



**MEETING DATE:** Tuesday, November 14, 2017  
**TIME/PLACE:** 6:00 p.m. JHS Media Center  
**ATTENDEES:**

Luis Carreno, Chair	Jenny Hardy
Portia Clark	Danielle Montgomery
Kevin Condon	Brian Moore, Principal
Mary Dugan, Secretary	Tammy Williamson
Carine Griffeth	Emily Howell
Cheryl Kerr	Miranda Storey

This November JHS Council meeting was called to order at 6:08 p.m. The flag was presented for the Pledge of Allegiance.

**October Minutes:** The JHS Council reviewed the minutes prior to this meeting, which had been distributed via email; a motion to approve the minutes was made and approved unanimously.

#### ADMINISTRATION REPORT

**Infinite Campus:** Miranda Storey, representing Jefferson City Schools, presented an overview of changes integrated into the Infinite Campus online student progress reporting system. The portal has new features now, including:

- A tie-in to the state assessment data; spans years
- Student's ongoing progress with charts and evaluation status
- Student and school system comparisons statewide
- State standards associated with each course that a student is taking

These features are available by logging in from a computer, but are not available on the mobile app. If the new features are not visible, logging out and logging back into Infinite Campus may be necessary to ensure the upgrades to the system have been downloaded.

If anyone needs assistance with understanding the new evaluation measures featured online or having trouble navigating any of the data, please contact Miranda Storey at [mstorey@jeffcityschools.org](mailto:mstorey@jeffcityschools.org).

**Computer Technology - Laptops:** Mr. Moore reported that over the next four years, new computers have been approved to be integrated for use into Jefferson High School. 850 student devices were approved during the last school board meeting and should be delivered in full by the end of January 2018. A total of about 400 laptops have been added to the inventory so far since August 2017.

The devices selected after testing and evaluation were the Google Chromebook Lenova Yoga laptops. For now, the computers will be issued to students for at-school use and will not be available to be taken home.

The technology needs that the integration of student computers will require includes a support staff at Jefferson City Schools of four technology coordinators in the school district, one network technology personnel, one technical coordinator and one digital learning specialist.

**CCRPI Scores:** Mr. Moore was pleased to announce that Jefferson High School earned the highest system score statewide on the College and Career Readiness Performance Index (CCRPI) for the school year ending May 2017 with a score of 93.1 percent of students achieving status of college and career readiness assessments. Jefferson High School alone earned a score of 96.9 percent. A chart showing a break-out by subject area results and comparisons with other districts was presented to the council by Mr. Moore.

**Academic Bowl:** The JHS Academic Team earned the distinction of Region Champions. They will now advance to the state-level competition in February 2018.

**JROTC:** The Junior ROTC team earned first place in the recent Tift County Southeast Regional Drill Competition.

**Fall Sports:** With the exception of football and wrestling, all sports have finished and spring sport tryouts and practices will soon begin.

The JHS Marching Band is doing well having won its competitions recently in Milton and Collins Hill.

#### **Upcoming Events:**

- **Chorus Holiday Concert:** December 7.
- **Band Holiday Concert:** December 12.
- **Athletic Signing Day:** Ten JHS students will be participating in an athletic signing day with various colleges and universities, representing basketball, wrestling, swimming, diving and volleyball.

**Chick-Fil-A Character Awards:** Teachers have gone through the process of reviewing students for this award designation and have made their recommendations to the administration. Announcements to the students and parents will be forthcoming.

**Milestone Testing:** Students will be taking course evaluations during the dates of December 14 and December 15. December 15 will be considered a half-day and busses will pick students up from JHS at noon.

#### **COUNCIL DISCUSSION**

Defensive Driving: Mary Dugan brought up the question of whether it has ever been discussed or might it be possible to integrate a Defensive Driving class into the JHS curriculum. Mr. Moore said that no discussion has been made recently, but that any ideas could be considered that address how to implement costs and the content into curriculum. The council members agreed that 2013 is approximately the last year that

such a class was offered. Mrs. Dugan said she would look into possible options that might render it feasible to bring a course like this back into JHS as an option.

The JHS Council meeting adjourned at 7:05 p.m.

Minutes recorded by M. Dugan.

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