



EIC Agenda and Minutes for 10/18/23



Action Items for IC members: None at this time. We will be furthering our discussion of IC Priorities.

Topics: How to address our priorities effectively.

Attendees: EIC Members
Chair: Patrick McElwee & Chelsea McCoy
CoChair: Reid Figiel
Acting Secretary: Aaron Orosco

Schedule 60 minutes

Meeting to Order

Time	Minutes	Activity
7:30-7:35	5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Call to order

Decision Items

Time	Minutes	Item
		None

Discussion Items

Time	Minutes	Item
7:35-7:40	5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • District Survey - In November <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Window is November 1st -17th (need to come up with a specific date) ○ Complete in Advisory ○ Online district survey ○ Related to Goal 4 • Developing A Focus <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ IC is an action oriented group that is informative about school policies <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Low level items - bell schedule ■ Higher level items - instruction goals (entire school should weigh in, not just IC leadership) ○ Guidelines for IC are based on District Leadership and change based on ideas from who's in charge
7:40-8:25	45	

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Graduate Profile <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ To address Yazzi-Martinez lawsuit ■ We have a large state so each school district would come up with what qualities the curriculum and instruction would look like for graduation ■ Idea will exist at a District level at some point in the future ■ Should be connected to the 90-Day Plan ■ Influences: changing demographics, lower enrollment numbers, online options, charter schools, topics of teaching are not relevant to industry standards (i.e. competing with AI) ■ What are we doing at Eldorado to attract students to choose this school for their education? ○ Coordinating School Leadership Effectively <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ What can we do in our classrooms? ■ What can we do at the school level? ■ Admin responsibilities ■ Department chairs ■ 90-Day Plan - connect the 90-Day Plan across departments <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● How do we make things work more effectively and connected (big picture level) ● Brainstorming <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Science - students should be curious, focus on analysis & core knowledge ○ Social Studies - how do we prepare students to compete with AI, proud of the number of humanities electives, leveraging what we have (best in the district), Eldorado can be a humanities magnet school ○ Coordinate and collaboration between department chairs <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Ex. suicide prevention in health classes ○ PE - broadcasting electives that other schools don't have, learning about yourself and focus on your strengths (focusing on cognitive, beyond course content, life habits) ○ Counseling - life outside of school, not always about academics, unpack life to refocus on school, get rid of the COVID mindset of doing the least amount possible ○ Charter schools & leadership schools - focus more on trades & certifications, bring in industry professionals to teach students trades ○ Real life applications - investing ○ Moving the career fair up to the first semester instead of second semester ○ Promote electives to middle schools <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Develop a strategy to promote our programs across departments
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Adjournment		
Time	Minutes	Item
8:25-8:30	5	Brief Recap, Review Minutes Reminder and Thank yous.

Next meeting: 11/1

Attendance:
<p>Administration: Juan Dominguez-Torres, Rachel Weihe, Angela Adcox, Paul Burrows</p> <p>ATF Rep: Patrick Mcelwee (Chair)</p> <p>Social Studies: Chelsea McCoy (Co-Chair)</p> <p>CTE: Aaron Orosco</p> <p>Math: Rachel Godwin</p> <p>Language Arts: Maria Robinson/ Adrienne Royce</p> <p>Science: Eric Holmes</p> <p>MCL: Israel Ibarra</p> <p>Fine Arts: Emery Edwards</p> <p>PE/Health: Reid Figiel</p> <p>Special Ed/Gifted: Cherie Harris</p> <p>Counseling: Lori Montoya/Kelsea Martinez</p> <p>Parent Rep: TBD</p> <p>Student Rep: Haley King-Mead/Helena Dambmann</p> <p>**Highlight in Yellow = ABSENT**</p>

