SDMC minutes 12/06/22

Dr. Shetzer welcomed the committee.

Quarter 2 school update:
   A. Current enrollment is 1380 students with 6th grade growing the most.
   B. May need to re-evaluate the Enrichment class or get a 4th cluster in 6th grade next year.
   C. True up for budget (late January) and get a little bit more funding for school needs.
   D. Attendance is lower across the district. 94.1% daily attendance rate currently. Dr. Shetzer is hoping for closer to 96%.
   E. JJP is sending truancy letters.
   F. Discipline referral rate is lower this year. The number of fights are down significantly. 6th graders seem to be the most rambunctious.
   G. Suspension rate is down significantly. First time offenders are getting more remediation and detention.

2023-2024 Magnet Process
   A. Tours every Thursday until January 26th.
   B. Magnet applications are on par with last year’s number. Pin Oak has more applications. JJP has more applications than Lanier.
   C. Magnet Fairs have lower attendance as a whole.
   D. The application process has not opened yet.
   E. Students can apply to 10 schools instead of 5.
   F. Zone tours were very well attended.
   G. JJP may become a dual language campus. It is not a very large process, it can start small.
   H. Website is being reworked. Magnet information is under the Fine Arts category.
   I. Mirabella asked about looking at the Magnet Tour script. Reyna asked if teachers who were open to the tours coming in could put signs on their doors.
   J. We recently had a family friendly school tour and it was very well received. The next family friendly tour is in February.

Grading procedures are being discussed as a campus. Carnegie Math is a big shift and the largest number of failures seem to be in math classes. Mathia is a computer based computer support program. Van Den Bossche and Shetzer reviewed the framework of Carnegie Math units (i.e. Skills assessment, Assignments, etc.) Eureka math is the comparable program for elementary students.

Next meeting is February 21, 2023.

Winter Break begins on December 22, 2022.

Dr. Shetzer adjourned the meeting at 5:21 PM.