

# SDMC

November 2, 2016

## Agenda

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

- Planning for December Final Exams

### Budget

- Snapshot count

### Curriculum

- Tutorials for December Testers

### Staffing Patterns

- Filled Math and considering CTE

### Professional Development

- Three courses for all to take for the December Re-testers

### School Organization

- Uniforms and ID badges
- Rewards System for Attendance...ideas

### Other/Questions

## November SDMC Minutes

- Snapshot count: Ms. Monaghan reported that snapshot date was 10/31/16. She was concerned about students getting sent back to Westbury after snapshot date. She stated WHS tried to move any students before the snapshot.
- Staffing: Math position is being filled for second semester. Interviewing and considering the right fit for a new CTE teacher. Ms. Bogarty resigned.
- TADS: observations and walk-throughs being conducted by all appraisers.
- Uniforms and ID badges: student compliance has improved. Not all teachers are checking for IDs and dress code during first period of the day. Teachers need to be held accountable for it. Administration cannot do it without staff support.
- Attendance: Monaghan stated house offices would start calling parents when students were absent ADA period.

Thinking of implementing reward system for attendance: Monaghan seeking ideas