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Speech-Language Services



Anne Chedister (Speech-Language Pathologist D15) invited her sister, Dr. Jackie, a dentist, to speak to the Preschool for All (PFA) classes during language time. The kids had such a fun time and prepared some adorable questions for Dr. Jackie.



Bioscreening Event



Over 100 CASE staff participated in the annual biometric screening event! Staff receive their individualized results to inform their healthy choices.



Restorative Practices



On Friday, March 25th all **CCSD 89** Instructional Aides participated in a restorative practices-training with Dr. Matt Epperley from CASE. During one activity, participants identified their value(s) on a paper plate and placed the response in the center of the circle. The group then performed a gallery walk with the goal of noticing commonalities within the group and increasing group cohesiveness.

Hearing Itinerant Services



(LEFT) CASE Hearing Itinerant Teacher **Alexandra Giosta** spoke at the 58th annual conference for the Illinois Teachers of the Deaf and Hard of Hearing held in Springfield in March. Her presentation, “Redesigned: Using Master Learning with the ECC-DHH Curriculum” discussed the Expanded Core Curriculum for Students Who are Deaf and Hard of Hearing (ECC-DHH) that addresses the unique needs of students with hearing loss from ages 3-21. She specifically discussed how to redesign the curriculum according to the student’s proficiency level to more efficiently monitor student progress and allow students to self-evaluate for mastery of skills.

Glenbard Early Childhood Collaborative

The Glenbard Early Childhood Collaborative collected an entire pallet (800+) of disinfectant wipes for distribution to our local home visiting programs including Teen Parent Connection, Glenbard Parents as Teachers, Family Focus DuPage, and Regional Office of Education PAT. Disinfectant wipes can be unaffordable and out of reach to families experiencing financial insecurity. Home visitors and families with young children across our community will benefit greatly from this very kind and generous donation from UpstartWorks in honor of Women’s History Month.

