

CASB OFFICE HOURS 7:30-5:15

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## Principal's Corner

Hello CASB Family,

Thank you all for the continued support in helping Career Academy become a premier school in the South Bend community. As we move forward to the end of our school year, we continue to be dedicated and focused on your child's education. Our high academic and behavioral expectations remain steadfast. Everyone is working hard to ensure your child is receiving a rich and diverse education with multiple opportunities for growth. We could not offer such a rich education to our students without the support of parents/guardians and CASB staff working collectively together for all children. We encourage you to share your opinions, thoughts, and concerns with administration at any time as an effort for continuous improvement.

With the end of the year almost in sight, please encourage your child to continue working hard in the classroom along with attending school. Students will be taking the NWEA test towards the end of May. Please check the school calendar on the school's website for additional scheduled activities. June 16th is the last day of school and high school graduation is June 17th, 2:00 @ SASB open seating. If you know of parents interested in CASB please contact the front office or go to the website and schedule a tour.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all staff members, students, parents/guardians, and community members for a successful year at CASB. I am definitely looking forward to being part of such a great team for 2017-18.

Lydia Jagger, Principal



### Testing Dates

ECA's Summer-June 22

NWEA May 22- June 7



### All Welcome!

#### Choir Concert :

May 23-CASB @ SASB Auditorium  
6:30pm

#### Orchestra Concert:

May 25-SASB & CASB @ CASB Gym  
6:30pm

#### Band Concert

June 1st, CASB Band concert @ Success  
Gym

General Admission fee \$3 for adults and \$2 for children/students. Faculty and students free. Come out and support our program. Thank you so very much for your support.

Mrs. Alice Brown, Director  
of Instrumental Music

Mr. Carter Choir Director

## Assistant Principal

I would like to thank all our parents for your support with our Teacher Appreciation week. What a great turn out with many treats for our teachers and staff!

As the seeds of learning have been planted, it is time to reflect on the academic and behavioral progress made by your child this school year. Every year at this time everyone reflects on how fast the school year has gone even though days and hours are constant. Each school year is so very important. It is one year that can never be regained. Career Academy South Bend is privileged to have the opportunity to educate your child. We look forward to being a part of your child's educational journey and being a platform to reach their long term goals.

Sincerely,

**Jim Cebra**

## Grades 7 & 8

The 8th grade team is gearing up for a great end of the year. Students in Reading classes are finishing up the riveting Romeo and Juliet. Writing students are planning their own poetry slams in class, and students in 9th hour Robotics are programming and building exciting, playable arcade games. Theatre students are planning an improv variety show after wrapping up their biggest production of the year, the Lion King Jr., on May 5. The team looks forward to celebrating these amazing accomplishments with its students throughout the coming weeks.

## Grades 9 & 10

Students across the ninth and tenth grade team are engaging in exciting and meaningful coursework! The student's Health Science class are earning their "white coats" by attending and graduating from medical school, participating in residencies where they are evaluating and diagnosing patients, and will be receiving their license to practice after passing their case presentation. PBS is designing experiments to study the effects on heart rate. Health and Wellness are finishing their land use project, and plan to present their findings to the school board on May 16. Algebra 1 is finishing their study of factoring, and are launching into their new focus of solving quadratic equations in a variety of ways. Students in Human Body System will also dive into the chemistry of muscle contractions, and will be applying their study through examining the physiology of an athlete's injury. In Biology, students will explore the evidence used to support the theory of evolution, create their own organism using the same process. English 9 is working on a short unit, along with independent reading and comprehension activities. The student will also be monitoring and setting goals to complete their reading and coursework within a specified timeframe. English 10 is working on

## Grade 11 & 12

11-12 grade team members are focusing on ensuring that all of our students are on track for graduation. For our 11th grade students this is planning for next year, especially in terms of plans after high school. For our 12th grade students that means preparing for ECA testing for those who need this to graduate. For those that do not we are focusing on ensuring that they are being successful in obtaining the last few credits they may need.

### *Principles of Biomedical Science*

*Mrs. Godette*

Principles of Biomedical Science classes have been busy in room 207. We are excited to announce that we will have a group walking for the March of Dimes on May 20, 2017. The students have already raised \$450 dollars and well on the way to exceed last year's donations. If you would like to walk with us at Four Winds Field please sign up:

[ttgodette@careeracademysb.com](mailto:ttgodette@careeracademysb.com)

In May we are learning all about Heart Disease and how to assess heart health. Student Caleb Smith is organizing our final blood drive in conjunction with our Unit on Heart Disease and Prevention so stay tuned for the date and saves lives!



7th graders are currently working on reduction relief prints.

Our 8th graders in Intro 3D are working on origami mobiles.

Advanced Art is working on large Installation pieces.

**DATES TO REMEMBER: See Ms. Ashton**

⇒ Art Show Gallery and Auction June 7th @ CASB @ 5:30

⇒ Fine Arts Awards Banquet June 8th

**PTO NEWS** The PTO is putting together teacher care packages to give to our teachers at the end of the academic year to thank them for a great year. We have 32 teachers at the Career Academy and would love to shower them with goodies as they leave for the summer to plan their classes for next year. Consider donating any of the following suggestions or anything you think would make a great addition to the care packages: Milano Cookies, hard candy, mints, teacher supplies like paper clips, clip boards, post-it notes, mounting putty, laminator sheets, pens, gift cards for coffee, mani/pedi supplies, etc...Please bring your donation to the front desk by June 14 by 5pm Thank so much!