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Student Support Services Report November 20, 2018

District paraeducators and ABA therapists attended a "Zones of Regulation" workshop on our first early release day, October 30th. Jamie Jones, OTR/L from Infinity Pediatric OT & Swim, Concord, NH provided us with a comprehensive overview of this program which is designed to help students gain skills in the area of self-regulation (self-control, self-management and impulse control). The workshop was well attended and well received.

Many of our WLC students attended a field trip to Job Corps in Manchester, NH on Tuesday, November 13th. This training program is of particular interest to students who are seeking a no-cost path to job training in a variety of fields. Program offerings include: Advanced Manufacturing, Hospitality/Culinary, Health Care, Construction and Homeland Security. Job Corps also offers a residential option for students to live on campus at no charge, which also includes their food/meal plan. While at Job Corps students work at their own pace, have access to part-time work opportunities and have two years to complete the program. Upon completion, Job Corps assists students with job placement. Several of our WLC students expressed an interest in pursuing this viable option.

On November 20th, a Para Thank You Celebration was held at WLC. Special education case managers took this opportunity to thank the paraeducators in their building for their hard work and dedication to our students. Through their daily assistance, they provide an essential service/support for our students and teachers that certainly deserves recognition.

District-wide, the special education department has been quite busy processing several new referrals, conducting three-year re-evaluations and scheduling annual IEP review meetings.

Respectfully Submitted,

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