

# DUAL LANGUAGE IMMERSION (DLI)

Pleasant Run Elementary

December 2016

## “La Cosecha” Conference

A group of 5 educators from MSD Warren Township went to Santa Fe, New Mexico to learn more about Dual Language instruction at the “La Cosecha” Conference. The conference was from November 9th—12th.

### Conference Highlights....

- Visited an elementary school that is similar to Pleasant Run and learned about the various instructional strategies they implement.
- Attended several workshops to enhance instruction within our program.
- Learned about assessments and checklists to evaluate our program.
- Reflected on our vision and how to enhance our program.

### Our Vision

*World Learners*

*Today.....*

*World Leaders*

*Tomorrow*



Thanks to Valle Vista Elementary for a great visit.

### La Cosecha



## Pleasant Run is "Going Global"

All Pleasant Run staff will be working with VIF International to learn more about how to globalize instruction.

Teachers begin their journey this month.



On December 8, our DLI students and their families gathered for a second night of food and language learning. Students were able to become the teacher and show their parents what they had learned. Students shared a couple of their favorite songs and how to say the letters in English and Spanish.

Students learning about weight and measurement in Spanish.



## "What do you predict?"

This fall, our Kindergarten students conducted a science experiment during their English class. Students discussed what they thought would happen to the crayons when a hairdryer was used. Students were excited to see if their predictions were right. Students developed great academic vocabulary as they worked together.

