

# Hasty Elementary – School Council Meeting 12/12/23

## I. Instructional Media Committee

- Added 504 books to the collection – including missing RCD resources.
- SORA books added.
- MakerSpace whole group & individual
- Curated Collections
- Signage to the Nonfiction areas
- Monthly Reading Challenges
- Grade Level Publishing Parties
- Media Center Canvas page (book suggestion Form, updated Media lessons)
- Moved Moring News to Teams
- Virtual (L. Shaefer) and in-person (D. Willoughby – coming soon) authors' visit.
- 79% of the budget has been spent on books – right on target!
- Earned \$2,477.27 profit during Fall Book Fair!
- **Goals:** More signage, authors visits, nonfiction development, & digital citizenship lessons

## II. Instructional updates

### a. Fine Arts Committee

*2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Fine Arts Field Day in September* – tweaks and new stations based on last year's feedback.

1. Funds less substantial based on reusable supplies purchased by grants/sponsors.
2. Lots of collaborative pieces, take-home items
3. Lots of connection to grade-level standards
4. GaDOE Arts Integration Award delivered during FAFD

### b. Reading Committee

- i. Storybook Forest initiative
- ii. Student recognition bulletin board
- iii. Reading incentives

### c. Math Committee

- i. Math Manipulatives Grant from Spring of 2023
  1. \$4,000 received and spent.
  2. i-Ready Rewards class incentives – going well!
  3. Dashing through the Math – holiday-themed math rotations among each grade level

### d. Attendance Committee –

- i. Counselors track attendance daily, send letters home, schedule conferences.
- ii. Monthly attendance bracelets, shoe drawing, donut part, Pack Party recognition
- iii. Dojo points per class for attendance and punctuality
- iv. Social Media posts, posters, Morning News emphasis
- v. Ideas – few temp tattoos for students w/perfect attendance, partner raffle??

### e. Science Committee –

- i. Focus on using science vocabulary – bulletin board.
- ii. Phenomenon & culminating project focus
- iii. StarLap and Rock Cave coming soon!
- iv. STEAM night – “Exploding Baggies” station added.
- v. STEAM Bag will contain take-home supplies after STEAM night.
- vi. Moving focus to science literacy after STEAM night planning is complete.

## III. PTA-Sponsored Events/Fundraisers

- a. Winter Wonderland
- b. General PTA w/3<sup>rd</sup> performance
- c. Family Movie Night
- d. CFA Night
- e. Family Picnic

## IV. Questions

## V. Closing