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May 2023

School Accountability Committee (SAC)
May 3, 2023
Large Conference Room

AGENDA

1. Welcome & Introductions (Becki Sims)

Becki Sims, Interim Principal
Brandon Henry, parent liaison
Lara Conway, parent
Ron Carroll, math
Amy Rogers, math
Sharon Smith, parent & DAAC rep
Katie Scott, parent
Pat Claman, parent
Sarah Luce, math

2. DAAC Update (Sharon Smith)

- Title 1 review on funding, SRES will be considered a Title 1 school
- Proposition FF - supporting the free & reduced lunch program reimbursement
- The forms/paperwork need to be completed to justify the need for populations to attain free lunch programs at Title schools vs all schools
- Ask Sharon for details or follow-up

3. Principal Report (Becki Sims) - Update on the addition, Success Center structure

- Breaking ground in June for new addition, space for CTE, athletic training, etc, more opportunities! Continuing with engineering, adding cyber security, game design, etc
- Success Structure: looking at whole-child model - with staff changes: Elimination "dean of concurrent enrollment" position, due to being over-staffed, adding another counselor position - 6 total.

4. Building Budget Review (Becki Sims) - Touch Math, Science resources, AP Environmental Science, iPads and Chromebook purchases. Looking to upgrade security cameras.

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Mr. Eddy McGee, Athletic Director/Assistant Principal
Mr. Jeremy Drager, Dean of Students, Assistant Athletic Director
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- Looking at stipends and look to “close year in the green”
- New curriculum for classes and replacing outdated textbooks
- ESSER funds for TouchMath (SpEd) and 200+ Chromebooks & 71 iPads (for math & science), and new AP Environmental Science
- Hopeful to buy new security cameras: storage unit was broken into and the “gators” were stolen...more discussion and details to best use funds available.

5. Math Curriculum (Ron Carroll and Amy Rogers)

- Objective: better prepare students for math problem solving, career & college readiness
- Review of selection process - previous CPM (college prep math), great but not for block schedule & expiring. Significant out of the box thinking and planning with various resources and experience.
- Would like to decide on *enVision* - flexible/hybrid options, spectrum levels & multi-lingual, STEM connections, Interactive, alignment to CO standards. Adopting it for 6 years, Alg 1, Geom, Alg 2, and Applied - class sets of 40 for 6 classrooms, plenty to support home learning.
- Newsletter Announcement 4/29, SAC presentation 5/3, Parent Meeting @ SMS 5/4 5pm
- Adding 6 year adoption for Pearson College Algebra (Now: savvas)
- D49 commitment to use the new curriculum with fidelity...July training, following scope & sequence.
- Math Rooms will be 1:1 technology. Curriculum is also “phone friendly” building phone integrity
 - Suggestion for curriculum mapping
- Connect with parents and communicate, GOAL: get kids energized about math

Next Year Prep:

Sharon will continue as DAAC Chair

Katie will continue as Secretary

Kick-off the year: SAC Mtng: Sept 6, 5:30

NEXT MEETING DATES:

SAC Dates - Sep 7th, 2022, Dec 7th, 2022, Feb 8th, 2023, May 3rd, 2023

DAAC Dates - Aug 23rd, 2022, Sep 27th 2022, Oct, 25th, 2022, Dec 13th, 2022, Jan 24th, 2023, Feb 21st, 2023, Mar 14th, 2023, Apr 18th, 2023, May 9th, 2023

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