The Houston Independent School District (HISD) Board of Education established and approved the campus-level planning and decision-making process in 1992. This process includes the creation and maintenance of a Shared Decision-Making Committee (SDMC) at each school to review the district’s educational goals, objectives, and major district wide classroom instructional programs. The SDMC must be involved in decisions related to areas specified by the Texas Education Code. The code states that the SDMC will be involved in decisions in the areas of planning, budgeting, curriculum, staffing patterns, staff development, and school organization.

Areas SDMC we will discuss as an advisory to the Principal... but not limited to....

**Planning**
- Feedback on Early Dismissal days
- What could be more productive

**Budget**
- New Budget
  - Positions – SRC, English, Science
  - Still need TWO Math teachers

**Curriculum**
- Tutorials – ideas on when and how to get students to attend
- Camps – poor attendance...ideas

**Staffing Patterns**
- Next year? Discuss 7 periods verses 8 periods

**Professional Development**
- Sending staff during the week or sending just one to bring back
- Paying staff to go on Saturdays

**School Organization**
- How do we get staff to buy into following policies?
- How can we do better in supporting staff?

**Other/Questions**
- Thoughts? Questions