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# Board Agenda

Saturday, February 18, 2023. 9:00am

## I. Call to Order

## II. Roll Call

## III. Review minutes from the previous meeting on Saturday, December 10, 2022

## IV. NLAE Mission

## V. NLAE Updates

- MTSS Implementation
  - Tier 2 and Tier 3 Interventions and Support
- Lunar New Year Week - Jan 17 - 20, 2023
  - "Year of the Rabbit"
- Honor Roll Assembly - Jan 20, 2023
- Digital Learning Day #3 - Feb 3, 2023
  - iReady Mid-year training
    - Facilitator: Nia Buchanan
- Black History Month Program - Feb 23, 2023
  - "A Moment in Time"
- NLAE SY 22-23 Survey Results (Parent/Student/Personnel)

## VI. Enrollment

- In-Person School Tours
  - Every Tuesday and Thursday in January 2023, 9:30am
  - March 17, 2023 (Digital Learning Day #4)
- Current Enrollment 2022-23
- Re-enrollment for SY 23-24
- Open Enrollment for SY 23-24
- Projected Enrollment for SY 23-24
- Public School Lottery for SY 23-24 Update, February 7, 2023
- Ongoing Waitlist

## VII. PBIS Updates

- Doughnut Day - Krispy Kreme
- Waffle Bar - Waffle House
- Discipline Report
- PBIS in the lunch room
  - Hired two Paraprofessionals
  - Acoustic Panels for Lunch room

## VIII. Testing/Assessment Updates

- GCPS Common Formative Assessments (CFAs)
- GCPS Milestones:
  - Mon, February 27, 2023: 3rd-8th ELA
  - Tue, February 28, 2023: 3rd-8th MATH
  - Wed, March 1, 2023: 5th & 8th Science
  - Mon, March 6, 2023: 8th Social Studies
- Gifted Assessment
- GA Milestones Window: April 24 - May 19, 2023



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- SY 23-24 Teacher Recruitment
  - KSU Job Fair - January 26, 2023
  - UNG Job Fair - February 13, 2023
  - UWG Job Fair - February 28, 2023
  - UGA Job Fair - March 15, 2023
- GTES
  - 2 Brief Observations
  - 1 Formative Evaluation
  - 1 Summative Assessment
  - Evaluation Conference
- Admin/Support Staff Letter of Intent given out on Feb 1, 2023
- Paraprofessional & Teacher Letters of Intent given out on Feb 15, 2023
- Offer letters to be given out on March 15, 2023
- Teacher Contracts to be given out on March 29, 2023

## X. School Nutrition Program Update

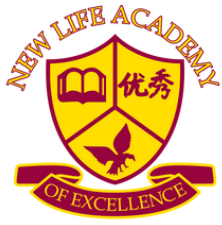
- 248 Free/Reduced Lunch applications
  - 230 Free Students (41.3%)
  - 57 Reduced (10.2%)
  - Free/Reduced Percentage of School: 51.5%
  - 270 Full Pay (48.5%)
- Average Daily Lunch Participation: 245 Students
- Salary for School Nutrition Director
- Cafeteria Support Workers
- Request for Bid Process to start in Spring 2023

## XI. Academic Updates

- Mid-Year iReady Results
- Grade Recovery
- Summer School
- Before and After-school Tutoring

## XII. Facilities Update

- Future Site Update
- HVAC Replacement - Approval Needed
- GaDOE ESSER Facility Grant Awarded \$50,037
- Letter of Intent Accepted by owner to purchase a new facility for School Expansion.
- Special Use Permit - City of Duluth
  - Request to amend current Special Use Permit to extend use of four modular units an additional two years.
  - Request a new special use permit for a new school facility
- Phase I and Risk Hazard Analysis
- GaDOE Site Approval
- CEO Authorization



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## XIII. Financial Update

- Financial Report

## XIV. Board Updates

- Whole Board Training (Mandatory) : March 18, 2023
  - Through Georgia School Board Association
  - 9:00am to 12:00 pm

## XV. Adjournment