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Meeting Minutes from School Council Meeting held on

November 10, 2025 @ 2:40 pm

In the Garrett Media Center

People Present at the Meeting: Dr. Steele, Ms. Diamone Engram, Ms. Shannon Bush, Dr. Chantel Scott, Mrs. Lisa Hanson, and Ms. Stacey M. Walk.

Absent: Mr. Julian Battle, Mrs. Carmen Davis, and Mrs. Lizzie Simmons.

The meeting was called to order by Ms. Walk. Ms. Walk went over the agenda that included the purpose of the school council meetings, the by-laws, and the code of ethics. Ms. Walk then proceeded to go through the state of Garrett Elementary with a PowerPoint that included the demographics of Garrett Elementary, funding for the school, attendance and discipline for the school. She went through the school wide data for I-ready reading and math and she discussed parts of the school improvement plan for 25 – 26 school year.

The council went on to discuss what they wanted to focus on and that was school wide attendance for students and teachers. Dr. Steele spoke of ways the church could help with student and teacher attendance. For the students, he needed a list of things that would be of interest to the students and he would present the list to his church to see who would be interested in purchasing items to go onto the cart for the school store. For the teachers, we discussed making criteria on how would we know which teacher is making progress for the attendance. We would then have different things set up to reward teachers who had made the commitment to come to work consistently.

Our next meeting date is December 8, 2025 @ 2:40 pm in the Media Center.



