

SDMC Meeting

September 22,2020

Minutes

In Attendance

Adam, Dina – Teacher	Li, Hongyan – Teacher	Shargey, Bernice – Dean
Boldman, Garth -Teacher	Magana, Derdlim – Teacher	Ake, Nichole - Parent
Dzul, David – Student	Niaves, Shannon – Registrar	Moreno, Nancy - BCM
Goudeau, Analisa - Assistant Principal	Perez, Patricia – SIR Clerk	
Jafferli, Anita – Teacher	Perry, Agnes - Principal	
Khan, Neda – Teacher	Saldivar, Raul – Assistant Principal	

The meeting convened at 3:30 PM.

Perry: Just a reminder; guidelines for the meeting; if you want to submit an agenda item, submit by 3:30 PM the day before the meeting; (reviewed guidelines)

Old Business

Perry: Corrections/comments about June meetings? (no comments)

New Business

Topic 1: SIP

Discussion:

Perry: SIP must be submitted Friday; Dean Shargey compiled; if you have had a chance to review now is the time to voice questions/concerns. (no responses)

Perry: Stifled by lack of data (mentioned AP performance scores) data is missing from calculations how we should move forward

Adam: AP Chem average was wrong; there were more who passed

Perry: Dean Shargey, do you know how we compared to other schools?

Dean: No.

Perry: Will ask Carnegie

Adam: Only teaching 30 to 40 minutes, how are we going to meet AP goal with less instruction?

Perry: AP requires more studying; email I sent referred to a student taking mainly regular classes; concern is with students having excessive work instead of what can be done in 90-minute period

Adam: should we keep them in the SIP?

Perry: decrease to 1%; if you don't reach, will not be penalized.

Shargey: Had covered most of the material by the time we stopped.

Perry: I'm okay with leaving goals as they are ..are a lot of variables that impact performance

Dean: Most are within 2 or 3%

Peery: Is a plan, Mrs. Adam.

Jafferli: Will the school be penalized?

Perry: Believe teachers will do the best they can; still motivation for students to do well

Jafferli: I think all teachers are concerned about that.

Perry: Better off than other schools; our parents appreciate our teachers; is there extra material that can be eliminated? 90-minute lecturing will not work; students need time to communicate with teachers and each other...can organize review sessions in the spring

Ake: Way to create a homeroom to focus on the particular AP?

Perry: Teachers have office hours to meet with parents/students; funds for tutorials in the AM, PM, or Saturdays

Ake: ACT scores, AST scores, special populations

Dean: Look at the heading at top; broken out into groups – defined from the tab itself

Perry: SAT and or ACT

Dean: They are indicated at the top

Ake: They are mentioned in English (section) but not in the others; can they be added?

Perry: Can add

Ake: Goal 2 – do we have to specify how we are going to meet those goals?

Dean: (explains)

Ake: Let me ask it differently. What happens if we do not meet?

Dean: (refers to evaluation piece) projecting, checking various points, adjust as necessary

Ake: Grants/money tied to this? I don't want to set us up for failure.

Dean: If all is well – great; if not, we reflect; not tied to any funds; in general we do very well.

Ake: Goal 2 will be - three sub-parts to it?

Dean: Yes; can always call me; certain parameters the district sets.

Perry: Differs according to different schools; consistent downturns over the years would need to be addressed; wasn't our **expectation**(?) over AP performance – rational explanations for the difference in scores

Perry: Any more questions? If not, will proceed to the vote; members should vote in the chat agree or disagree

Vote

Perry: Mr. Thornhill, would you count the agrees and disagrees?

Thornhill: 10 agree, 0 disagree, 3 approve with clarification

Perry: Dean Shargey, get with Mrs. Ake.

Perry: Appreciate Dean Shargey and teachers for sharing.

Topic 2: Reopening Face to Face

Discussion

Perry: DeBaKey HSHP Reopening Plan presented yesterday to committee, posted on the website last night; Mrs. Rodriguez posted an informal survey: virtual 85.3%, 14.69%

Dean Shargey: Matches what we found in yoga class

Perry: Be aware of messaging; cannot influence parents' decisions.

Perry: These are the students responding not parents; no applications from teachers (remote teaching)

Ake: Have we sent notification?

Perry: We can send another notification.

Li: (shared parent portal screen)

Perry: Includes look for the School Commitment form

Goudeau: Callout – Q&A meeting between 6 and 7 PM 9/23/2020

Next Meeting

Next SDMC meeting in October

The meeting adjourned at 5:10 PM