

# WEST BRIAR MIDDLE SCHOOL

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### **SDMC Meeting Agenda**

	Meeting Attendance	
Date: February 15, 2022	<u>Chairperson</u> Lea Mishlan, Principal- Present	<u>Non-Instructional Staff</u> Veronica Bass-
Time: 4:15pm – 5:05pm	<u>Instructional Staff</u> Geoffrey Phillips Jordan Shaw	Parent Representatives Taisir Sarage - Rebecca Minnock- Present
Location: Virtual- Microsoft Teams	Jessica Guillory Vivian Cook	Algena Pillot - Present
Next Meeting: April 12 <sup>th</sup>	<u>Professional Staff</u> Madison Taylor Kendra Stokes	

### **AGENDA**

### 1. Member Check-in

- a. <u>Temperature Check</u> & How can we make <u>Kindness the norm</u> at WBMS?
- b. Choir Concert- next Thursday
- c. Feb 21- no school for students
- d. Students, Staff, Parent Survey- Spring 2022

### 2. Principal Update/ Staffing Updates

- a. Leanna Smith-Walker- Teacher Specialist
- b. Alissa Trevino- Art
- c. Lillian Houvouras- Science
- d. Cornell Weber- Science
- e. Jacob Thomas- Math
- f. Erika Reyes- ELA

### 3. Graduation/Commencement 8th Grade / End of Year Activities

- a. End of Year
  - i. Grad Activities- Food Truck, Off-campus event
  - ii. Dance/ Formal
  - iii. 7/8 Powder Puff- Activity Kickball
  - iv. Staff/ Student Games
  - v. 6th Grade?? End of Year Activity-

### 4. 2022-2023 SY - Vote next SDMC Meeting

a. Bell Schedule- Block Scheduling Option

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- i. Limit transition activity
- ii. Longer class time/ interventions
- iii. Advocacy- additional time for interventions, etc.
- iv. Concern- teacher support/ discipline/ longer-time with teacher
- v. Would split lunch? (split periods for lunch?)
- vi. Would need to consider split staff members (orchestra)

vii.

### b. Lockers

- i. Too difficult but helpful
  - 1. Time at lockers- increases tardy to class
- ii. Why are lockers an issue? Too heavy/ having to replace
  - 1. Kids are stealing items from backpacks;
- iii. Sharing combinations; conflicts at top/bottom locker (physical contact); teachers having to address issues at lockers; teaching kids how to use the lockers

#### c. Backpacks- clear or mesh?

- i. Yes- clear/mesh
  - 1. Clear/mesh- does it ensure safety?
  - 2. Easier to break/don't last
- ii. Block- would help with backpacks- only bring 1/2 days' worth of items
- iii. Power Up- 1-1; Canvas (LMS)

#### 5. 2022-2023 SY- Canvas LMS/ Power Up

- a. Suggestions for launch?
- b. Parent Meetings; Student Training

### 6. Questions, Comments

- a. Student Dress Code- enforced- follow-through
  - i. Pants- rips/tears allowed/not allowed- make decision and follow-through with it
  - ii. Belts/ Sagging pants- add to dress code
  - iii. NO Crocs- '22-'23-

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## **SDMC Signature Page**

Last Name	First Name	Position	Signature
Phillips	Geoffrey	Teacher	PRESENT VIRTUALLY
Shaw	Jordan	Teacher	PRESENT VIRTUALLY
Bass	Veronica	Non-Instructional Staff	PRESENT VIRTUALLY
Scott	Charlotte	Non-Instructional Staff	PRESENT VIRTUALLY
Guillory	Jessica	Teacher	PRESENT VIRTUALLY
Cook	Vivian	Teacher	ABSENT
Stokes	Kendra	Admin	PRESENT VIRTUALLY
Mishlan	Lea	Principal	PRESENT VIRTUALLY
Taylor	Madison	Social Worker	PRESENT VIRTUALLY
Sarage	Taisir	Parent	ABSENT
Minnock	Rebecca	Parent/PTO Rep	PRESENT VIRTUALLY
Pilot	Alegna	Parent	PRESENT VIRTUALLY