

SDMC Meeting Minutes

September 23, 2019 SDMC Meeting

Members Present: D. Martinez, J. Goins, T. Le, L. Sifuentes, D. Hernandez

*Coffee with the Principal feedback – Parents received information regarding TEA ratings, the importance of ADA, parent/teacher conferences, VIPs, and the Parent University initiative. They were reminded of our Open House date (Sept. 27th). Parents also expressed interest in finalizing the formation of the school's PTA.

*SIP Review/Feedback – Committee members reviewed school goals on SIP and gave provided feedback regarding the plan. The SIP will be finalized by tomorrow with a copy going to SDMC members by Wednesday. Teaching staff will receive their copy for review/approval during PLC meetings on Thursday.

*Teacher Capacity – Student enrollment is being examined daily so capping request can be submitted as needed. On a different note, another lower grade class may be opened (for regular kindergarten) if our projected enrollment goal is met.

*Current Budget Limitations – We will need to be frugal with spending funds from our regular school budget as we wait to see if project enrollment goal is met. Low attendance percentage from last school year will also be a factor when HISD determines our final budget for the school year. Other funds (small school subsidy, Title I, etc) will be used as needed.

*Year-long commitment for all stakeholders – School staff is committed as a team to “first instruction” teaching and follow-through with interventions to reach our SIP goals.

*Turn Around time for initiatives – Various programs were touched upon (Ren 360, Galaxy Education, interventions, tutorials, etc) and timelines were given for implementation of the programs.