

PIR: Taking Action for Student Wellness

Looking for one more PIR to round out your summer schedule? Have you looked at this one?

Date: August 8, 2017

Time: 8:30 am-3:30 pm



Location: Benefis, Lewis & Clark Room on WEST Campus

- Participants in this will be engaged in learning principles of student wellness.
- How they can be a champion for student wellness in their classroom and building.
- Presenters will review recent changes/revisions to the GFPS School Wellness Policy that reflect current federal guidelines.
- An overarching goal of this PIR is to equip participants with an understanding of why wellness is important for students.
- Topics will range from reviewing research linking student success with physical activity and nutrition, to sharing ideas for healthier classroom celebrations and school fundraisers.
- The facilitators will utilize local and national resources to provide comprehensive information.
- Participants will receive a “wellness tool kit” with ideas and resources to implement in their own school buildings.
- One of the speakers will be Jill Turley from Alliance For A Healthier Generation. The Alliance was founded by the American Heart Association and the Clinton Foundation as a response to the growing rate of childhood obesity. She will have some great information to share with us!

The Student Wellness PIR Committee would love to have you attend!

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