

School Council Notes

December 5, 2017

- We looked at this link together and discussed data about MCAS scores for spring 2017.
 - <http://profiles.doe.mass.edu/general/general.aspx?topNavID=1&leftNavId=100&orgcode=02720000&orgtypecode=5>
 - 4th grade students only ones last year taking assessment on computer. Next year grades 3-6 will all take MCAS on the computer.
 - Next curriculum focus for our school will be on science at all grade levels (new science standards came out last year).
- Jackie asked council to think about holding some community forums about the current 1/2 classroom and the possibility of changes (possible mixing and/or overlapping of classes) for the 5 and 6 grade classes next year. Next meeting should include some planning from committee and classroom teachers who work with these students.
- Blizzard bags are not an option for this year. Superintendent would like more clarification from the state about number of hours teachers should be involved in actual teaching on snow days and how students can connect with teachers from home.