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## Hundreds Turn Out to Shape the Future of Center Grove Schools

GREENWOOD, IN (September 10, 2014)—More than 300 hundred members of the Center Grove community filled the Center Grove High School auditorium Tuesday evening to learn about the school corporation and give their input on its direction and focus for the future.

This group, called the "CG100", will serve as an advisory group to the corporation's Strategic Planning Committee. The CG100 members filled out a survey, which allowed them to weigh in on everything from the age students should be allowed to take home digital devices to whether Center Grove has adequately addressed safety and security needs in facilities. They were also asked to choose which programs should be enhanced or increased and which learning resources are the most important for students.

"What we now have is a robust set of data from which we can determine what the community sees as the priorities for the school corporation moving forward," said Dr. Jack Parker, assistant director of curriculum and special services. "We will break down all of these numbers in the coming weeks and then present them to our Strategic Planning Committee at the end of the month. The committee will use the information to build out the first draft of goals, which the CG100 will get a chance to see and review in January."

"We were hoping for at least 100 people who would come out and give us their honest feedback," said Dr. Rich Arkanoff, superintendent. "Seeing all of the faces in the audience was just wonderful. It's a testament to the great community support we see every day and the commitment our parents and other community members have to our school corporation."

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Photo attachments:

1. Dr. Rich Arkanoff addresses the CG100.
2. CG100 members take the online survey.