

EPLC

Educational Programs Leadership Council - The Grosse Pointe Public School System

Meeting Minutes
Date: April 2, 2025
1:00pm-4:00pm
Barnes PLS

Meeting was called to order at 1:02 p.m.

Present: Cindy Parravano, Sara Dirkse, Katy Vernier, Meloney Cargill, Bethany Derringer, Courtney Dykstra, Pam Albrecht, Andrea Doherty, Andrea Gruenwald, Lisa Khoury, Brian Levinson, Ryan Boyd, Alejandro Delgado, Natalie Vessel, Sara Delgado, Chris Stanley, Lillie Loder, Emily Rennpage, Jodie Randazzo, John Kernan, Mandy Grattan

I. INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS

- **Jodie Randazzo (presentation on MAISA Social Studies)**
- **John Kernan (presentation on MAISA Social Studies)**
- **Mandy Grattan (studying leadership, came with approval of mentor Sara Delgado)**

II. ACTION ITEMS

A. Approval of Agenda for April 2, 2025

Meloney Cargill approved, Andrea Gruenwald seconded. No discussion. All approved. Motion passed.

B. Approval of Minutes from [March 5, 2025](#)

Cindy Parravano approved, Brian Levinson seconded. No discussion. All approved. Motion passed.

C. Elementary Social Studies

1. [Slide Presentation](#)
2. [EPLC/School Board Memo](#)

[April 2 Memo to EPLC - Social Studies](#)

Presentation was given, motion to approve was proposed by Sara Delgado. The motion was approved by Lisa Khoury and seconded by Andrea Doherty. After a group discussion a vote was taken with the result of 13 yes's and 1 no. Motion passed.

III. INFORMATION AND DISCUSSION

A. 5th-12th grade Social Studies update

1. Middle School will be carrying Phase 2 into the 25-26 school year with a full access pilot of TCI for Middle School Social Studies teachers. All

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kids 5th-8th grade. No cost for the year.

2. High School will likely have something for EPLC on May 7

B. MICIP activity

1. Secondary PSAT/SAT Data Dig
2. Review [PSAT/SAT Data](#) for Fall 2024. Discussing noticing and wonderings regarding the data with your group. [Take your notes here](#). Be prepared to discuss.
3. [Share Out Activity](#)

Group activity to review data and discuss findings. Each table focused on one school, took notes, and shared findings with the group as a whole.

C. Cognia Accreditation Task

1. New Timeline - Cognia pushed their review meeting with us to the Fall (2025) due to their calendar issues AND wanting it to align with the Early Learning Review for Barnes. We will still have all K-12 items wrapped up by the end of this school year but the meeting with them will occur in the Fall.
2. Review [Stakeholder Survey](#) that was conducted in Spring 2024. Take notes [here](#). Keep these questions in mind:
 - a) What are areas of noteworthy achievement? What successes are highlighted?
 - b) What do stakeholders feel needs improvement? What had overall low ratings?
 - c) What is consistent with other data sources?
3. Review DRAFT of [Narrative and Theory of Action](#) for Stakeholder Survey
 - a) provide feedback to draft AFTER reviewing the survey - do you agree, disagree, should other things need to be added?(1) ONE notetaker from each table. Use the Comment feature.

Group activity to review data and discuss findings. Each table focused on the survey, took notes, and shared findings with the group as a whole.

Next Meeting - May 7, 2025 8:30am-11:30am

- **MICIP**
- **Cognia Accreditation**
- **Elementary Program of Studies**

IV. ADJOURNMENT

Meeting was adjourned at 3:28 p.m.