Ben Russow - Mason Middle School Administrative Report Date: January 4, 2023

- Mason Middle School was labelled as a reward school by the MDE for the 2021' – 2022' school year. This information was based on our state report card and relevant state achievement data. This is a tremendous honor for us and a great tribute to our teachers and students for their hard work and commitment to the education process. We were the only Middle School in Monroe County to earn this distinguished label.
- I am monitoring the D/F list for MS students weekly. Our at risk coordinators and RTI teachers have created a covert plan to support students prior to the end of the semester to improve these numbers. We will continue to make our RTI process a priority to support the at risk students.
- Our PLC leadership team is in the process of creating our "Data Picture" to help support the PLC process and Strategic Plan. This information includes everything from achievement data and attendance data, to discipline, and subgroup data.
- Carlee Montri, who has been our permanent district substitute teacher the last few months, will now be finishing the year in the 7th grade math position. Carlee does have a background in math, and we feel confident that she can handle the responsibilities of the teaching position for the remainder of this year. We will then post the position in the spring in hopes of finding some one permanently to fill Ms. Rector's shoes.
- Our boys' basketball teams have been competitive in most games this year having collected several wins at both 7th and 8th grade. Girl tryouts will begin the week we come back from break, their first home game is scheduled for Monday, January 23. Swimming season has also been a success for several of our athletes. Having the pool available daily for them has helped keep our swim tradition alive.