

Principal Report

October 13, 2020

Strategic Plan Goal:

1) The WRVSU will form and sustain a comprehensive MTSS that:

- Utilizes evidence based best practices in instruction
 - Utilizes student data to ensure student growth
 - Encourages a rigorous, innovative and relevant learning environment
 - Encourages the integration of PLP and Flexible Pathways to best meet the needs of all students.
- **On Friday September 25th the MTSS team met for their weekly meeting. Meetings for 504 students are being set up. Current EST and 504 students are being reviewed to see if any adjustments need to be made to their plans. On October 9th the team will welcome Superintendent Kinnarney to give an overview of MTSS and how it will look in the WRVSU.**
 - **During our last Administration meeting a representative from the software data collection company, OTUS gave a tutorial on how to use their website. We will be storing our assessment data on this site.**
 - **Students participated in STAR 360, Fountnas and Pinnell and ENOA assessments. We will analyze the results of these assessments to inform our instructional decisions for each student.**

2) WRVSU will implement a PK-12 Proficiency Based Learning System.

WRVSU school will utilize a comprehensive approach to ensure relevancy, rigor, and personalization. This will be achieved through the following:

- Curriculum
 - Instruction
 - Assessment
- **On Friday September 25th, the teachers participated in a ½ day inservice centered on math. Teachers explored Mindset Math, an innovative and fun approach to teaching math. Mindset Math does away with the notion that some people have “math brains”, while others do not. The staff self reflected on their own mathematical beliefs and how those beliefs influence their teaching. Moving forward the staff has agreed to implement Mindset Math activities in their classrooms. Teachers will take anecdotal notes to capture engagement levels of all students, as compared to the more traditional instructional time in math. This work will continue throughout the year.**

3) The WRVSU will improve student learning and increase equitable educational opportunities through the development of a culture that promotes interdependence among all stakeholders and enhances student achievement, choice and voice.

- **The 6th grade class will be visiting the Hulbert Outdoor Center on October 14th. Traditionally the 6th grade spends one night and two days at the center participating in team building activities. Due to our current situation with COVID 19 the overnight is not possible. Since Vermont has moved into phase 3 for reopening school, a day trip is now allowed.**