



T.H. ROGERS SCHOOL

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SDMC MEETING NOTES

October 17, 2023

SDMC members participated in an Icebreaker and notes read aloud by Ms. Williamson.

Ms. Willie spoke about NWEA Map Testing Results 2nd – 8th for Mathematics, Science, and ELAR. Ongoing focus is to continue progression, not regression, for the MOY test. She mentioned that Social Studies testing occurred for grades 2-8 last week through OnTrack since NWEA does not test Social Studies.

Ms. Chenier spoke about the importance for ensuring students are engaged in all classrooms.

Ms. Chenier also shared that we are at a current enrollment of 1059 students, and the importance of ADA. The parent on the TEAMS call posed a question of how to ensure all students and faculty have good attendance. Principal Chenier mentioned that there will be classroom incentives for those with perfect attendance, and we need to start/brainstorm a way of getting the word out to parents prior to the holidays, the importance of their children being on campus in attendance, daily.

Ms. Chenier mentioned that the budget is still not available, and that the school was not held accountable to repay the ADA funds back that would have impacted this year's budget.

Ms. Chenier shared that class-size waivers will be submitted for kindergarten-4th grade classes that have more than 22 students in the class.

Ms. Chenier highlighted some of the SEL initiatives and activities this month in our school, including morning announcements, Character Counts Week, Red Ribbon Week, Alley Theater bullying presentation, and our new Wraparound Specialist.

Mrs. Chenier shared the status of staff vacancies – 1 administrative assistant, 2 clerks, 1 first grade teacher. Offers have been sent and accepted for the administrative assistant, 1 clerk, and the first-grade teacher.

Upcoming School Events –

Oct 23-27 Red Ribbon Week

Nov 3 Indian Dance Cultural Celebration

Oct 27 PTO Community Building Event - Bat Watching

Nov 16 – Thanksgiving Luncheon

*We are in the process of adding additional events to the annual calendar, specifically the Remembrance ceremony.

One of the parents on the committee asked about additional support in the elementary car line in the mornings.

The meeting was adjourned at 5:00 PM.