School Improvement Council
Meeting Minutes

Date: May 19, 2025

In attendance: Vicki Goude, Alicia Rouse, Kay Bodine, Elizabeth Harley, Grace Heise, Tricia Fidrych, Matthew Fletcher

Welcome & Introductions

Approval of Minutes and Agenda

Principal's Report - Old Business:

- Teacher Appreciation Week – games and prizes for teachers
- SCREADY and iReady testing complete. We have some early scores in Math and ELA in 3rd grade due to Read to Succeed law. We have 70 students in grades 3-5 but only students who have been at our school since the 45th day and ML students who have been here for at least two years.
- Incentives for testing
- SIC Report has been sent to parents

New Business:

- New Year Plans – Next year, we will house the Early Childhood Offices in our building. They will be in the tower. This will result in several teachers moving classrooms. They should put up a wall so that entrance is especially for the Early Childhood Offices. We are waiting to hear how much staff they'll bring but there's a total of 26 people in that department. We'll have 3 fewer staff members next year.
- Title 1 Survey – 88 parents completed. 93% feel welcome and 3% disagree. 87% feel their child is safe. 80% feel comfortable coming to our school. Receive written communication in my language –97%. Attend school-based meeting – 67%. Familiar with School-Parent Compact – 63%. 76% notified if their child has academic difficulty. Kept informed of school activities – 87%. Academic progress – 83%. We explain curriculum and programs 75%. Excellent learning environment 77%. Meets academic needs of students 77%. 84% fine-arts programs. 93% access to technology. Recognized for positive behavior – 93%. Overall school performs well academically 73%.
- Comments ranged from communication to Academic Arts to teacher quality in our school. Also, comments about BCSD regarding quality of district and communication. We'll use comments to prioritize needs for our school next year in SIC.
- If we could have an ESS employee here, that may entice students to stay for afterschool events like STEM nights and parents to attend.
- Next year, we'll work to make sure parents understand the School-Parent Compact.