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**Marietta Sixth Grade Academy**

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## **2023-24 MSGA SCHOOL GOVERNANCE TEAM (MSGA S.G.T.) meeting minutes**

**Wednesday, March 20, 2024**

**Time: 8:00 AM-8:45 AM**

**Tamara Edwards, Tye Barnett, Leigh Hall, Keynun Campbell, Katelyn Waples, Josh Waters, Carolyn Smallwood**

**Members in attendance: Edwards, Katelyn Waples, Tye Barnett, Josh Waters, Campbell, Leigh Hall**

1. **Call To Order**-Introduce our guest Miriam White
2. **Review And Approval of Agenda approved**
3. **Minutes – 1/17/24**
4. **Principal's Report**
  - a. Science of Reading
    - i. Understanding of how our students learn to read
    - ii. It is a way to equip educators to use skills and strategies to improve literacy. Pronounce, see words, sound words out, etc.
    - iii. Reading intervention specialists at elementary schools K-3
    - iv. Matriculation into 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup> and now focus on secondary level
    - v. Searching for pedagogy and delivery of strategies/skills for teachers so they can understand SoR at secondary level
    - vi. 3 buckets of training
      1. Reading interventions, ESOL, Sped
      2. ELA teacher
      3. All teachers
    - vii. Elementary partnered with Cox Campus



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b. Review of Show on the Road & Blue Devil Showcase Preview Night

i. Show on the Road

1. Strand Theater – GA Council of the Arts
2. All 5<sup>th</sup> grade came to theater
3. It was received well by students and our students performed well
4. Tech went well, support from Strand, CO, elementary support, etc
5. Created a field trip aspect for rising 6<sup>th</sup> grade students
6. It made it feel like a performance for 6<sup>th</sup> grade students
7. MSGA Show at the Strand

ii. Preview Night

1. Kids – performing – did a lot in a short time
2. Shapes the culture of the school
3. Attendance was down

c. AMLE-assessment results

- i. Discussion tied to PP from faculty meeting
- ii. Internal newsletter for MSGA

d.

**5. Testing Coordinator – Miriam White**

- a. Formal standard tests
- b. District 6<sup>th</sup> grade – MAP, Gifted, Access, Milestones

**6.**





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**The M.S.G.A. Governance Team will meet again April 17, 2024 8:00 am**



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