

Woodstock High School

SY 2025 – 2026

School Council Meeting Minutes

Thursday, November 6, 2025

Council Members:

Present:

- Chantel Adams
- Laura Antonelli
- Kellie Baglio
- Justin Bennett
- Dr. Amina Borrero
- Lisa Diaz
- Ashley Grier
- Lisa Harrell
- Velina Popova
- Lauren Williams

Absent:

- Jennifer Kistler

Minutes:

1. Mr. Ingham welcomed everyone to School Council and highlighted what would be covered in this meeting
2. Highlights from S1:
 - a. Senior Sunrise was the most well attended
 - b. First day of 2025-2026 SY, painting the rock
 - c. Club Rush for all of our students with Library Ambassadors and Reading Club
 - d. We have offered NJROTC, Latin and French to 8th grade students
 - e. Community Pep Rally
 - f. Student attendance at all events is up, most events have increased by 14%+ over last year
 - g. Every program has seen growth and is improving over previous years
 - h. The band playing for all of the elementary schools, Band is also Grand Champion
 - i. \$7,000 donation to St. Jude with partnership with Etowah
 - j. Trunk or treat was very well attended even with the rain
 - k. Zahir Herrera is Support Member of the Year and Maisie Slomkowski is Teacher of the Year
 - i. Mr. Ingham noted that Kellie Baglio will be rolling off of School Council and Maisie Slomkowski will be coming on board with the next meeting
 - l. Awareness day was well attended at Creekview
 - m. Blood Drive had more blood given this year than in previous years
 - n. STEM Project with Worm Castings is going well and getting a new home built soon
 - o. Law Enforcement Partnership has been very good for all stakeholders
 - p. Overall learning is happening everywhere
3. Facilities Update on the new building
 - a. Certificate of Occupancy is expected soon
 - b. Furniture for the Courtyard has been ordered
 - c. Tour of Building will happen at next School Council Meeting

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- d. Photo overview of campus from drone photography
- e. The reason ESPLOST is important and what it will mean to updates for the facilities

4. Woodstock High School: School Improvement Plan

- a. CCRPI for last year is a marked improvement over previous year. Progress is already being made to move the scores even further.
- b. Attendance rate was 95% for October, the day most attended each week is Wednesday. August was odd with Tuesday being the most attended day followed closely by Friday.
 - i. We have advisement on Wednesday which may or may not play into improved attendance on given day
- c. Current Grade distribution: 43% A; 29% B; 15% C; 1% D; 12% F
- d. Discipline Referrals are at 250 as of today. Most often seen offenses is Dress Code, Minor Disturbance, Subversive Behavior, Actions that Endanger/Rough Housing. Lunch Detention reduces discipline referrals by 30%.
- e. Graduation Rate: 96% for SY25; Our economically disadvantaged students have increased to near 37%
- f. SAT/ACT Score are an area in need of improvement.
- g. Amina Borrero asked if do additional research to find out how students are doing once they have graduated from high school.
 - i. Mr. Ingham responded that the CCRPI is an indicator of how well students are prepared when they leave high school. SLDS tracks students if they attend a GA College or Technical School, but unknown where data is housed.
 - ii. Velina Popova stated that there are many factors once students reach higher education that contribute into student success or failure.

5. Items on the Horizon:

- a. Food Bank changes are coming. PTSA is working on a Food Drive. A meeting to be held in the near future.
- b. Basketball home games are starting of the season.
- c. End of 1st Semester & Final Exams (December 16th – 19th)
- d. Registration for SY26-27, offerings are being solidified with a new Nursing Pathway and EMT Pathway being added. Elective Fair timeline and Registration procedures are discussed.
 - i. Ashley Grier asked about how Special Education is handled.
 - ii. Mr. Ingham covered the different levels of Special Need classes offered.
- e. Research Pathway is growing even with the lower enrollment of students this year.

6. Community Partnerships Strengthening:

- a. Matched for Good – Partnership with Kennesaw State University
 - i. Students are working on a Community Service Project
- b. International Rescue Committee (IRC) – Wednesday, November 12th
- c. Questions over Coffee
 - i. Currently being planned with key personnel to support students and parents

Mr. Ingham concluded the meeting.