

## SECHS SDMC Meeting Agenda April 27, 2021; 4:00 pm

### Enrollment/Attendance/Budget

- Present Enrollment as of April 27, 2021, 417 students (114/111/89/103)
- School Recruitment for SY 2021-2022. Recruitment Goal is 110 students. Magnet Signing Day was completed on April 15. Summer Bridge Program being planned for Summer 2021.
- Present Attendance Rate, 96.6%, \$46,418 revenue lost for absences.

### Instruction

- School Improvement Plan (Math, ELA, TSI, CCMR, Safety).
- STAAR EOC testing days (Alg. 1 (5/18), Bio (5/19) US His (5/20) and EOC Makeup Exams (5/21). English I and English II testing completed earlier in the month of April 2021.
- SECHS AP Testing (US Gov 5/3, 8 am; Human Geo 5/4 12 noon; US His 5/6 8am, World His 5/10 8am, Span Lang 5/11 12 noon, Economics, English Lang 8am 5/12, Physics 5/24 12 noon.
- Waivers request for 2021-2022 School Year (**Alternative Start/End Times** The purpose of this waiver is to request alternate Start/Dismissal times for South Early College High School. Our bell schedule is required to align with Institute of Higher Education (IHE partner), Houston Community College so our students may take advantage of college level courses during each class period. As an Early College High School, it is imperative that our school hours align with the times that Houston Community College Classes are offered at the Central South Campus - so that our students can take courses that count both toward their Associate Degree and their High School Diploma. South ECHS will begin at 7:55 and end at 3:30 each day. Metric for success will be percentage of students taking dual credit and college coursework and decrease in number of students taking courses at other HCC campus.)

### Staff Development

- SECHS Summer Professional Development (AP Institute, AVID, PLTW, Lead4Ward)

### Miscellaneous

- Teacher Appreciation Week (May 3-7, 2021). 2020-2021 Campus Teacher of the Year: Dr. Sudha Raghav
- HCC Spring Semester Finals, May 10-14
- HISD Summer School begins on June 17, 2021, M-Th (8am-3:30 pm). HCC Summer 5-week session begins on June 7. Looking for teachers to assist with credit recovery.
- SECHS Final Exams June 8-11, 2021, Senior/Summer HCC Finals June 1-3, 2021. Exam schedules being finalized.
- Current Staff Vacancies: ELA teacher, 11-month SIM Clerk
- COVID testing available on SECHS campus.

### Upcoming Campus Events

- Approved Scheduled Senior Activities (May 1, May 15, June 11).
- Asynchronous Learning Day/HISD Teacher Preparation Day, May 28, 2021; The district was approved by the HISD Board of Education during the April regular board meeting to apply for this waiver from the state to offer asynchronous instruction for students and teacher professional development on **Friday, May 28**. As a result, all students will participate in at-home virtual learning on May 28. In-person instruction will only be available to students without internet accessibility or access to appropriate digital learning device. This instruction will be offered at the student's regular campus. Half of Friday will be for teacher professional development, and half will be allocated for teacher planning.
- Educate Texas coaching visit (J. Gentry), May 28, 2021; 1:00 pm
- HISD School Holiday, Monday, May 31, 2021
- SECHS Spring Commencement; Dyer Field at Delmar, June 13, 2021; 11am

Next meeting scheduled at 4:00 pm: July 2021

Discussed enrollment and recruitment goals for the year, as well as attendance concepts. Talked about upcoming testing for AP and EOC. Committee approved waiver request for already short and End Times for the school day. Discussed teacher appreciation and upon final exams for HCA and SECTH, as well as upcoming summer school opportunity. Meeting ended on Microsoft Teams at 4:55 PM.

Members Sign In:

Justin Chase (virtual)	Alvin Brown	K. Oda
Victoria Gray (virtual)	Patrick	Prinsly
Resire Gray (virtual)	Sailor	