

Willows High School

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Board Report:

- ★ Establish a high-performing District culture with quality teaching and learning.
- ★ ALL students have access to grade level classes and high school students are enrolled in college or academic/CTE aligned course sequences. At-risk students will be identified by certificated staff using various assessments to provide academic support at each site.
- ★ The schools and district will develop and maintain a systematic method of partnering with students, parents, county resources and community members to improve student engagement.
 - Currently, we are at 439 (130, 103, 99, 107) students total at WHS.
 - For chronic absenteeism, we are currently at 12.6% which equates to 55 students. This is a slight uptick from the previous two months. Hopefully, our digital hallpass will be up and ready when we return from break.
 - We had our first CTE Advisory night on 11.12. Thank you to Julie Carriere for the work she did in getting this event together and thank you to Mr. Geiger for attending. We will have at least one other CTE Advisory night this year (possibly two more).
 - Our PLCs have shifted to take a deeper look at our assessments. We are evaluating our formative assessments to ensure they are aligned to the standards that staff has identified.
 With the release of the dashboard, we are analyzing that data as well. The focus will shift to instructional practices.
 - Progress report marking period ended on November 7, and now the sprint to the finish with the 1st semester/2nd quarter ending on 12/19/25.
 - At our most recent site council meeting (11/18), the council received the draft of our SARC and
 we will continue to update that document with the guidance and leadership of Michelle O'Dell.
 I continue to be impressed with our students that attend and report not only to this board, but
 also our site council.
 - Our freshman class attended the STEM fair at the Shasta District Fairgrounds on Friday, 11/21. That was quite an event and we will be reviewing the viability of our participation, as we missed out on some of the activities due to transportation constraints. I greatly appreciate the teachers that attended this event to guide our students.
 - We are now gearing up for winter sports: Boys/Girls Basketball, Cheer, Wrestling, Boys/Girls Soccer
 - The parent information night was on December 2.