

**WELLSVILLE USD #289 BOARD OF EDUCATION  
HIGH SCHOOL PRINCIPAL'S REPORT  
MARCH 19, 2018**

**I. STATE ASSESSMENTS**

We will begin our state assessments on April 4<sup>th</sup>. This year we will be testing our Juniors in Science and our Sophomores in English and Math. The Science test is 2 tests approximately 45 minutes long. The English test is 2 tests approximately 40 minutes each and the math test is 2 parts approximately 40 minutes each. We will also test Juniors in Social Studies. For the social studies assessment students will write to a prompt for one portion of the test. The prompt will have to deal with civil rights and social change. All student responses for this writing will be graded by high school staff.

**II. CTE offerings:**

We continue to try to add more technical offerings for our students. We have added two more for next year: Electrical Technology and Plumbing will both be offered next year at the new tech center at Ottawa High School. We are currently offering allied health at NCCC, welding and HVAC at Garnett, power plant technology, automotive technology and industrial engineering technology at Peaslee Tech in Lawrence. These are great programs for our kids that are paid for by senate bill 155.

**III. Enrollment:**

Mrs. McCullough is currently working on enrollment for next fall. We hope to have it finalized by next week.

**IV. UPCOMING EVENTS**

Track, golf, softball, and baseball start soon. Other notable dates are State FBLA from March 27-29th and Prom and Regional Forensics on April 14th.