BOARD REPORT October 2014 INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL

Principal: Kriston V. Matthews Sr.

ADMINISTRATION:

- Faculty Meetings are scheduled for the duration of the school year.
- PLC's teams and instructional focus was shared with the staff.
- Common Planning meetings are planned for the upcoming future.
- PBS student informational session was conducted.
- Test scores data was given to the teachers and specific strand analysis.
- Formative data is being collected by every department to use for small group instruction.
- On-going meetings with RAC (Regional Achievement Center) staff will take place.
- School Improvement Plan Tracker information is entered on a monthly basis for submission to the state.
- School behavioral support counselors will be deployed to work with students and families.
- Bi-weekly meetings will occur with (RAC) representatives in review of SIP and tracker reporting.
- All departments have books relating to writing/reading within the specific content area.
- Referendum preparation for Back to School Night is taking place.
- Introductory meeting with representative from Inclusive Schools Climate Initiative
- Introductory meeting for the Lead-A-Way girl's leadership program.

INSTRUCTION:

- Teachers in grade level teams are discussing benchmark and other formative assessment data.
- MAP assessment is in progress.
- Math, language arts, social studies and science teachers are preparing for Common Planning.
- Teachers have included the differentiation component in lesson plans.
- Math station implementation.
- Teachers will work in teams for lesson planning and instructional sharing during common planning time.
- New emphasis on instruction has been geared towards Readers Response Journals and Close reading.
- SGO creation is in progress. Teachers are working to create rigorous student growth objectives.

CORRECTIVE ACTION PLAN:

- IR&S meeting dates are scheduled.
- IR&S team will work to provide additional strategies to all teachers.
- Implementation of Glassboro Intermediate School's School Improvement Plan is on target and in progress.

OPERATIONS:

• Building is in good working order

MISCELLANEOUS:

- Fire Drills and security drills are conducted throughout the school year.
- We will begin teacher observations in middle to late September.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

- October 16th Administrative Council
- October 10th District In-Service