

FY'19 Annual Report

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July 1, 2018 – June 30, 2019

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Regional Superintendent's Message

As Superintendent of the Iroquois-Kankakee Regional Office of Education, Iroquois and Kankakee Counties, Illinois, I hereby submit an annual report detailing activities of the office from July 1, 2018 through June 30, 2019.

*This report is an overview and not inclusive of the many services that the office provides for the benefit of the schools and citizens in the two counties. We have used the end of the year reports from our programs and departments and information from our audits conducted by the Office of the Auditor General to make this Annual Report as comprehensive as possible. We hope that it will provide you with a better understanding of the tasks our office undertakes to fulfill our mission of meeting the needs of all our constituencies especially those of **children first**. For more information about the services, programs and our schools, please visit our website at www.i-kan.org.*

We wish to publicly express our appreciation to the members of the County Boards of Iroquois and Kankakee, the I-KAN Regional Board of School Trustees, the I-KAN Regional Office of Education Advisory Board and the teachers, administrators and support staff of the public schools, private schools and cooperatives of Iroquois and Kankakee Counties for the continued cooperation and assistance they have extended to us this past year. The students of the counties are fortunate to have so many dedicated individuals working on their behalf.

Respectfully submitted,



Gregg Murphy, Ed.D.
Regional Superintendent of Schools
I-KAN Regional Office of Education

I-KAN Regional Office of Education Mission Statement



The mission of the I-KAN Regional Office of Education is to partner with its educational constituencies and facilitate the efficient and effective accomplishment of their missions with highest priority given to meeting the needs of **CHILDREN FIRST**.

I-KAN Regional Office of Education Services

HUMAN RESOURCES

Full-time Employees	33
Part-time Employees	14

CERTIFICATION

Educators Registered	764
Licenses Registered	806
Sub License Registered	273
Licenses Issued	474
Endorsements Issued	82
Paraprofessional Licenses Issued	106

PETITION HEARINGS

Number of petitions for annexation/detachment/dissolution processed between July 1, 2018—June 30, 2019 by Regional Board of School Trustees	0
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SCHOOL RECOGNITION

Districts in Full Recognition	19
Districts Recognized Pending Further Review	0
Districts on Probation	0
Districts Nonrecognized	0

LIFE SAFETY INSPECTIONS

Public School Buildings	59
Special Education Facilities	1
Career Centers	1
Alternative Schools	3

(All buildings were inspected and reports filed with the respective Boards of Education and the State Board of Education.)

Building Permits Issued	24
Building Occupancy Permits	5
Building Permit Project Completions	1
Partial Occupancy Permits	1
Demolition Permit	1
Temporary Facility Occupancy Permits	19

HIGH SCHOOL EQUIVALENCY

<u>CERTIFICATES</u>	
GED Completions	51
HiSET Completions	0
TASC Completions	0

I-KAN ATTENDANCE ASSISTANCE

PROGRAM (AAP)

Students and Families Served	755
Truancy Review Board Referrals	853
Business Sponsors for Attendance Incentives	13

STUDENTS ALL LEARNING

TOGETHER S.A.L.T.

Total Enrollment for 2018-2019	185
8th Grade	1
9th Grade	11
10th Grade	14
11th Grade	31
12th Grade	121
Received High School Diploma	74
Received GED Certificate	0
Dropped out of school	18
Returned to regular school	51

McKINNEY-VENTO HOMELESS

CHILDREN & YOUTH SERVICES

GRANT

Children & Youth Served	473
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REGIONAL ALTERNATIVE

ATTENDANCE CENTER (RAAC)

Enrollment for 2018-2019 School Year	64
Student Outcomes	
Improved Behavior	40
Returned to their Home School	20
Graduates	
High School	2
Received GED	0

KAN-I HELP INFORMATION

NETWORK

Web Site Visits	16,728
Agencies Listed	689
Services Listed	1,236
Exhibits, Events & Collaborations	22

FAMILY VIOLENCE COORDINATING

COUNCIL

Media Campaigns	6
Materials Distributed	2500
Special Events	20
Trainings and Seminars Provided	133
Number of Participants	3278

LIFE EDUCATION CENTERS (LEC)

Number of K-6 Grade Students Served	8,815
Number of Teachers Served	381
Number of Participating Schools	41
Best Practice Awards to Teachers	10
Golden Invitation Participants	53

7th, 8th, and High School Youth Prevention Education

Students Served	1,351
Teachers Served	34
Participating Schools	22

Prevention of Prescription Drug

Misuse- Generation Rx

8 th , 9 th , and 10 th grade	
Students served	505
Health Educators facilitating	19
Social Workers facilitating	17
School Nurses facilitating	1
Participating Schools	17

Peer Leaders Trained

6th Grade Students	51
7th Grade Students	43
Billboard Contest Winner	2

- Kate Nichols, Bishop McNamara Catholic School
- Joycelyn Zettergren and Mikayla Rayn, St. George School

PSA Contest Winners	3
Lorenzo Smith School	
Robreanna Chapman, Pyper Sabotta, and Caroline Valdez	
Youth Advisory Council Members	26
Special Events	22

TEEN REACH

Number of Sites	2
Number of Students Enrolled	100
Adult Volunteers	8
Family Involvement (Parents)	25
Students Tracked	40
Promoted to Next Grade Level	100%
Showed Academic Improvement	85%
Reduction in Absences	80%
Special Events	7

Professional Development

PROFESSIONAL LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES

Number of Workshops Offered 163
Number of Participants 1251

ADMINISTRATORS' ACADEMY

Number of Workshops 26
Number of Participants 135

DATABASE OF CONSULTANTS

Professional Development Consultants 30

STARLAB

Number of Days Checked Out 21

BUS DRIVER TRAINING

Initial Trainings 13
Initial Bus Drivers 141
Refresher Trainings 4
Refresher Drivers 401

I-KAN STEAM CHALLENGE

I-KAN Steam Challenge 4 Days
Location—Ashkum Early Literacy Center
High School—12 teams (48 students)
7th-8th Grade—19 teams (76 students)
5th-6th Grade—25 teams (100 students)
3rd-4th Grade—17 teams (68 students)
Total Participants 292

INDUCTION/MENTORING

Mentor/Protégés Hot Topics 5
Participants 77
Mentor Orientation 1
Participants 34
Mid-Point Check-in participants 24
Number of Participating Districts 9
Protégés Completing 1st Year 21
Protégés Completing Program 36

NEW PRINCIPAL MENTORING PROGRAM

New Principals 0
Principal Mentors 0
Certified Principal Mentors 9

TECHNOLOGY SUPPORT SERVICES

Number of Technology Coordinator/Director Networking Sessions 4
Technology Training 8
Participants 74

Revenue Information

(Largely flows through to serve constituents)

PROGRAM	AMOUNT	PROGRAM	AMOUNT	PROGRAM	AMOUNT
County Support Funds	335,190.00	RAAC State Free Lunch & Breakfast	608.61	ROE School Services—State	126,041.00
Teacher Certificates & Renewals	34,480.00	RAAC National School Lunch	19,294.71	ROE School Services—Local	64,221.58
TAOEP—State	211,720.00	RAAC National School Breakfast	11,390.26	ROE School Services—Local (STEAM)	9,680.00
TAOEP County Support Funds	19,898.00	S.A.L.T. Evidence Based Fund	622,754.32	Teacher/Leader Effectiveness	1,977.00
TAOEP District Assessment Fees	47,267.00	I-KAN Schools Activity Fund	740.62	Special Projects	6,032.63
TAOEP Business Partnerships	8,539.95	Comprehensive—DHS (SAPS)	223,000.00	GED Applications & Certificates	1,900.00
Homeless/McKinney Vento	50,505.00	SPF-PFS (Alcohol)—DHS	126,150.00	Bus Driver Training—Local	6,175.67
RAAC—State	86,295.00	Generation Rx – DHS (SAPS)	18,585.00	Bus Driver Training—State	1,529.00
Pilot Regional Safe Schools Cooperative Education Program (RSSCEP)	39,843.00	Drug Free Communities—Federal	125,000.00	Fingerprinting Fees	12,600.00
RAAC Evidence Based Fund	221,997.32	Teen Reach – DHS	126,640.00	Family Violence Council—	32,550.00
I-KAN Schools Tallman Funds	13,035.01	LEC—Local		Family Violence—Local	861.00
RAAC—Local	107,700.00	Dist. Assessment Fees	37,185.00	Assistance to Families with Children—Federal	52,605.00
RAAC—IPRF Safety Grant	1,612.00	LEC—Local	1,500.00	Commission on Access – Justice	1,000.00
				CPDC Project	6,750.00

Regional Information

PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Districts	19
Student Enrollment	23,251
Administrators	151
Educators	2,018
Buildings	59
Cooperatives	5
Alternative Programs	3
Non-public Schools	10
Student Enrollment	1,794
Square Miles in Region	1,794
Population of Region	137,628

NON-PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Grace Christian Academy
 St. Paul's Lutheran School
 Bishop McNamara Catholic School—
 Bourbonnais Site
 Bishop McNamara Catholic School—
 Bradley Site
 Bishop McNamara – Kankakee Site
 Unity Christian School
 Kankakee Trinity Academy
 St. Paul Lutheran School, Iroquois
 St. John Lutheran School
 Christ Lutheran High School

SCHOOL DISTRICTS

Momence Community Unit School District #1
 Herscher Community Unit School District #2
 Manteno Community Unit School District #5
 Grant Park Community Unit School District #6
 Bourbonnais Elementary School District #53
 Bradley Elementary School District #61
 Kankakee School District #111
 St. Anne Community Consolidated School District #256
 St. George Community Consolidated School District #258
 Pembroke Community Consolidated School District #259
 St. Anne Community High School District #302
 Bradley-Bourbonnais Community High School District #307
 Donovan Community Unit School District #3
 Central Community Unit School District #4
 Cissna Park Community Unit School District #6
 Iroquois County Community Unit School District #9
 Iroquois West Community Unit School District #10
 Milford Area Public Schools District #124
 Crescent-Iroquois Community Unit School District #249

COOPERATIVES

Kankakee Area Special Education Cooperative
 Kankakee Area Career Center
 Kankakee Area Regional Vocational Education System (K.A.R.V.E.S.)
 Iroquois Special Education Association
 Iroquois Area Regional Delivery System

REGIONAL ALTERNATIVE PROGRAMS

I-KAN Regional Alternative Attendance Center (RAAC)
 Students All Learning Together (S.A.L.T.) - Kankakee Site
 Students All Learning Together (S.A.L.T. II) - Iroquois Site

Governing Boards

I-KAN JOINT EDUCATION COMMITTEE

Shane Ritter, Kankakee Co. Board
 Stephen Liehr, Kankakee Co. Board
 Chad McGinnis, Iroquois Co. Board*
 Barb Offill, Iroquois Co. Board
 Tinker Parker, Kankakee Co. Board

Meets quarterly
 * Chairman

REGIONAL BOARD OF SCHOOL TRUSTEES

John Gooding, Iroquois* (21)
 Ed Brown, Kankakee (25)
 Dawn Russert, Kankakee (23)
 Scott Johnson, Iroquois (23)
 Andrea Eldert, Iroquois (25)
 Bill Gambell, Kankakee (25)
 Don Wagner, Kankakee (21)

Meets quarterly
 * Chairman
 (Term Expiration)

I-KAN REGIONAL OFFICE ADVISORY BOARD FOR STAFF DEVELOPMENT ACTIVITIES

Paul Snellenberger, Public Member
 Chuck Hensley, Administrator*
 Renee Rapp, Public Member
 Kathleen O'Connor, Administrator
 Dr. Steve Epstein, Public Member
 Cindy Orwig, Teacher
 Lisa Harrod, Administrator
 Barbara Hensley, Teacher
 Julia Pruitt, Teacher
 Jody Munsterman, Teacher
 Tony Swafford, Teacher

* Chairman