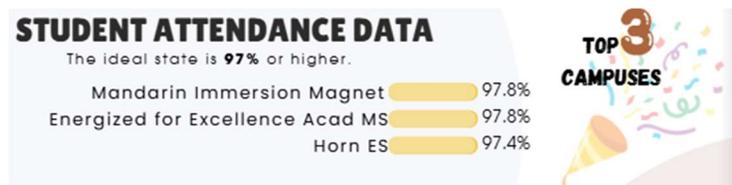




Mandarin Immersion Magnet School School Decision-Making Committee December 2, 2024

- **Welcome**
- **Roles and Duties**
 - Chairperson – Cindy Tiet
 - Minutes – Peggy Bridges
 - Timekeeper – Bin Wang
- **Budget – State of the School**
 - Enrollment – 821
 - Current Average Daily Attendance: **97.8%** from **98.1% (October)** (Even though we dropped in attendance we are still in the top 3 campuses in the West)
 - YTD Estimated Funding Lost Due to Absences: **\$36,369.63** from **\$15,365.55 (October)**



- Attendance Plan – 90% (students are required to have 90% attendance to receive credit; otherwise, they will need to attend summer school or have another plan for them.)
 - Wraparound Specialist Support – once a week – Mr. Wil Smith. He will be reaching out to families whose students have already missed more than 10% of total days thus far. (Mr. Smith is here Friday morning)
 - Also, one of the top 11 campuses in West to have the highest staff attendance as well!
 - Since our 24-25 budget was based on the projection of 789 students. At Snapshot, we had 821 students, a surplus of 32 students. We received additional funds for the students above the projection.
 - Top priorities:
 - Tutoring funds
 - Ensure all K-8 is 1:1. (PTO will supply chrome books from the Gala funds)
 - Replacing old Smartboards with Clevertouches (2nd floor complete, will work on 1st and 3rd floors. Larger ones for 3rd floor and smaller ones for 1st floor.)
 - Will consider purchasing Science curriculum for all grade levels (PTO allocated \$2,000 for Science)
- **Teacher Evaluation System will change for 2025-26. Will call another SDMC meeting to review information when received. (Plan has been shared with teachers for feedback; waiting for additional information to share with SDMC.)**

- **School Action Plan 24-25**
 - **Key Action #1:** Grow staff capacity to ensure high quality instruction in all classrooms.
 - SPOT Observations, IRT, STAAR, NWEA MAP
 - **Key Action #2:** Strengthen the leadership density at MIMS.
 - Tier II Leaders – instructional coaches
 - **Key Action #3:** Improve special education instruction and service delivery.
 - Fall and Spring Folder Reviews (Fall folder review was picked up by the district but have not received the results)
 - IEP Goals (improve verbiage to align with PLAAFP)
 - **Key Action #4:** Campus will improve performance for African-American student group in achievement and/or growth.
 - 71% will reach the growth target in Math as defined by TEA Domain 3 accountability
 - **Key Action #5:** Campus improves English proficiency for Emergent Bilingual students.
 - 49% of students will grow at least one level of proficiency from 23-24 composite to 24-25 composite on TELPAS

- **Magnet Tours/School Choice**
 - **December 10** – Phase 1 Application Opens
 - **February 12** – Phase 1 Application DUE
 - **March 20** – Parent Lottery Notification Day
 - **March 20** – Phase 2 Application Opens

December 3 – HS Magnet Fair @ MIMS from 9:00 – 10:00 am (all 8th graders will participate; parents invited)

Magnet Tours on Thursdays from 9:00 – 10:00 am.

HISD School Choice Fairs (Showcases ALL magnet programs in one place)

- 1) ~~November 16 from 9:00 – 12:00 pm @ Milby High School~~
- 2) December 14 @ Washington HS
- 3) January 11 @ Westside HS
- 4) February 8 @ Lamar HS

- **Upcoming Events:**
 - December 18 @ 1:30 Winter Holiday Performance for Students
 - December 19 @ 1:30 Winter Holiday Performance for Parents of K, 4th, 5th
 - ES Spelling Bee on 1/9/25 at 1:30 pm.
 - MS Spelling Bee on 1/10/25 at 1:30 pm.
 - Houston Crimestoppers Presentation to 3rd – 8th on 1/13/25 on Internet Safety (Parents requested topic because presentation to parents at recent Tea with Tiet was very, very informative).
 - Houston Crimestoppers Presentation to Parents on 1/24/25 on School Safety (Parents requested topic based on survey at beginning of the year).

- **Other Events/Concerns/Updates:**

-Mr. Frank Lin asked about the middle school incident with a particular student and is concerned about school safety since there is a lack of information on the parents' side. Ms. Tiet could not provide more information due to confidentiality but stated that there will be a plan in place to ensure the safety of our students and staff is a priority.

-Ms. Simpson is concerned about the lack of involvement on 1st and 2nd floor when the administration team is on the 3rd floor most of the time when the said student returns to campus.

-The administration team is still working on a plan and understands the impact the situation places on all stakeholders.

-Ms. Tiet also stated that we will 100% continue to follow the student code of conduct.

-Ms. Tiet stated that we are fortunate to have more seasoned teachers who can better manage the classrooms.