

Love Elementary SDMC Meeting Agenda June 26, 2024



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Location-TEAMS and Love Library

Meeting Called by: Mr. Scott Platt,
School Principal, at 10:30am

Notetaker/Minutes: Ms. Sandra McNeill

Attendees: Ms. Brenda Munoz-Hernandez, Amy Maddux, Jessica Perez(TEAMS), Chris Anderson, Nicole Pepper, Lynne Sustala (TEAMS), Emily Guyre (TEAMS).

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1. Defined Autonomy-HISD Defined Autonomy PowerPoint Presentation presented by Principal Platt. Mr. Platt started that it was advised to have a June SDMC for members to give the update. We will share presentation to SDMC members after it is shared to the Love Staff. In detail it was explained school types and ratings. Magnet campuses, SUS; Separate and Unique, examples HSPVA, TH Rogers, & Carnegie. SWS; school within a school, examples Red & River Oaks. SWP; School Wide Program, example Baker Montessori. Non-Magnet, Love Elementary.

Love Elementary is Level 2 we are 1/41 that are in this category. (More clarity in the presentation slides). Curriculum chosen for our campus is HMH, district curriculum and SAAVAS. We need to follow this current curriculum. Love has full control of budget, small pocket for campus use, cannot go over budget; stay within budget. Love is responsible for own campus staffing, etc. New Teacher Evaluation system will start 2024-2025. LEAD System is the system of evaluation that will be used for Principals and assistant principals in all schools. Mr. Platt is a NEW Novice Principal in the start of the new school year, official start was May 1, 2024. Action Plan was shared from last SDMC in May by Mr. Platt. Any improvements for the campus was shared. Amy M. asked a question concerning LEAD evaluation concerning HISD board approval was cleared by Mr. Platt. Mr. Platt shared a cleared chart concerning Level 2 status for the campus of Love. Students need to be engaged fully by the guidelines of MRS strategy. Amy M. asked if the suggestions concerning MRS strategy was relayed to all teachers and hopefully teachers will not get dinged and it needs to be clarified. Mr. Platt responded that all principals will be trained and will pass this knowledge to their staff and teachers. Clarification concerning field trips and assemblies. Mr. Platt added he would like to have more assemblies to celebrate heritage months throughout the school year. Such as Hispanic Heritage month in September. Meeting in mornings will be the start. Field trips will still happen but will need to be tied into the curriculum and get approval from the district. Mr. Platt added that he has discovered that Love does not have a student handbook and Mr. Platt is developing one with assistance of Field and Harvard sharing theirs. Holiday celebrations will be on the guidance of the district. Dates will be posted per Mr. Platt on when they will occur on campus. The community and family are expecting winter parties/celebrations. Ms. McNeill mentioned attendance is important and families will be able to pick up before winter break starts after 9:30am. Amy mentioned character book parade for Halloween. Mr. Platt stated that will continue at Love. School hours have not changed and because Love is not an NES school the campus will not have extended hours. Love Elementary will keep the same hours.

Mr. Platt asked any questions or concerns. Amy on TEAMS asked if the powerpoint will be shared to the SDMC. Mr. Platt responded yes, in a few days after it is shared with Love Staff. Questions concluded. Mr. Platt ended with a few remarks concerning needing new members for SDMC. Two year terms are up for those members. SDMC next meeting will be in September TBD 2024. Mr. Platt ended the meeting thanking all present and in TEAMS at 11:15am