**Sandy Springs Middle School Governance Council**

**Meeting Minutes – March 3, 2020**

**7:45AM-8:45 AM**

* **AGENDA ITEMS**

**General Business:**

* + **Approve Minutes**
  + **Approve Agenda**

**Principal Update**

* Coronavirus Update—expect an update from the county.
* Wash your hands for 20 seconds!
* **Interim Principal (Mr. Abaney)—Meet and Greet-Monday, March 9th Afterschool for Parents**

**Election Update**

* **Candidates**-Schuessler and Atkinson; Teacher-Lawhead and Daily.
* **New Principal Selection Committee**—Davis, Caldwell, Couchman, Shurack.

**Budget Review**

* Consolidated Budget: 92.71% of budget goes to salary, 7.29% is non-Personnel items (materials and supplies; custodians),
* We had a decrease in Title 1 money this year.
* Rising 6th graders can take an extra math class during connections (enhanced math) so they can take Algebra during 8th grade. This means we had to hire an extra math teacher.
* No teachers will lose their positions.
* We will find out about seed funding next October.
* Vote

**Strategic Plan revision:** Waiting on District revisions.

**Set next meeting agenda**

* **March 26th is the next date.**
* Meet interim Principal.
* SGC Election Results.
* New Principal Selection Updates.

**Important Dates**

*Get to Know the Candidates: 2/27 – 3/16/2020*

*SGC Voting Period: 3/17 – 3/24/2020*