













## Pillar 2 - Leadership

### ★ Teacher leadership

A huge thank you to the Peer Coordinators and our Technology Liaisons! They have taken the information from our Zoom/Google Hangout meetings and dispersed to the departments/grade levels extremely efficiently! Teachers have expressed their appreciation for being informed and for knowing processes and procedures. This is in no small part due to their leadership and coordination. Thank you to:

- Mike Bollinger - Social Studies/Grade 8
- Karen Pax - Math/Grade 6
- Kevin Kirsch - Science/Grade 6
- Tom Penale - ELA/Grade 7
- Tina Oddy - Special Education/Grade 8
- Dana Thompson - Business/Exploratories
- Mark Cousins - Global Language
- Paula Singleton - Physical Education
- MaryEllen Aureli - Co-Chair Library/Media and Technology Liaison
- Kathy Loncar - Technology Liaison

## Pillar 3 - Community and Culture

- We had a meeting with our WEB leaders Mike Bollinger, Mark Waple, Kelly Zimmerman, and Karen Pax last week to discuss 6th grade orientation for next year. We met via Zoom and came up with August training dates and made a plan for recruiting 7th graders from this year to fill the role of WEB leaders in 8th grade next year.
- We even recorded a recruiting video that was sent out to all 7th grade students encouraging them to apply to be a WEB leader. Check out our [WEB Recruitment Video](#)
- We have had 2 “check in” meetings for staff via Zoom/Google Meet just to spend a few minutes interacting with each other! Both meetings have been well attended with 30-35 people logging on to say “hi” and to see familiar faces. I miss the daily personal interactions!
- Thank you for your continued partnership as we navigate through this period of uncertainty. Please know that each of us appreciates that every family has different obstacles to overcome during this unprecedented time. We understand this and want to support all and help create balance for each family. Please encourage parents to reach out to me or to any individual teacher as necessary, so that our work together can benefit students at individual levels and keep our students on a positive track.

I hope that we can be back together real soon! Stay safe! Stay happy! Stay strong!

Don't forget to follow us on Twitter! @LewPortMS and if you see something great in our community, share it with us using #lewport! There is some really good stuff there that I have retweeted from our teachers and staff!

