

**Spring Branch Middle-043**  
**CIT Meeting**  
**September 20, 2022**

**Minutes**

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Members Present:	Jennifer Taylor, Joan Evans, Maya Franchi, Kayley Hickman, Ashleigh Garrett, Andrea Feruzzo, Charlene Ibanez, Lisa Ortega, Kim Ross
Members Absent:	
Meeting was called to order by:	Catherine Pavone, Building Principal

Ms. Pavone went over CIT general information such as policy and regulation, timelines, meetings, composition, members etc. CIT meetings are already setup. The CIT committee is a 2-year cycle.

The CIP is the Campus Improvement Plan. We are here to help with establishing goals and strategies, allocate funds, monitor progress, and give input at the end of the year. Main goal is to focus on student achievement.

DATA: comparative data for the last 3 years (19-21-22). There is COVID year. We compared SBMS with the district and with the state.

Reading: we made up gains in approaches, meets, and masters. In Math, we went down in meets and masters. Science did pretty good, there are gains. As well as in Social Studies. Gains in approaches, meets, and masters.

Ms. Taylor mentioned that Social Studies is not really taught in elementary. Students come into 6<sup>th</sup> grade with huge deficits. They don't know the continents or civic basics.

Ms. Pavone asks about feedback about this year. Student seemed to be happier and more acclimated to school. Desks are cleaner. There is more structure and school feel safer.

Currently we have the grade levels competing to get a fun BPT outside day. It will be the cleanest lunch.

Ms. Ibanez mentioned about the courtyard keep up. She is trying to get more mowing.

IDs: students are still getting used to them. We may look into getting the plastic cover since some have been breaking easily. It is great to have them so that we know who belongs and who doesn't. TEA will be conducting an audit at some point this week.

Ms. Taylor mentions that she is very happy how this year is going. Ms. Hickman appreciates seeing presence in the hallway, especially in the intersection of A and 200 hallways.

Our CIP is being approved, things such as the police officer and Brig from Solution Tree. We want to work with Brig in how to create and implement how to build a successful intervention program.

Ms. F asked if the dismissal officer is paid by the district or school. Pavone answered that it is the school.

Ms. Evans said she wouldn't like a police officer on campus. Members expressed the benefits of having a police officer.

Ms. Pavone informed about the new hires: Frausto (8<sup>th</sup> Science), Peterson (ICS) and Atasanov (Culinary Arts). Now the library is without an aid, we talked about having parent volunteers work in library.

Ms. Pavone would like to start having Peer Group Meetings. There are ideas about where to have them. Suggestions about having it in auditorium, we should think about the time.