

RSU 16 School Board Administrative Report



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Summer Update

Our 21/22 school year began with a 5-week summer session in July and August, during which time we had twelve students working to meet academic and/or career goals. Three of these students were new to our program. As a result of this summer session, we also have our first Class of 2022 Graduate! Congratulations to Montana Lobb who was able to complete all of her official HiSET tests and begin at CMCC this semester.

Facilities

Thank you to the facilities crew who was involved in installing new flooring in our hallway and carpeting in both the classroom and computer lab this summer. We are grateful for the improvements!

Fall Programming

We re-opened on September 1st along with the rest of our District schools. The schedule for academic programming at our Learning Center is Monday through Thursday, 9am – 3pm; and Wednesday evenings from 5:30-8:30pm. We often experience a slow start during the first few days of a new session, but this year is already surprisingly active with both new and returning students.

Over the next month, we will continue to explore options for Community Enrichment classes to add to our regular, academic programming; ones that can accommodate fewer people with increased distancing. Typically, by mid-September we would already be underway with many of these offerings, but we are still cautiously hesitant about bringing ‘extra’ people into our learning center.

McKinney Vento Homeless Liaison Report

To date this school year, we have designated 4 McKinney Vento youth in our RSU 16 schools – these are students who are identified as lacking a FIXED, REGULAR AND ADEQUATE night-time residence. We are also working with neighboring districts to provide transportation for 3 more students who are doubled up in our community but attending their ‘schools of origin’.

