

# Thomas E. Bowe Elementary School

## January Report

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### ADMINISTRATION:

- Staff Evaluations (January)

Tenured Certified Staff	8
Non-Tenured Certified Staff	3
Non-Certified Staff	0

- Committee Meetings
  - ScIP Committee met on January 5<sup>th</sup>
  - Safety Committee met on January 6<sup>th</sup>
  - Wellness Committee met on January 8<sup>th</sup>
  - PDS Committee met on January 14<sup>th</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup>
- PTO Meetings
  - January 21, 2016 at 6:30 at the Bullock School
- Professional Development
  - The PDS Committee received training in preparation for their incoming teacher candidates (student teachers). The candidates have already visited our school and met with their teacher mentors.
  - On January 15<sup>th</sup> during the district wide in-service day, Bowe School teachers participated in a Eureka Math training, a strategy sessions for teaching students with Asperger's Disorder, ADHD, Executive Dysfunction, and Sensory Processing Disorder, and in articulation about Science and ELA at the 6<sup>th</sup> grade level.
  - All teachers continue to participate in Common Planning Time.
    - Teachers are discussing instruction and planning for student achievement.
    - Literacy Coach and Math Supervisor met with each grade level to provide instructional support.

### INSTRUCTION / STUDENT NOTES:

- 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> Grade students learned about recycling through an assembly "The Magic of Recycling" sponsored by the Borough of Glassboro. The students enjoyed the many magic tricks of Mr. Bill Kerwood.
- The 6<sup>th</sup> grade students began their D.A.R.E. lessons with "Coach" Corporal Tim Brown.
- Several Classrooms have had Writer's Celebrations to showcase the students work. Parents have been invited to celebrate in their children's success with writing.

### OPERATIONS:

- Fire and Security Drills are planned for late January.

### FACILITIES:

- The building is in working order.
- Heating irregularities occur occasionally.

### NURSES:

- Mrs. Begolly has participated in several I&RS and 504 meetings.
- Mrs. Begolly held a Wellness Committee Meeting and the students completed and distributed their Winter Wellness News Letter.

### COMMUNITY:

- Several teachers, administrators, and parents are participating in the Strategic Planning Meetings to set goals for our school district.

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- Positive Behavior Support program continues to be a focus At Bowe School. The students and teachers use a common language and understand the expectations for “Bringing their A game”. Pictures of PBS award winners have been featured on several bulletin boards throughout the school.

### **UPCOMING EVENTS:**

- February 3<sup>rd</sup> – Bowe School Class Pictures
- February 24<sup>th</sup> – African American Read In
- February 28<sup>th</sup> – Red Cross Pillow Project