

**Ernst Prussing Elementary School  
Principal's Report  
Dr. George Chipain – Principal**

Date: September 12, 2017

**Continuous Improvement Work Plan (CIWP) Priorities**

- P-1: Curriculum
- P-2: Instructional Materials
- P-3: Grading and Assessment

**Principal Competencies Terms/Definitions**

A: CHAMPIONS TEACHER AND STAFF EXCELLENCE THROUGH A FOCUS ON CONTINUOUS IMPROVEMENT

B: CREATES POWERFUL PROFESSIONAL LEARNING SYSTEMS THAT GUARANTEE LEARNING FOR STUDENTS

C: BUILDS A CULTURE FOCUSED ON COLLEGE AND CAREER READINESS

D: EMPOWERS AND MOTIVATES FAMILIES AND THE COMMUNITY TO BECOME ENGAGED

E: RELENTLESSLY PURSUES SELF-DISCIPLINED THINKING AND ACTION

Agenda Items	P1	P2	P3	A	B	C	D	E
<b>Budget Review</b>								
Based on principal appeal and advocacy, ODLSS added \$100,000 to Prussing's budget	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Budget Transfers: Please see attached Budget Transfer document	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
<b>Instruction</b>								
Hired new Special Education Classroom Assistant	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
New social studies materials arrived, but waiting for additional materials	X	X	X	X	X	X		
Math materials arrived, but waiting for additional materials	X	X	X	X	X	X		
Literacy materials ordered; waiting for them to arrive	X	X	X	X	X	X		
School planners arrived and are being distributed					X	X	X	

Special Education no longer on focused monitoring by ISBE	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Large classroom sizes for kindergarten, fifth and sixth grades	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Interviewing for a new 5th/6th grade teacher	X	X	X	X	X	X		
Fall NWEA MAP assessment for Reading and Math for next few weeks	X	X	X	X	X	X		
Prussing accepted for pilot for the new NWEA MAP Reading Fluency assessment for primary grades	X	X	X	X	X	X		X
<b>Students</b>								
Membership/Enrollment 738 students as of 9-11-17 (including PreK)				X		X	X	X
Discipline Issues Detentions: 0 Suspensions: 0					X	X	X	X
<b>Building and Facilities</b>								
Public Building Commission meeting scheduled with Prussing LSC on November 14 at 6:00 p.m.								X
Brand new furniture for preschool classroom								X
<b>School/Community Communication:</b>								
“Sparky” from the Chicago Fire Soccer Team greeted the students for the opening day of school						X	X	
Kindergarten Open House on 8-31 at 6:00 p.m.	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Open House - first through eighth grades on 9-28 at 6:00 p.m.	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Career Day on 9-29	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Website updated on 8-18; 8-22; 8-23; 8-24; 8-26; 9-5; 9-7; 9-8; 9-11	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Prussing Newsletter distributed on 9-8	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Bilingual Advisory Committee (BAC) will hold its annual election on Wednesday, September 27th at 9:00 a.m.							X	
Student Council planning on providing support for Hurricanes Harvey and Irma						X	X	
Picture Day for students will be on Wednesday, October 11th						X	X	
Two Parent Representative current openings on the Prussing Local School Council							X	
Parent Teacher Organization (PTO) meeting on Tuesday, September 12th at 5:00 p.m.							X	

<b>After School Programs</b>								
Prussing planning for the K-8 OST After School program	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Fall Sports programs 2017 - 2018					X	X	X	X
Right Club After Care program. Aftercare until 6:00 p.m. on school days.				X	X	X	X	X
After School Chess Club to continue again this year						X		
Windy City Music Theater to continue at Prussing again this year						X	X	