



PATRICK HENRY MIDDLE SCHOOL

HOUSTON INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Erica Tran | Principal



SDMC MEETING Thursday, September 30, 2021

MISSION:

At Patrick Henry Middle School, our mission is to **empower** our students to become **innovative** thinkers, **collaborative** community members, and **global leaders** by providing a **rigorous**, technology-infused education that integrates social, emotional, cultural, and academic learning.

TIMEKEEPER: Erica Tran

SCRIBE: Cindy Zuniga

4:15-4:30pm

Sign-in

4:30-5:30pm

Good afternoon and Welcome

- Location: Library , 4:17 PM
- Zuniga, Ortega, Valle, Favela, Castillo, Chavez, Kendall, Jones, Tran, Mills

AGENDA:

- PTA established
 - E-board intro email to be sent
 - President:
 - VP:
 - Treasurer:
 - Secretary:
 - Paperwork has been sent to IRS, waiting on EIN
- Dress Code: Was flexible due to pandemic – discussion for 2022-2023
 - Colors: reasoning helps to identify grade levels
 - Currently wearing what they want
 - Safety
 - Hoodies were color coded too
 - Create fun shirts, collared shirts, spirit shirts on Friday
 - All agreed.
 - Fundraisers
 - Jeans, \$1
 - Favela: uniform drive for donate / Ortega swap
 - Early July/August sell spirit shirts
 - **TEAM AGREED: Friday jeans with spirit shirt**
 - borrow theirs for a borrowed item
 - All staff support is needed, admin and teachers
 - Head pieces:
 - No hats, bandanas, no bonnets, no durags
 - Only 2 students are allowed to wear head coverings
 - Teachers needs support and follow through from admins
 - Start the year strong with dress code

IMAGINE. INNOVATE. CREATE.



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- 6th grade: grey, 7th grade: navy/blue, 8th grade: red – Collared shirts
- Will have a counselor per grade level next year, can help with dress code assistance
- Crocs: safety issue, no grip with rainy weather – overall NO
- Hoodies: discussion
 - Teacher support needed
 - Consistency
 - Allowed in the hallway but not indoor
 - If they don't follow directions, call admin – will remove hoody, return at the end of the day
- ID Badges:
 - Discussion: to be enforced next year, make it part of their uniform
 - Lost/Forgotten IDs / Covering photos
 - \$5 to replace
 - Come up with a system to track who forgot their ID
 - Lanyard with sticker badge, pick up temporary badges
- 8th grade ceremony, dance, shirts:
 - Discussion took place
 - 4 weeks prior to event date, will not be a part of the celebration if referral received
 - Committee was formed
 - Ceremony, auditorium: Tuesday, June 7th in the morning
 - Everyone is invited, auditorium ceremony
 - Field Trip
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 - Banquet / Dance: Friday, June 3rd
 - Possible auditorium location, theme
 - Banquet style, sit down dinner
 - Students are to pay a fee for a package celebration
- 6th grade and 7th grade celebrations/ceremony:
 - Honor Roll, All A's, Perfect Attendance, Teacher Recognition
- Master Schedule:
 - Grade level discussions/meetings
 - 6th graders were in T-Buildings to keep away from 7th and 8th graders to avoid being influenced
 - Bell schedule, 2 bells are working well
 - 6th grade switch then 7th & 8th grade to switch
 - Split lunch
 - All switch same 4 minutes
 - To be voted on in ILT meeting in April
 - Electives, mixed schedules
 - Keeping the same student with teams

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- Meeting with cohort discussion
 - A-Day, with content
 - B-Day, with grade level
 - Blocked schedule / homeroom
 - Advance 3 classes electives
- Questions, Comments, Concerns:
 - Transition, all voiced need to be heard
 - Detention program is helping getting students to class on time
 - Cell phones: Tran would like to pick up cell phones 1st period, lock-boxes for teachers
 - Laptop for cell phone, cart in all classrooms

Adjourned: 5:34 PM

Instructional Priorities

SIP Priorities and Vision

Henry MS Priorities and Focus

- Strengthening Literacy across grade levels through:
Shared reading and Guided Reading, Exposure to different genres and independent reading
- Language Acquisition proficiency (fidelity) to improve overall composite on TELPAS
- Writing across the curriculum by incorporating
 - Language arts/social studies reflective writing
 - Interactive science journals, math interactive journals
- Increase attendance from 92.5% to 96%

STRONGER TOGETHER!

PLAN, PREPARE and EXPECT TO WIN AT THE FINISH LINE!

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