

**Snipes Academy of Arts & Design**  
**School Improvement Team Meeting Agenda and Minutes**  
**Monday at 3:00 pm**

**SIT Team Members**

Principal - Rachel Manning	Assistant Principal - Rachael Beckelhimer
Assistant Principal - Stephanie Willis	Impact Instructional Coaches Maura O'Mahony K-2, Mandi Kausak 3-5
School Counselor -Cora Flottman	Kindergarten - Angel Owen
1st Grade - Kristen Peterson	2nd Grade -Beth Shipp
3rd Grade - Julie Horne	4th Grade - Laura Pawlowski
5th Grade - Courtney Hicks	EC Dept - Nancy Taverna
Enhancement - Stacy Menzies	Paraeducator - Tandi Lehocky

**Staff Members Absent:** Courtney Hicks, Stephanie Willis

**Parent Representatives Present:** N/A

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**Guests Present:** Courtney Levina

Topics	Presenter																																
<b>Celebrations</b> Brigade students return! Cale is COVID symptom free Menzies is getting a puppy Saturday	O'Mahony																																
<b>Next steps from last meeting-</b> Please take these three goals back to your teams and <u>create actions</u> to increase our subgroup data and attendance <b>NC STAR:</b> A2.04 Instructional teams align standard units to instruction to each subject and grade level. A2.16-Units of instruction or activity are aligned with AIG goals, ELL progress, IEP goals and objectives for all students. A1.07-All teachers employ classroom management and reinforce classroom rules and procedures by positively teaching them. E1.06 -The school regularly communicates with parents/guardians	Team																																
<b>Three School Goals-</b> 1. By June 2021, Snipes will increase all student subgroup proficiencies by 10 percentage points from the 2018-2019 Current Student Performance. <table style="margin-left: 40px; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td></td> <td>ALL</td> <td>Black</td> <td>Hispanic</td> <td>Two or more races</td> <td>White</td> <td>EDS</td> <td>SWD</td> </tr> <tr> <td>ELA</td> <td>30.4</td> <td>25.6</td> <td>44.4</td> <td>33.3</td> <td>52.4</td> <td>29.9</td> <td>6.3</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Math</td> <td>34.4</td> <td>32.3</td> <td>38.9</td> <td>&lt;5</td> <td>61.9</td> <td>31.2</td> <td>10.6</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Science</td> <td>43.8</td> <td>41.5</td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td>44.0</td> <td>21.1</td> </tr> </table> 2. By June 2021, all teachers will met or exceed student growth in our overall composite score of 34.1%		ALL	Black	Hispanic	Two or more races	White	EDS	SWD	ELA	30.4	25.6	44.4	33.3	52.4	29.9	6.3	Math	34.4	32.3	38.9	<5	61.9	31.2	10.6	Science	43.8	41.5				44.0	21.1	
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3. By June 2021, we will increase student attendance to reach 95% or greater. We are currently at 85.84%

\*\* Every year we have always been at least 96% in the area of student attendance\*\*

Please take these three goals back to your teams and create actions to increase our subgroup data and attendance

**What actions do we need to meet these goals?**

**EC-** The team is working with the instructional coaches to ability group students and progress monitor appropriately.

**K-** Digging into data, differentiating small groups and being more intentional. We are going to dig into the phonological awareness development.

1- Intentional vocabulary instruction. Continue to build parental engagement.

2- Intentionally add writing into guided reading. Rigor is important and having students explain their thinking in all they do.

3- Open, consistent conversations with EC staff. Teachers will share core slideshows with resource teachers to continue to collaborate.

4- Teachers need to be more intentional with helping students pick books. 3-5 Teachers should utilize readworks passages to increase comprehension.

5- PD specific to each goal; Collaborative PLCs between regular ed and EC/AIG/EL teachers; Parent involvement events (for attendance goal)

**Enhancements-** Support and embed classroom standards in collaboration with teachers into enhancement classes. Help with interventions where appropriate and possible.

**How will we increase our subgroups (IEP, EL, AIG) by 10 percentage points?**

Use formative assessments to plan data-driven instruction that can be adjusted for these subgroups; collaborative meetings between gen ed and AIG/EC/EL teachers to ensure content is appropriate and accessible for the subgroups; provide these students with appropriate feedback and help them to act on it.

**How will we increase attendance?**

**K-** We do believe we have been fixing this issue by changing powerschool within 14 days.

Enhancement teachers or Admin could join zoom to increase excitement to join zooms on remote days.

1- Presents/prizes for parents that drop children off

2- Teachers are trying to hold parents accountable. Email Nurse Karey to contact parents

3- We need to be intentional when we send home attendance information

4- Send home letters for all students that have surpassed 10 days of absences

5- Weekly report to parents with their student's attendance for the week; increase parent buy-in through gift card raffles?; create an easy check in form for Google Classroom/Seesaw.

**How will we meet or exceed growth?**

2- Intentional differentiation, using our resources appropriately, progress monitoring

5- Incorporate specific and personalized small group rotations and interventions into math and reading; Utilizing feedback effectively through teacher-student conferences; use formative assessment data to adjust instruction often. Flexible teaching as a response to instruction.

**Team:**

We MUST build stamina (reteach the learning pit to parents and students)

How can we actively engage all of our students during instruction?

- Turn and talk, whole brain teaching, white boards

FIT referrals are still happening- documentation is required

**Safety-**Make sure you have updated green sheets in crisis binder in case we ever have to stay outside of the building or leave campus. **This binder should have everything in it you need on your students.** Also make sure your “to go” bag is packed as well. Two schools had to evacuate for a

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period of time last week due to gas/generator issues	
<b>Parent Input -</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>N/A</li> </ul>	Team
<b>Next Steps-</b> Dig deeper into grade level PLCs The leadership team will create specific	Team
<b>Plus/Delta</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Birthday surprise</li> <li>On the same page</li> </ul>	Team
<b>Next Meeting: December 14th, 2020</b> <b>Snacks- Angel Owen and Cora Laurens</b>	Team

<b>NC STAR INDICATOR ASSESSMENT WORKSHEET: Draft for discussions</b>
<b>Indicator Being Assessed:</b> <u>When fully implemented:-</u>
<b>Current Level of Implementation:</b>  No Development    Limited                      Fully Implemented
<b>Priority Score:</b>  High: 1                      Medium:2                      Low:3
<b>Opportunity Score:</b>  3: Easy to Address 2: more difficult but can be obtained with current policy or budget 1: Changes will be required to policy and/or budget
<b>Action/Tasks 1</b> What:-  Who is responsible-  Timeline:  Monitor task: (progressing, completed)
<b>Action/Task 2</b> What:  Who is responsible:  Timeline:

Monitor task: (progressing, completed)

**Action/Task 3**

What:

Who is responsible:

Timeline:

Monitor task: (progressing, completed)

**Action/Task 4**

What:

Who is responsible:

Timeline:

Monitor task: (progressing, completed)