

1/10/18 SLT Minutes

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*Guest Speaker - Art Swayze

Item Discussed	Action Plan
<p>PRINCIPAL UPDATES DISCUSSION *New IEP teacher selected to fill vacant position</p>	<p>*Parents will be contacted</p>
<p>*Parent advisory meeting has met</p>	<p>*minutes will be posted on the school website - all should look for topics of interest</p>
<p>*submitted a grant for cameras to be installed inside and outside the building</p>	
<p>CEP DISCUSSION</p>	
<p>*20% reduction in all OORS infractions coded A24 and A23 @ PS 24</p> <p>2016-2017 *141 last year - 60% accidents in school *114 of them labeled "less aggressive" A24 *27 of them aggressive A33</p> <p>2017-2018 CURRENTLY *A24 has 75 incidents *A33 has 4</p>	<p>*Parents brought up the use of a PBIS program</p> <p>*Conflict resolution program is in play in the school - building leaders, ambassadors</p> <p>*Kindergarten lunch period has extra support now to ensure safety</p> <p>*Request to rewrite this goal next time - maybe not needed for next year?</p> <p>*Rethink about which data to focus on as a need for the school</p> <p>*SLT is being asked to think about how to restructure this goal</p>
<p>*Collaborative Teachers</p> <p>*90 percent of teachers are overall rated effective *100% of them will turnkey info</p> <p>*Parents are concerned with the amount of ineffective ratings and are concerned with the morale of the teachers. They are concerned with the longevity of the practice of these teachers.</p> <p>*Response was that there has not been an increase in TIP (teacher intervention plan)</p> <p>*Information was given that stated 5 on a TIP at</p>	<p>*This improves the practice of the teachers, sharing best practice</p> <p>*Discussed that teachers are being supported</p>

<p>the beginning of this school year. Of those 5 only 1 has been rated less than effective.</p> <p>*Parent concerned that administration only gets a snapshot and is calling on a few students that perhaps don't give the teachers the rating deserved.</p>	<p>and being rated accordingly.</p>
<p>*Family engagement</p>	<p>*Teachers noticed a turn out - timing is an issue</p>
<p>PROGRESS MONITORING</p>	<p>*Will be done in late February and a MOCK teacher and parent survey will be given and will be reviewed over break - we will be able to discuss the results by end of February</p>
<p>DISCUSSION OF A POTENTIAL SPANISH PROGRAM IN THE BUILDING</p> <p>*online instruction, clubs, multiple times a week, let's start K-2, immersion program</p> <p>*Parents would love it and would rather that than Social Studies.</p> <p>*Teachers discussed once a week was not beneficial.</p> <p>*Response was it would need 3 teachers to do it twice a week.</p>	<p>*Perhaps subcommittee on SLT can form a curriculum committee - SPANISH?</p> <p>*PA asked to look at whether this is dealt with using grant money, outside money</p> <p>*This should be tabled to June due to not knowing where our budget stands today</p>
<p>ASKED TO PUSH REVIEW OF BYLAWS TO NEXT MONTH DUE TO TIME</p>	
<p>ADD TO AGENDA - CAN WE CREATE SUBCOMMITTEES</p>	
<p>PARENT CONCERNS</p> <p>*Parents want to know science grading policy, science curriculum and how to best prepare them for tests and state exams.</p> <p>*Pickup is difficult with the playground in inclement weather</p> <p>*security guards</p> <p>*parents concerned with child ability to use the bathroom</p>	<p>*Meeting has already been scheduled with teachers to discuss area of concern.</p> <p>*Science teachers will email what is being covered.</p> <p>*Science teachers will update website</p> <p>*Suggestion to be nice to one another</p> <p>*We will have conversations with the supervisor of the security agents</p> <p>*Email will be sent to remind staff of this issue.</p>

