

Briarmeadow Charter

Quarter 3 SDMC Meeting Minutes

April 23, 2024 4:00 PM

Facilitated by James Ferguson, Principal Apprentice

- Opening
- **24-25 Campus Updates**
 - Discussed enrollment projection- 568 students
 - Explained budget decrease of \$100,000 from general fund
 - Title 1 funds increase from \$7,000 - \$75,000
 - **Questions:** How are we able to make it with \$100,000 less? What was the \$200,000 used for this year? Can we afford to buy a MS science curriculum with projected funds for next year? How much was spent on curriculum purchased this year?
- **Staffing Updates**
 - 3 official teacher resignations (Elem. and MS)
 - Recent job fair went well
 - Teachers have until June 28th to officially resign?
 - **Questions:** What happened to the nurse? Can there be a hiring protocol put in place where grade level team members are able to sit in the interviews? What is the new policy for appointing a school leader (principal)?
- **24-25 Planning Survey Results**
 - **Questions:** Do we really need 2 P.E. teachers? Have we given up on music? Is there a gap in the fine arts TEKS if there is no music class? Maybe have half a semester of art, half a semester of music?
- **Community Partnership**
 - May need PTO to help fund Toddler, IB fees, and PikMyKid app
- **Business Partnership**
 - Up to new school leader

- **Other**

- School garden (parent suggestion)
 - What is the WHY behind the garden? How will it be funded? Who will manage and sustain it?
 - Possible grants, non-profit organizations
 - Start as an after school program