

Ramiro Barrera Middle School
"Home of the Titans"



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SBDM PLC **MINUTES**

May 24, 2019

11:00 AM

1. 2019-2020 Staff Development Needs

Teachers were asked for their direct input on which staff development sessions they would like for the 19-20 school year as we did in Feb 2019 SBDM. Mrs. Eleanor Lopez, 8th Gr SS teacher, pointed out that they would like to continue getting staff development on Differentiation of Instruction. Mr. Francisco Garcia, 7th Gr SS teacher, mentioned that after speaking with the ELAR teachers about a Revised ELAR TEKS presentation by Ms. Jody Moreno, that they would like to have her present to the whole staff. Mrs. Maricela Garza, 6th Gr Asst Principal, mentioned that we would like to bring more TEKS Academies from Region One like the Social Studies Academy and Writing Academy (Kemah) but to include Math, Reading, and Science if available.

2. Teacher input on classes by College Bound/Adv/ Regular for next year

Teacher exploratory discussion on having a 3 tier master schedule to include the master, met, and approaches grade level students. Mrs. Lopez expressed a concern of having the strugglers and Sp Ed students grouped together, including classroom management. Mr. Garcia was concerned about the teaching atmosphere of these groups. We asked Mr. Rogelio Ramos, 7th Gr math teacher, for his input since he has been teaching Accelerated Math to 7th grade strugglers. His biggest concern was to make sure students are distributed equitably. Discussion was focused on promoting higher order thinking skills, college readiness, and master grade level for ALL students. All teachers agreed we need to do more for our advanced students.

3. Tuesday, May 28 @ RHS 12:30PM-4PM

Technology Training: Applied Digital Skills and Hyper Slides and Docs

Humberto Alanis, Yolanda Rosa, Osbert Bazan, Alex Guillen, Victor Gtz Jr, Alex Maldonado, Amy Garza

SBDM members were briefed on this upcoming technology training by a Google Representative.

4. Summer Teacher Workshops @ Reg 1 Edingburg, Tx
GEAR UP Teacher Academies, TEA Austin Teacher Institutes

SBMD members were encouraged to promote these Summer 2019 staff development sessions with all teachers. A list of those teachers who have signed up already was provided to them.

5. Next Campus SBDM → Friday, Aug 23, 2019 @ 10AM

6. Other

After announcing next SBDM meeting in Aug 23, 2019, meeting was adjourned.