

2016-17 GALION MIDDLE SCHOOL BOARD PRESENTATION

December 15, 2016

PRESENTATION TOPICS:

GMS Demographics

Safety

Class Offerings

Points of Pride

Additional Student Supports

2017-18

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GMS DEMOGRAPHICS

- 419 Students 6-8
- 145 Grade 6
- 147 Grade 7
- 127 Grade 8
- 60% of Students are on Free and Reduced Lunch (249)
- 63 Students Identified as Gifted
 - 11 Grade 6
 - 27 Grade 7
 - 25 Grade 8

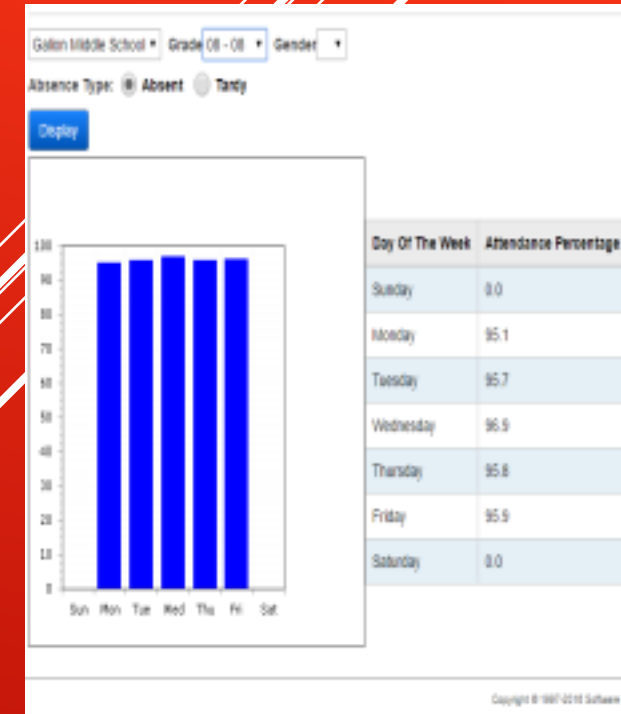
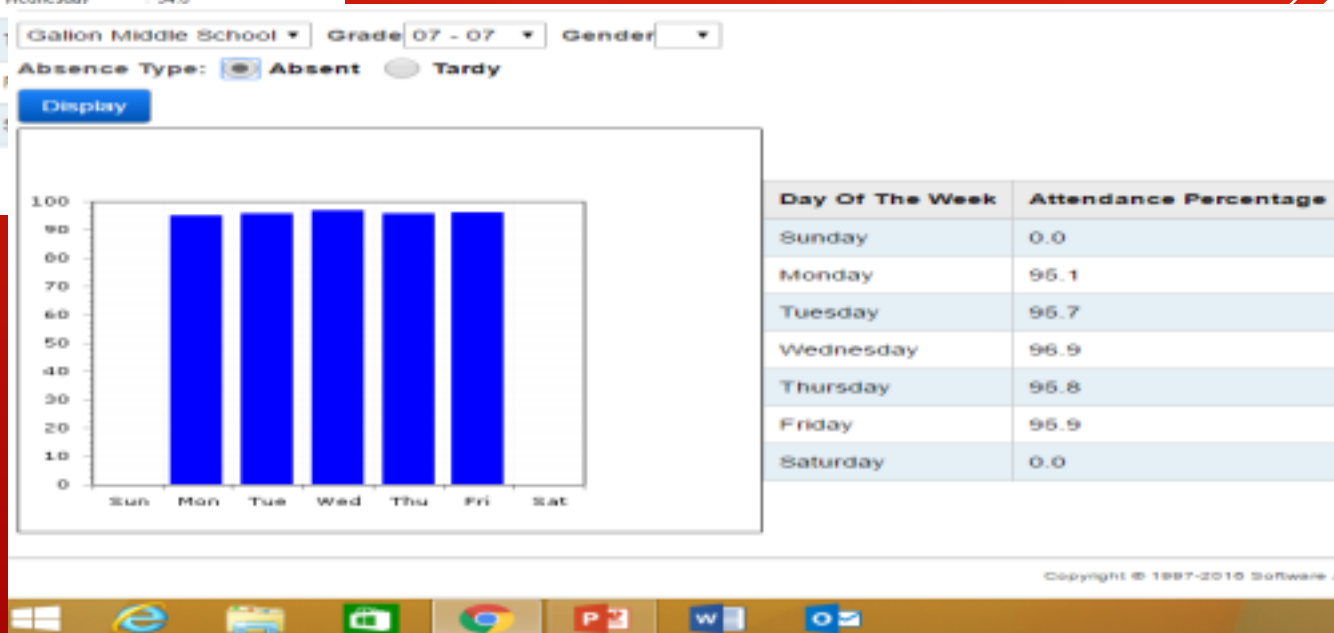
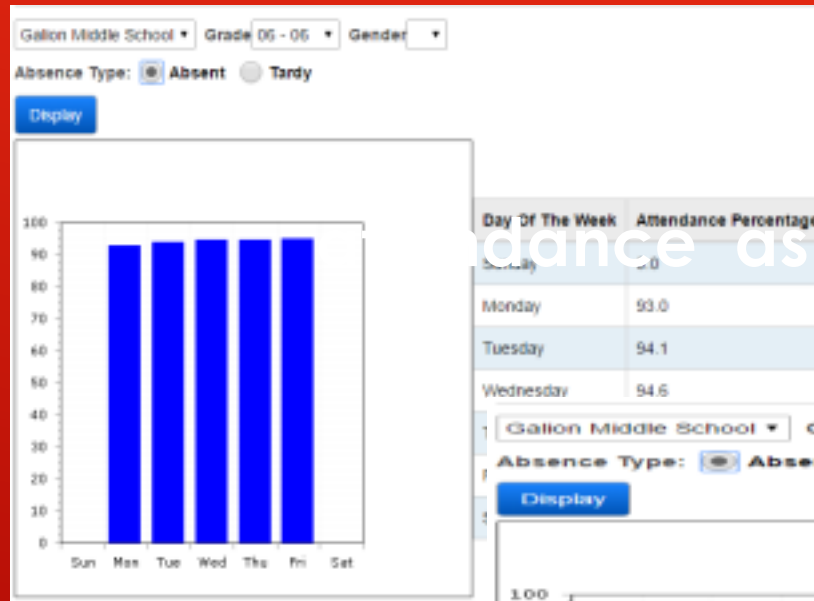
GMS DEMOGRAPHICS CONTINUED...

- Class Sizes of 8th Graders Taking High School Credits
(28 Algebra I, 24 Biology, 20 Spanish, 15 French)
- Each Core Subject is Currently Offering Accelerated
Subject Matter to Students in all Content Areas
(1 section per grade)
- 13% of GMS Students Qualify for Special
Education Services (53)
- 30 Students are Currently Open Enrolled at GMS

GMS ATTENDANCE

94.5% average daily

attendance as of 12/15



SAFETY DRILLS

- Fire Evacuation December 1, 2016

Efficiently evacuated the building to the High School with all students accounted for within 5 minutes!

- Tornado Shelter Changes

**Students will no longer be housed in hallways with glass doors in view;
Now all sheltering has been reallocated throughout 1st floor interior
spaces to avoid flying debris**

- ALiCE Drill December 2, 2016

Run, Barricade, Hide, Fight

GMS CURRENT COURSE OFFERINGS:

- 80 minutes per day of English Language Arts
- Math, Science, Social Studies
- Robotics
- Technology (6th only)
- PE/Health
- Project Based Learning
- Math Enrichment
- Work Study
- Character Education, Enrichment Classes, Intervention Support
- Art
- Music (7/8 Band (29) 6 Band (22), 7 Choir (64), 8 Choir (41) , General Music)

GMS POINTS OF PRIDE:





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GATEWAY ROBOTICS PROGRAM

Isaac Keinath - Teacher

Olivia Miller

Natalie Link

Christian Robinette

Kyle Jenks

Kennedy Butterfield

TEAM BUILDING OPPORTUNITIES:

Troy Yunker

<https://drive.google.com/a/stu.galionschools.org/file/d/0B99rObrbaYH5X21ETjA4RnUtdTA/view?usp=sharing>

GMS MENTORING PROGRAM

Brian Kinnard

Every one of us has had someone in our lives that took time to help us mature & provide guidance. We are seeking to invest in our young students who may struggle behaviorally &/or academically to help them realize their full potential. Several staff members have already stepped up to help take on a student to mentor. Additionally, we are actively pursuing & building relationships with counseling services, retired teachers associations, & community volunteers to provide more than an education to some of our students. Many of these students need more than standard education - we are seeking to do MORE for them to help them be successful at school & in life. In some cases, we have also set up counseling to meet students' needs.

It is worth noting, we are all a Masterpiece ... in progress!

POINTS OF PRIDE

- Initialization of RtI
- Co-Teaching Model
- Universal Design for Learning
- Standard Based Grading
- New Hires
- Talent Show
- Community Service Projects
- Washington D.C. and Mohican Outdoor School Donors and Support

FUTURE AREAS OF FOCUS

- **Additional counseling support and mentoring support for at-risk students**
- **Additional Career Tech Education Courses**
- **Additional High School Credit Options for GMS Students**
- **Additional Academic and Behavior Supports During the Regular Scheduled School Day**
- **Additional STEM/CTE Courses During the Regular School Day**