

# AGENDA

## Sandtown Middle School: School Governance Council

**2/13/24** | 6:00pm | *Virtual* Public may attend the meeting by joining this link: [SGC 2.13.24](#)

### SGC Members

Miranda Freeman,, Principal | Camille Crowder, Chair| Jaynaia Griggs, Co-Chair| Javon Norman, Parliamentarian| Natosha Rucker, Appointed Staff | Sheila Brown, Parent | Diedre Caldwell, Parent | Myana Solomon, Parent| Marcia Green, Teacher| Thomas Morse, Parent | Erika Douglas, Parent | Monica Roberts, Assistant Principal

Time	Item	Owner
6:00pm	Call to Order	Chair: Camille Crowder
6:03pm	Action Item: Review meeting purpose and Norms	Chair: Camille Crowder Parliamentarian: Javon Norman
6:06pm	Action Item: Approve January Minutes	Chair: Camille Crowder
6:10pm	Discussion Item: Planning for Parent/Teacher SGC Elections  * The declaration period for parents and teachers interested in serving on their local SGCs will run from <b>February 5<sup>th</sup> to March 29<sup>th</sup></b> . Click <a href="#">SGC Open Seats</a> to check how many council seats your school has open for these positions in this year's election cycle.	Chair: Camille Crowder Outreach and Communication Committee
6:15 p.m.	Discussion Item: Spring Cross Council meeting reminders  - Meet on 2/28 or 3/1 8:30-11:30 a.m.	Chair: Camille Crowder
6:20 pm	Discussion Item: Planning for Annual Budget Approval	Chair: Camille Crowder

	** FY25 Budget development begins on February 5 <sup>th</sup> and will <b>conclude on February 23<sup>rd</sup> (Elementary Schools), March 1<sup>st</sup> (Middle Schools), and March 8<sup>th</sup> (High Schools)</b> . SGCs should schedule their February and March meetings prior to their budget closure date to ensure the council has time to discuss and approve FY25 fiscal allocations.	Budget and Finance Committee
6:25 p.m.	Discussion Item: Charter Dollar Expenditures Vote and Update  *** All councils must spend the entirety of their Charter Dollars prior to the end of the school year (Charter Dollar expenditures should align with all FCS Contracting requirements and purchase deadlines). See the Charter Dollar Matrix for expenditure suggestions from each FCS district department.	Chair: Camille Crowder
6:30 p.m.	Informational Item: Principal's Update  - Spring Semester School Calendar - ScreenBeam presentation - Semester Action Plan Goals/Initiatives	Principal Freeman ScreenBeam representatives
6:45 p.m.	Informational Item: Superintendent Advisory Council update	T. Morse
6:50 p.m.	Discussion Item: Public Comment	Public
7:00 p.m.	Meeting adjourned	C. Crowder

---

### Meeting Norms

---

Turn on Camera | Mute When Not Speaking | Come Prepared | Be Respectful of Others' Opinions | Work for the Good of All Students | Start and End on Time

## Notes and Reminders

**Pre-Work:** Review November meeting minutes

**Reminders:** Click here to access the district training: [SGC Training](#)

**\*\*\*\* SY23-24 Council Initiatives:** Begin discussions to determine the focus of the council's upcoming work. Lean on your school's Semester Action Plan to ensure the work of the council is aligned with the

goals and initiatives being targeted by the school leaders. Task the council with prioritizing 1 – 2 initiatives the SGC could lead or support throughout the year.

**Notes from Governance and Flexibility:**

\* All Charter Dollar expenditures must be recorded using the Charter Dollar Expenditure Form to maintain adherence to Georgia Sunshine Laws and the FCS Charter Contract. Charter Dollars must be spent in accordance with FCS expenditure guidelines and are subject to the same restrictions as other funds in your cost center. In addition, any purchase made using Charter Dollars must be publicly voted on by your School Governance Council and recorded in your SGC meeting minutes. For examples of district supported Charter Dollars expenditures, please see the Charter Dollar Matrix. **Current budget of: \$46, 390 for SY 23/24 school year.**

\*\* All SGC Websites must be in compliance with Georgia Sunshine Laws. Make sure your SGC website is updated with this year’s council member information (names, FCS e-mail addresses, member positions, term end dates). Also, please be sure that agendas, summaries of action, approved meeting minutes and your annual calendar of meeting times have been posted.

**Meeting Dates**

- 9/19/23 (rescheduled from 9/12/23)
- 10/17/23
- 11/14/23
- 12/12/23
- 1/9/24
- 2/13/24
- 3/12/24
- 4/9/24
- 5/14/24
- 

**SGC Member List**

SGC Members & Email Address	Term End Date
Miranda Freeman, Principal <a href="mailto:FreemanM@fultonschools.org">FreemanM@fultonschools.org</a>	N/A
Camille Crowder, Teacher (Chair) <a href="mailto:CrowderC@fultonschools.org">CrowderC@fultonschools.org</a>	6/30/2025

Jayania Griggs, Vice chair <a href="mailto:griggsj1@fultonschools.org">griggsj1@fultonschools.org</a>	6/30/26
Javon Norman, Parliamentarian <a href="mailto:normanj1@fultonschools.org">normanj1@fultonschools.org</a>	6/30/24
Marcia Green, School Employee-Teacher <a href="mailto:greenm3@fultonschools.org">greenm3@fultonschools.org</a>	6/30/2025
Natosha Rucker, School Employee-Teacher <a href="mailto:ruckern@fultonschools.org">ruckern@fultonschools.org</a>	6/30/2024
Sheila Brown, Parent <a href="mailto:BrownS14@fultonschools.org">BrownS14@fultonschools.org</a>	6/30/2025
Erika Douglas, Parent <a href="mailto:douglaser@fultonschools.org">douglaser@fultonschools.org</a>	06/30/2025
Deidre Caldwell, Parent <a href="mailto:caldwelld@fultonschools.org">caldwelld@fultonschools.org</a>	6/30/2024
Thomas Morse, Community Member <a href="mailto:morseth@fultonschools.org">morseth@fultonschools.org</a>	6/30/2024