline provides the dates, deadlines, and events related to the application process for the 2022-2023 school year:

January 25, 2022 - Online and paper application window opens at 12 p.m. (NOON)

January 29, 2022 - Choice Fair 10 am to 12 pm via Zoom

February 25, 2022 - Online and paper application window closes (4 p.m. for paper application drop-offs; 6:00 p.m. for online application submissions)

April 1, 2022 - Families notified of acceptance

April 20, 2022 - Offered seat must be accepted or declined

	JICHHS In-house	CRMS	Buist	Haut Gap	Murray LaSaine	Orange Grove	1st Choice Apps	Totals
9th	0	262	9	8	9	2	170	460
10th	447	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	33	480
11th	394	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	28	422
12th	343	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	9	352
Totals							240	1714

Enrollment Update

Grade	9th	10th	11th	12th	9-12
6/11/2021	438	383	380	348	1549
8/11/2021	509	439	399	369	1716
9/17/2021	482	433	369	348	1632
10/15/2021	479	425	365	345	1614
11/08/2021	476	423	360	345	1604
12/10/2021	475	416	354	344	1589
1/29/2022	475	416	353	347	1591
2/25/2022	454	407	349	361	1571
3/15/2022	454	407	350	361	1572

2021-22 Enrollment Projections

Enrollment As of 01/2022	9TH	10TH	11TH	12TH
JICHS	470	404	347	337
CLARK	0	0	0	0
DANIEL JENKINS	1	0	0	0
EARLY COLLEGE	4	12	6	9
PROJECT SEARCH	0	0	0	1
TOTAL:	475	416	353	347

TOTAL	1572
CLARK	1
DANIEL JENKINS	1
EARLY COLLEGE	30
PROJECT SEARCH	1
JICHS IN HOUSE TOTAL:	1539

Technology Update

Current technology focus is on verifying the standard classroom per department. Managing and repairing Chromebooks is ongoing. Synchronizing the new CTE wing with the existing building network is also ongoing at this time - this includes crossover security projects involving cameras and doors.

Safety Update

- March Security Report
- Morning security checks are going smoothly.
- Addressing the vaping epidemic is a daily effort.
- The electric gate is repaired and operational.
- Working with maintenance, IT, and Tyco to get DVR 3 operational again.

Capital Improvements and Building Maintenance

School Furniture Project

The classroom and cafeteria furniture has been ordered. Herald Office Supplies expects the furniture to arrive early to mid-July. Installation should only take a couple of weeks.

CTE Construction and Gym Construction

The final OSF inspection for the CTE building has not occurred yet due to supply chain issues with safety equipment. We cannot get the certificate of occupancy until the building passes OSF inspection. Despite the delay, they continued to the next phase, FF&E (furniture, fixtures, and equipment).

Update from Clancy Wells

Looking at the most recent project schedules from MB Kahn they indicate:

1. CTE Substantial Completion: March 24
2. Gym Substantial Completion: April 15

Outdoor Classroom

They have officially broken ground on the outdoor classroom pavilion. The footers are currently being poured. The materials have been here for a long time, so hopefully, there are no further delays.

ROTC Drill Pad

One of the requirements for an ROTC program is a dedicated drill pad. Currently, ROTC uses the area by the concessions in the stadium, which has caused issues. Most schools have a dedicated ROTC drill pad painted to promote and celebrate the program. I am working with Col. Remington and Sgt. Spears on options. Based on the cost of the project, we may seek board approval.

CCSD Facilities Management

The CCSD Facility Management has been underfunded for over a decade. In the last year, they allocated much more funding to maintain their facilities. CCSD recently shared the maintenance plan for JICHHS.

Classroom Painting

CCSD has funds to paint the classrooms in 2024 (design in 2023). Given this new plan and the project's scope, I recommend that we not paint the classrooms this summer but instead allow CCSD to do this project.

TMD Classroom

CCSD is scheduled to retrofit room 102 (food lab) for the TMD program. This will be the first time JICHHS has a classroom within the building that meets the needs of these students. CCSD is funding this project.

Athletic Capital Projects and Science classrooms

Clancy Wells has completed the conceptual design and created timelines for the baseball press box and batting cage Pavillon. We are waiting on quotes from contractors for these projects.

Staff Restroom

Quote pending from the contractor.

Practice Field

CCSD is working with Wilson and Associates Sports Turf to fix the issues with the practice field next to the stadium. We expect the field to be usable by mid to late summer.

JICHHS Board of Directors Meeting Dates

2021-22 Board of Directors- The JICHHS Board of Directors will meet in person at 5:30 pm in the Media Center on the dates listed below.

August 16, September 20, October 18, November 15, December 13, January 24, February 21, March 21, April 18, May 16, June 27.

2021-22 Finance Committee- The JICHHS Finance Committee will be in-person at 4:00 pm in the Main office Conference on the dates listed below.

August 9, September 13, October 11, November 8, December 6, January 10, February 14, March 14, April 4, May 9, June 13

Upcoming Events

4/11-4/15 Spring Break 4/25-4/29 Spring MAP Testing 4/29 eLearning Day 5/1 School Principal's Day 5/2-5/6 Teacher Appreciation Week	5/12 CCSD Lead Meeting 6/4 JICHHS Graduation 11:30 am North Charleston Coliseum 6/27 Board Meeting
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Executive Session (Personnel matters, Contract matters, Privacy of a student, and Legal Counsel) Meeting Notes

Topic	Notes	Vote
Executive Session- Personnel Issue		