
Think Tank Summary

September 23, 2019

50+ Attendees

- 5 admin
- Students
- Teachers
- Board Members

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Feedback

What are we doing well

1. Caring, hard working staff, works together as a team
2. Relationships and communication with students and parents
3. Keeping kids safe, providing meals and resources to students
4. Getting opinions from parents
5. Balanced calendar
6. Staff always trying to improve themselves
7. Interventions for struggling students

Feedback

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What are our challenges?

1. Budget/Funding
2. Facilities need upgrading
3. Demographics; poverty/trauma/drugs
4. Attitudes/Involvement of parents and community members
5. Kids who are behind, need extra help
6. State and Federal guidelines and regulations
7. Retirement community

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What could be better?

1. Communication
2. Facilities
3. More beneficial elective classes(e.g. Home ec, money management, career paths)
4. Give some focus to our overachievers and/or well behaved students
5. Safety
6. Updated classroom resources and curriculum
7. Hands on active learning
8. Student activities (dances, school spirit old traditions, donuts with dad)
9. Student behaviors and discipline
10. Increasing the trust and positivity, climate/culture
11. More recess time

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Summary

1. To become productive members of society
2. Socialization/social interaction
3. How to get out in society and be successful
4. 21 responses stated one time

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What is school for?

Next Meeting

September 24, 2019

- HL Junior/Senior High School 6:00-8:00 PM
- Three Sub-Groups
 - Innovative Instructional Practices
 - Student Centered Active Learning Environments (SCALE)
 - Modern Programs
- Five Stations
 - Daniel Pink's A Whole New Mind Segments
 - Who Owns the Learning?
 - Failure and Growth Mindset
 - Workspaces That Move People
 - Instructional Transformation Matrix

Questions?

