

SLT MINUTES 11/15/23

In person:

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Laura Bonomolo
Denise Racioppo
Roseann Sainato
Debra Richard
Nour Elferri
Alexandra Cagliostro
Annmarie Giuffre
Alfredo Campos Jr.
Murad El-Anis
Becky Wang

Virtual:

Priscilla Tan
Bonny Tan

Absent:

David Nilsen
Debra Thompson

Ms. Bugge:

- Going forward links will be sent out through Zoom
- Agenda and minutes are emailed and have hard copy available
- Ms. Giuffre read minutes; minutes were approved
- Amended bylaws: added member now 15 members—PAC chair, apart of PAC and SLT

Ms. Sainato: School Status Report

- 4 round of HMH coaching cycle, district gave us the coach; K, 1, 4, 5 had coach visit she will help with implementation
- Also, hired Janet Steinberg to help with district expectations and implementation
- She wrote the standards and state tests, met with her today to work around standards
- Started this 2 years ago with EL using standards to drive instruction
- Looked at data—iReady, Acadience, state scores; knowing the why to help grow
- Finding dates for next visit
- Classroom observations started; IPC is the initial planning conference with teachers to look at goals for this year also look for resources and support for this year
- 1st round in fall and going to focus on Math since new Reading curriculum
- Building walkthroughs continuing
- PPO visit rescheduled from Dr. O'Brien waiting to hear on that

- District 20 training for SLT was great; an invitation to access iPlan was sent out; view and comment and see if any changes can be made

Ms. Bonomolo: CEP Update

- Living document can be updated and added to action plan—HMH coach and Janet Steinberg
- Attendance goal—95%
- Chronic absenteeism—17% unlikely to decrease: travel abroad and can't make it up
- iLog—reason for absences
- Chronic does not have to be consecutive
- PreK & K biggest attendance gap
- Kindergarten campaign to target
- Staying healthy in winter; what's permissible to still come to school or keep home; PTA have nurse present to help
- If it is iLogged and recorded it still counts as absence but school is being accountable; more information the better

Nour- Some parents may think that it is their responsibility not school's as long as they keep up with the work and have a doctor's note. I only know this because of SLT

Ms. Bonomolo:

- Attendance HERO campaign, 4th grade won again
- Winter incentives for attendance—HW pass, snack coupon, extended recess, Fun Friday from 1230 on
- Dr. Pretto views and certifies CEP

Ms. Bugge; TITLE 1 Update

- Thank you Priscilla and Bonny for helping out
- During elections Mr. El-Anis was elected
- Title 1 meeting:
 - Money to spend \$8,536 plus \$549 carried over
 - Used \$2000 for Box Out Bullying assembly in October
 - About \$7000 left not just for academics but related to CEP and available to all students
 - Last used for virtual art night which was a great success
 - New ideas: Mr. El-Anis: draft parent survey for events and fundraising
 - Volunteers for workshops as event

Ms. Sainato: Cultural survey to learn more about families

- International food night
- Books, customs

Mr. El-Anis: Play for students

- Academically and socially beneficial
- Title 1 meets every four weeks to work together and come up with ideas

Ms. Sainato: Dates to remember:

- November: Thanksgiving Recess 23rd and 24th
- November 29th Box Out Bullying for parents
- December 7th Hanukkah begins
- December 14th PTA
- December 13th SLT
- December 15th Festival of lights
- December 24-January 1 Winter Recess; December 26th Kwanza

Bonny: Spirit days in December?

Ms. Sainato: Ugly sweater?; Pjs for PJ; pajama day Fridays in December

Bonny: Spirit wear launched; Pjs included

Ms. Giuffre: parent asked to be able to see the items for sizing

Bonny: Inventory is held but can see it online

Priscilla: Requested samples

BYE THANK YOU! 😊