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School District of Bayfield  
Report to the Board  
October, 2014

September 11:

I attended the AWSA “Leading the Big Three” workshop. This workshop provided updated information as we continue to move forward with the Common Core, Educator Effectiveness, and the WI Student Assessment and Accountability System.

September 24<sup>th</sup> -25<sup>th</sup>: All 6<sup>th</sup> grade students were given the opportunity to participate in an overnight teambuilding camp at Madeline Island’s Big Bay Town Park. The students camped for one night and two days while participating in a variety of teambuilding activities and problem solving. They also had the opportunity to go canoeing and hiking. This was organized by Karen Grieve our K-8 counselor.

September 29-October 3: This was the week leading up to Bayfield’s Apple Festival. Many of our staff and students worked diligently throughout that week preparing for this spectacular event.

October 6: In-Service Day. Maija from CESA 12 was on hand to provide assistance while staff developed their Student Learning Objectives (SLO) and their Professional Practice Goal (PPG) as part of the Educator Effectiveness evaluation system. When developing an SLO, teachers and educational specialists review baseline data of student achievement, align their SLO to specific content standards, identify the student population for the goal, develop appropriate targeted growth for students based on benchmark levels, indicate the time line, provide evidence sources for measuring growth, and reflect on instructional strategies.

October 11: Our School Nurse Sue Marincel wrote a letter on “How to deal with, prevent the flu bug” that was published in the Ashland Daily Press on Saturday, October 11, 2014. Her letter was also published by the “Nurses Digest” which is a professional organization newsletter for nurses. Nurse Sue is also a member of the Superior Influenza Coalition. We are very proud of her and appreciate all the hard work she provides for our students.

October 27-Nov 7: This is the window for our WKCE science and social studies test administration for grades 4, 8, and 10. Schedules have been developed and administered. A parent letter explaining the WKCE for science and social studies and the important steps to prepare for this was sent during the week of October 14.

Universal Screening and State Testing window: Attached is the schedule for our benchmark testing along with NAEP, and state testing.

**School District of Bayfield  
ELEMENTARY  
2014-15 UNIVERSAL SCREENING / STATE TESTING SCHEDULE**

<b>Fall Benchmark</b>		
<b>GRADES</b>	<b>ASSESSMENT</b>	<b>TESTING WINDOW</b>
K	PALS (Phonological Awareness Literacy Screening)	<b>October 13th – November 7th</b>
1&2	PALS (Phonological Awareness Literacy Screening)	<b>September 15th – October 10th</b>
3 – 5	STAR Reading	<b>September 15th – October 3th</b>
2 - 5	STAR Math	<b>September 15th – October 3th</b>
4	WKCE – Science and Social Studies	<b>October 27th – November 7th</b>
<b>End of the quarter: November 7th, 2014</b>		

<b>Winter Benchmark</b>		
<b>GRADES</b>	<b>ASSESSMENT</b>	<b>TESTING WINDOW</b>
K -2	PALS (Phonological Awareness Literacy Screening)	<b>January 12th –February 20th</b>
3 –5	STAR READING	<b>January 06th –January 23rd</b>
2 - 5	STAR MATH	<b>January 06th –January 23rd</b>
4- Bayfield 4- LaPointe	NAEP- Reading, Math, and Science	<b>January 26, 2015 February 23, 2015</b>
<b>End of the quarter: January 23, 2014</b>		

<b>Spring Benchmark</b>		
<b>GRADES</b>	<b>ASSESSMENT</b>	<b>TESTING WINDOW</b>
K -2	PALS (Phonological Awareness Literacy Screening)	<b>April 27th – May 22nd</b>
3 – 5	STAR READING	<b>April 7th – April 24th</b>
2 – 5	STAR MATH	<b>April 7th – April 24th</b>
3-5	Smarter Balanced ELA and Math	<b>March 30th – May 22nd</b>
<b>End of the quarter: March 27, 2014</b>		

**School District of Bayfield  
MIDDLE SCHOOL  
2014-15 UNIVERSAL SCREENING / STATE TESTING SCHEDULE**

**Fall Benchmark**

GRADES	ASSESSMENT	TESTING WINDOW
6 <sup>th</sup> – 8 <sup>th</sup>	STAR READING	September 15 <sup>th</sup> – October 3 <sup>rd</sup>
6 <sup>th</sup> – 8 <sup>th</sup>	STAR MATH	September 15 <sup>th</sup> – October 3 <sup>rd</sup>
8	WKCE – Science and Social Studies	October 27 <sup>th</sup> – November 7 <sup>th</sup>
End of the quarter: November 7, 2014		

**Winter Benchmark**

GRADES	ASSESSMENT	TESTING WINDOW
6 <sup>th</sup> – 7 <sup>th</sup>	STAR READING	January 06 <sup>th</sup> – January 23 <sup>rd</sup>
6 <sup>th</sup> – 7 <sup>th</sup>	STAR MATH	January 06 <sup>th</sup> – January 23 <sup>rd</sup>
8	NAEP- Reading, Math, and Science	February 10, 2015
End of the quarter: January 23, 2014		

**Spring Benchmark**

GRADES	ASSESSMENT	TESTING WINDOW
6 <sup>th</sup> – 8 <sup>th</sup>	STAR READING	April 7 <sup>th</sup> – April 24 <sup>th</sup>
6 <sup>th</sup> – 8 <sup>th</sup>	STAR MATH	April 7 <sup>th</sup> – April 24 <sup>th</sup>
6 <sup>th</sup> – 8 <sup>th</sup>	Smarter Balanced- ELA and Math	March 30 <sup>th</sup> – May 22 <sup>nd</sup>
End of the quarter: March 27, 2014		

**School District of Bayfield  
HIGH SCHOOL  
2014-15 UNIVERSAL SCREENING / STATE TESTING SCHEDULE**

**Fall Benchmark**

GRADES	ASSESSMENT	TESTING WINDOW
9-11	STAR READING AND MATH	September 15 <sup>th</sup> – October 3 <sup>rd</sup>
9 <sup>th</sup>	ACT Aspire – English, Math, Reading, Science, and Writing	October 6 <sup>th</sup> – October 24 <sup>th</sup>
10 <sup>th</sup>	WKCE – Science and Social Studies	October 27 <sup>th</sup> – November 7 <sup>th</sup>

End of the quarter: November 7, 2014

**Winter Benchmark**

GRADES	ASSESSMENT	TESTING WINDOW
9-11	STAR READING AND MATH	January 06 <sup>th</sup> – January 23 <sup>rd</sup>
12 <sup>th</sup>	NAEP- Reading, Math, and Science	January 27, 2015

End of the quarter: January 23, 2014

**Spring Benchmark**

GRADES	ASSESSMENT	TESTING WINDOW
9 <sup>th</sup>	STAR READING AND MATH	April 7 <sup>th</sup> – April 24 <sup>th</sup>
9 <sup>th</sup> – 10 <sup>th</sup>	ACT Aspire – English, Math, Reading, Science, and Writing	April 27 <sup>th</sup> – May 22 <sup>nd</sup>
11 <sup>th</sup>	ACT Plus Writing ACT WorkKeys Assessment	March 3 <sup>rd</sup> – Make up- March 17 <sup>th</sup> March 4 <sup>th</sup> – Make up – March 18 <sup>th</sup>

End of the quarter: March 27, 2014