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	- social media	- Be more part of safe programs with <u>students</u> *

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	- What would that do for opens? - would there be more credits because of more opportunities of classes	

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	<p>* communication</p> <p>- Keep parent portal update to date</p>	<p>Utilize Parent Portal to Max like Kennard 101</p> <p>use more FB notices</p> <p>- Update Questions to be applicable</p>

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	<p>Social media monitoring</p>	<p>SAFE/BOLTON Allies presentation to students</p>

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	<p>like the idea of the ACT Assessment system</p> <p>Need to understand more the impact to my student</p>	<p>* How are credits affected?</p> <p>- How does this affect the college credit courses?</p>

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	<p>Parents will want to know how this affects them.</p> <p>Need to be prepared for these ?s</p>	<p>- Increased Bus time?</p> <p>- Explain Benefits</p>

② As an elementary parent, I feel there are many opportunities to participate/volunteer, and hope these opportunities continue into middle + high school. I have not, at the elementary level, had the ability to access grades/test scores/homework online, but would if I could. I think communication could be improved when our children do something well, as often times this is only discussed at conferences. I think communication through newsletter, email, text messages + conferences is best. I am not a big promoter of social media + do not regularly check our school website.

⑤ my concern with trimesters is college preparedness. Block scheduling is most similar to college and I feel it gets students ready for the transition. In addition, block doesn't require addressing homework for each course each day. I would also be interested in hearing the reasoning for schools that have moved away from trimesters recently. It seems the trimesters are catering more to the remediation students and not to those that may be interested in starting college a semester earlier.

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more important w/ the younger kids than H.S.

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38	What is break down by age elementary / middle / H.S.	Survey how would they want to be involved
34		Don't worry about this

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Text + Email's - you hit me with info I do not have to go find it on the website

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	If Elementary's are going to trimester - will parents get an explanation about not getting a "report card" in January?	Nov. 1 to March is a long time By mid March the year is almost over and not much time to change behavior or progress. Would be nice to have communication from teachers in January

Can we ask or invite parents of full schools that have a 4th grad moving to Ferby to move their younger kids also

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	Can the "sister" schools do a joint activity to introduce parents to the other school + the kids to each other to help make the move less traumatic	Emphasize the move to smaller class sizes Being "close" to school if your child is sick is important - realistically how often does that happen - probably not as big a deal as parents might feel at first.

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	<i>Students time on bus? Wavers granted - guidelines</i>	

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- In presenting / might be nice to be able to see a difference between high school & elementary	• wonder the difference between high school & elementary when it comes to involvement.	- Need to continue to make the survey a priority. - Social media needs to become a part of the communication aspect

- some data seems skewed maybe because of one thing or the other

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- mandate 3-4 positives a week

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	- Do HS counselors do individual class lessons like elementary? - How are counselors evaluated?	

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- WD had done some parodies of songs in the school & put on youtube. would be cool to see SAFE & ALLIES do videos on Bullying		- make promotional video should be shown to lower level students; promote groups & anti bullying

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	How does Trimester work with assessment? Seems like he just talked about ACT; how does this all correlate to Trimesters?	

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	• Does the cost to run Demond out weigh how much it brings in? ex: enrollment = 400,000 building cost = \$500,000 • How can you not close it!	- 6th Grade to high school

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		A comment box for ? 20, if <u>no</u> was indicated as an answer

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<p>Will there have to be more transportation classes? For core & electives</p>	<p>Will the ACT, or an ACT score become a graduation requirement?</p> <p>How much does ACT benefit from WDCSD emphasizing the test?</p>	<p>How much does WDCSD benefit from the ACT partnership?</p> <p>Will trimester affect enrollment in any way?</p>

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	why is there not a teacher/admin rep from every school?	

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parent involvement is school specific. some principals encourage it & some do not		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> when asking for involvement - what type? mid year reporting of grades/progress N/A on questions to not to include elementary every school should use text to notify parents of info. all schools should embrace social media.

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H.S. student present to all schools		make parents aware through email what great things can be found on website about bullying

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> students that need services will they move or go to same school. how long waivers last? 3rd grade student able to attend 4th at same school example effect on school calendar set up for district. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> improvement opportunities

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		<p>Booster club - Middle school pay for costs - upkeep fee. Face Book - Communicate Parents - Remind one on one from the high school perspective. - more education on parental Portal and use more.</p>

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	<p>Why isn't there program to raise funds at middle middle schools. - How do we get parents aware - Better communication</p>	<p>Booster club - Middle school. pay for costs - upkeep fee. Face Book - Communicate Parents - Remind one on one from the high school perspective. - more education on parental Portal and use more.</p>

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	<p>- What are we doing to get more high school students involved to</p>	<p>- more interactive programs within elementary - middle + high school. - Earlier prevention the better to see the message out.</p>

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	On the website category for communication, maybe does website include parent portal? or should you make a separate category for parent portal?	Remind 101 texting system

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I know some kids who take it as a joke, so I did not know how counselors looked at the data the surveys provide.	Are they Do you feel the students take these surveys seriously or as a joke?	

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I like the idea of bringing in highschool students to talk about bullying with younger aged kids. They look up to highschoolers.	How do students get engaged in a committee such as SAFE or Do beat Allies?	WDHS SAFE Highschoolers talk with middle or elementary aged students

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I like the idea of the businesses reaching out to students to give them a "real-life" experience.	For 2016 + 2015 graduates would the amount of credits needed to graduate change?	

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		<u>Great!</u>

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		refine the questions, less is more.

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		Get the <u>coaches</u> more involved to stop/prevent bullying.

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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Make sure the teacher teaching <u>new</u> ^(AP) classes have enough time to prepare. - Our upper-level students need more opportunities.

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WELL DONE	—	

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	STILL NEEDS TO BE SHORTER	PARTICIPATION WOULD BE BETTER WITH LESS QUESTIONS. BETTER WORDED/DIRECTED QUESTIONS #32, 33, 34, 39, 40, 41 - THEY REALLY ARE CONFUSING. NOT WELL WRITTEN

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GOOD OVERVIEW		

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VERY GOOD RESOURCES AVAILABLE	—	DOING GOOD JOB. SEEM TO BE AWARE AND ON TOP OF THIS

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Excited ABOUT OPPORTUNITIES THAT TRIMESTERS BRINGS ALL IN	WHAT TIMELINE IS FEASIBLE?	SOONER IS BETTER IF CAN BE DONE WELL.

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MAKES SENSE		NEED MORE INFO