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Please tell us who completed this form for the Midtown Cluster Advisory Team.

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Cluster Advisory Team Officers

Please select the officers for the 2023-2024 Midtown Cluster Advisory Team

The CAT will have a Chair, Vice-Chair, and Secretary.

The Chair and Vice-Chair must be a combination of one (1) principal and one (1) cluster rep. The Secretary can be either a principal or a cluster rep from the remaining CAT members not chosen as Chair or Vice-Chair.

Each officer will be elected from among the CAT members at the first meeting of each new school/fiscal year for APS. Each officer will serve for a term of one year. Each officer will serve until a successor is elected and qualified, or until said officer resigns or is removed from office.

No officer may hold more than one position on the CAT at the same time. Only one CAT member may occupy an officer position at any time.

The CAT Chair is the leader of the CAT and presides at all CAT meetings.

The CAT Vice-Chair assists the CAT Chair in providing leadership to the CAT and presides at all meetings of the CAT in the absence of the Chair.

The CAT Secretary is responsible for ensuring that the CAT utilizes Robert's Rules of Order and follows Georgia Open Meetings and Open Records laws. The Secretary is also responsible for distributing meeting notices and meeting minutes in a timely manner.

4. Who will serve as the Chair? *

☐ Stephanie Hodges

☐ Jessica Olowoyo

☐ Tekeshia Hollis

☐ Dr. Betsy Bockman

☐ Keisha Gibbons

☐ Sharyn Briscoe

☐ Audrey Sofianos

☐ Dr. Jennifer Toney

☐ Terry Harness

☐ Faith Wilbanks

☐ Eric Goldberg

☐ Ashley Anderson

☒ Kristy Perez

☐ Jenny Reiner

☐ Ryan Lisbon

☐ Other

5. Who will serve as the Vice-Chair? *

☐ Stephanie Hodges

☐ Jessica Olowoyo

☐ Tekeshia Hollis

☐ Dr. Betsy Bockman

☐ Keisha Gibbons

☐ Sharyn Briscoe

☐ Audrey Sofianos

☐ Dr. Jennifer Toney

☒ Terry Harness

☐ Faith Wilbanks

☐ Eric Goldberg

☐ Ashley Anderson

☐ Kristy Perez

☐ Jenny Reiner

☐ Ryan Lisbon

☐ Other

6. Who will serve as the Secretary? The Secretary cannot also serve as Chair or Vice-Chair. *

☐ Stephanie Hodges

☐ Jessica Olowoyo

☐ Tekeshia Hollis

☐ Dr. Betsy Bockman

☐ Keisha Gibbons

☐ Sharyn Briscoe

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☐ Other

Confirm Meeting Schedule

The proposed meeting schedule for the Midtown Cluster Advisory Team follows:

CAT Meeting 1 of 3: Thursday, October 19, 2023 | 4:30

CAT Meeting 2 of 3: Wednesday, November 29, 2023 | 4:30 PM

CAT Meeting 3 of 3: Thursday, March 7, 2024 | 4:30 PM

Please provide the preferred date for the CAT if any of the above are not acceptable or if they cannot otherwise be confirmed.

7. If October 19th does not work, please provide the preferred date for Meeting 1.

Please input date (M/d/yyyy)



8. If November 29th does not work, please provide the preferred date for Meeting 2.

Please input date (M/d/yyyy)



9. If March 7th does not work, please provide the preferred date for Meeting 3.

Please input date (M/d/yyyy)



Cluster Priorities

The 2022-2023 Midtown Cluster Priorities were:

Priority 1: STEM Implementation: Leaders ensure that all stakeholders have ongoing opportunities to access information and learn about STEM implementation

Priority 2: Build cross-cluster engagement opportunities for students, staff, families, and neighborhoods

Please review your 2022-2023 progress and determine if you will continue these priorities and/or identify new/different priorities for 2023-2024.

10. What is the Midtown Cluster Priority 1 for 2023-2024? *

STEAM Implementation: Leaders ensure that all stakeholders have ongoing opportunities to access information and learn about STEAM implementation.

11. What is the Midtown Cluster Priority 2 for 2023-2024? *

Build cross-cluster engagement opportunities for students, staff, families, and neighborhoods.

Examples - Cluster Wide Communication to inform all communities about upcoming events, not just the school event; STEAM Cluster Night; Cluster Art Night

12. What challenges in your cluster, if any, hinder all students from achieving at high levels?

*Advanced Mathematics opportunities in Middle School through High School.

*Clear direction and understanding on all mathematic options; Messaging needs to be K-12

*Providing opportunities for Elementary parents/guardians to learn about Middle and High School Opportunities.

13. How do you see your role as CAT members in solving those challenges?

We should work collaboratively as a think tank to solve problems. Our GO Team concerns should be brought to the CAT. These concerns may be unique to the school but many concerns will probably affect the cluster. We should also be engaged in the superintendent search.

14. How can we make Cluster Advisory Teams and the meetings more meaningful?

Perhaps by giving all school an opportunity to share out. Setting dates and timelines for implementation on cluster wide events.

15. Is there anything else the Midtown Cluster would like to share?

Anything that we need to know that may impact enrollment, we need to know well in advance so we can anticipate those impacts.

More corporate partnerships within the midtown cluster.

Phasing out of CARES funding and how it is phasing out of non-title 1 schools.