

SIT meeting
Microsoft Teams
10/29/2020

Present: Ms. Baumann, Mr. Black, Mr. Dixon, Ms. Faucette, Ms. Gerring, Ms. Jacobs, Ms. King, Ms. Long-Galberth, Mr. Martin, Ms. S. Parker, Ms. Rickman, Ms. Royal, Ms. Seeber, Ms. Spake, Ms. Stalls, Ms. Thacker

Absent: Ms. Colvin, Mr. Jackson, Ms. N. Parker, Ms. Rosado

Mr. Dixon called the meeting to order at 2:30.

Celebrations: Our SEL team has been doing great work to encourage the teachers on a weekly basis.

Last meeting's minutes were reviewed and approved.

Review and respond to coaching comments:

Mr. Harvey suggested adding as a goal:

Assess Indicators A2.26 All teachers and teacher teams plan instruction with a curriculum guide that includes methods to enhance student motivation to learn.(5342)

Mr. Dixon opened the floor for discussion. Ms. Faucette pointed out that we are planning with curriculum in mind but student motivation is an opportunity for us. Ms. Seeber suggested it be placed as a medium priority goal because curriculum guides provide so many activities and teachers are already choosing the ones they believe will increase student engagement. Ms. Spake shared a positive experience related to student engagement. Mr. Dixon also suggested marking it as medium priority because it can be directly addressed and can result in increased student learning. Ms. Stalls shared a cross-curricular example from last year demonstrating how they increased motivation by connecting abstract ideas to concrete learning. Ms. Rickman shared some recent PD about how hands-on experiences will help with engagement and comprehension.

Goal was marked as medium priority. Mr. Martin and Ms. Stalls will share responsibility for creating plans and tasks for this goal and reaching out to the staff and will provide an update by 11/30.

Other business:

Foust needs to create a COVID goal.

Ms. Stalls shared that switching rosters as well as current uncertainty about school opening has had an affect on student participation in 1st grade because of confusion of students and

parents. Ms. Spake shared a similar experience in 2nd grade. Mr. Dixon also shared that kindergarten students who are attending in person may not be logging on in the afternoon. Ms. Jacobs suggested our COVID preparations and video could be part of our COVID goal. Mr. Dixon pointed out that we are unsure about the metrics and asked Ms. Jacobs to look at other schools and have an idea of what some other goals are and have it set by end of day 10/30/2020.

Ms. Long-Galberth is working on correlating PBIS goals and SEL goals.

We will create corresponding indicators for SEL and COVID goals by EOD tomorrow 10/30/2020

Meeting adjourned at 3:11.

Respectfully submitted by Kari Baumann