

Ensign School Community Council Meeting
September 18, 2018
7:30 a.m.
Ensign Conference Room

MINUTES

1. Welcome: In attendance:
 - a. Representatives: Erik Jacobson (principal), George Robison (Chair), Katherine Kennedy (School Board Rep), Amy Fehlberg (PTA rep), Lacey Skipps (parent member), Susannah Seare (parent member), Melissa Riley (previous appointed parent member), Laura Hamilton (SIC rep), Dani Phifer (School staff representative), Juliette White (parent member), Sarah Colonna (parent member), Brianne Emery (parent member), Linda Scholl (parent member),
 - b. Jennifer Schreiter (parent)
 - c. Excused: Carl Whittaker (parent member)

2. Procedural items/ Report from District SCC Meeting
 - a. Sept 5, SCC district meeting was attended by Mr. Jacobson & George Robison:
 - i. training on SCC

3. Principal's Report
 - a. Land Trust/changes: may now be able to use funds for more options such as student incentives.
 - b. SAGE Scores are available online. Further evaluation of data analysis is required prior to the District releasing
 - i. SAGE Scores: <https://datagateway.schools.utah.gov/>
 - ii. Ensign's Scores: <https://datagateway.schools.utah.gov/Assessment/SAGE/2018?leaNum=36&schNum=144>
 - iii. Comparison to schools with the same social demographics: <https://datagateway.schools.utah.gov/Assessment/CompareSchools/2018/GowerComparison?leaNum=36&schNum=144>
 - c. Ensign's scores overall:
 - i. Math growth scores are lower than previous. This is believed to be due to the new math curriculum and Ensign's difficulty in securing District Coaches. Katherine Kennedy offered to look into this issue again for Ensign. This has been an ongoing issue.
 - ii. Preliminary reading data will be available shortly. EEP Goal is for students to have monitoring 3 times per semester. The reading data should be available for the next SCC meeting.
 - d. What Ensign has done and will do:
 - i. Started student groups for interventions. Heather & Miriam will be doing more interventions
 - ii. Focusing on 3rd Grade and earlier for interventions due to it having the greatest impact on student performance.
 - iii. Hired half-time computer para-pro which will free up more time for interventionists to focus on students

- e. SAGE will be replaced with RISE, a different vendor, to provide year-end testing. Utah owns the data/testing questions, so format might look different, believed RISE will return better data.
4. SIC Report: Laura Hamilton is the new SIC representative for this year
- a. No SIC meeting has happened at Ensign yet.
 - b. The SIC will determine if they want to send a lower grade and upper grade representative to SCC meetings or if one representative is sufficient.
5. Shared Governance Handbook:
- a. Timelines & Duties briefly reviewed. Electronic copies sent to all board members.
6. Other Business ...
- a. Elections for SCC Chair
 - i. Linda Scholl nominated and approved new Chair; Brianne Emery nominated and approved new Vice Chair
 - ii. It was decided to not create a formal Secretary position at this time
 - b. Appointment of Members
 - i. Melissa Riley was appointed mid-term and will continue her appointment this year.
 - ii. The parent who ran for SCC and received the 6th most votes will be offered the second appointee position.

Adjourn

Next Meeting: October 16, 2018
 7:30 a.m.