



2017

2018

MONT VERNON VILLAGE SCHOOL PRINCIPAL REPORT – MAY 2018

ENROLLMENT

MVVS (* DENOTES ONE CLASSROOM AT THAT GRADE LEVEL)

Grade	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	Jun.
K	30	31	32	32	33	33	32	32	32	30	
1	22*	23*	23*	24*	24*	24*	24*	24*	24*	24*	
2	23*	23*	23*	23*	23*	23*	23*	23*	23*	23*	
3	28	29	30	30	30	29	29	29	29	28	
4	30	29	29	29	29	30	30	30	30	30	
5	24*	23*	23*	23*	23*	23*	23*	23*	23*	22*	
6	26	26	28	28	28	29	28	28	28	27	
Total	183	184	188	189	190	191	189	189	189	184	
Family	123	123	126	127	140	141	139	139	139	136	

AMHERST MIDDLE SCHOOL

7	26	28	28	28	28	28	28	28	28	28	
8	32	30	32	32	32	32	32	32	32	30	

MONT VERNON PRIDE

On Tuesday, May 1 we welcomed our new Kindergarteners and their families for an information night. This is our third annual night where Mrs. Lorin Philibotte and Mrs. Melissa Zupkosky, Classroom Teachers, Charlotte Jameson, Administrative Assistant, Kim Deppen, School Nurse, and Barbara Belak, School Counselor and I speak to the families about the Village School. During this time the children are in the kindergarten classroom spending time playing and getting to know the space and one another with Mrs. Lori Meader and Ms. Lauren DeGennaro. Thank you to the staff who volunteered their time to make this annual event a success.

CURRICULUM AND ASSESSMENT

At our Staff meeting on April 18 and May 2 Christine Landwehrle led the staff through exercises focused on the book, ON YOUR MARK by Thomas Guskey. This book has been a staff read for the year centered on our Assessment, Grading and Reporting work. The April 18 activity was to create a 'elevator speech' around a presented scenario that any staff member may encounter with the community around the topic. On May 2 the staff read an article and found the key points supporting the final chapters of the book.

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Our Late Start on May 8 will focus on Critical Friends Group's(CFG's) here at MVVS.

BUILDING GOALS

Goal 1: Develop and implement high quality curriculum, assessment and instructional practices to support personalized student learning. (multi-year goal)

- Teachers will develop, implement and collaboratively score two Performance Tasks per grade level. (2017-2018)
- Teachers will deepen their understanding of standards-based grading as seen through pre and post staff survey. (2017-2018)
- Teachers will begin to individualize student learning by utilizing Dreambox as seen in usage reports. (2017-2018)

Goal 2: Establish a community, classroom and school-wide, that fosters and ensures the social emotional development and growth of all. (multi-year goal)

- Teacher's trained in Responsive Classroom will implement practices. (Morning Meeting, Quiet Time, Energizers.). Four additional teachers will be trained in Responsive Classroom. (2017-2018)
- School counselor will pilot social-emotional learning curriculum in grades Kindergarten through Sixth grade and submit a survey to reflect on program and implementation. (2017-2018)

Teacher / Leader Effectiveness Evaluations:

OBSERVATIONS	COMPLETED	TOTAL (TO BE COMPLETED)
Informal	65	86
Formal	17	19

CALENDAR EVENTS

May 2 – Staff meeting	May 15 – Grade 6 Field Trip to MFA
May 4 – Progress Reports sent home	May 16 – Grade 6 – visit with Mr. Dodge and Dr. Bernasconi
May 8 – Late Start	May 21 – MAD SCIENCE presentation
May 9 – Techsploration presentation	May 23 – Grade 6 – Shadow Day at AMS
May 10 – MV School Board meeting	May 29 – Grade 5 – field trip Boston Freedom Trail
May 14 – DARE Graduation	
May 14-18 Scholastic Book Fair	