

Hope Hill Elementary

Date: 4/15/26

Time: 6:00 pm

Location: Virtual, YouTube Live

I. Call to order: 6:01 pm

II. Roll Call

Role	Name <i>(or Vacant)</i>	Present or Absent
Principal	Keisha Knight	Present
Instructional Staff, Chair	Kristen Lyle	Present
Parent/Guardian, Vice Chair	Brittany Martin	Present
Instructional Staff, Secretary	Stephanie Curtis	Present
Parent/Guardian	Alex Wu	Present
Parent/Guardian	Mamatha Appikonda	Absent
Instructional Staff	Nigér McMath	Present
Community Member	Dr. Roger Harris	Absent
Community Member	Rev. Donavan J. Pinner	Present
Swing Seat	Amber Mungin-Davis	Present

Establish Quorum, Established: Yes

III. Action Items

A. Approval of Agenda

Motion to Approve Agenda made by: Rev. Pinner

Seconded by: Ms. McMath

Members Approving: All

Members Opposing: None

Members Abstaining: None

Motion Passes

B. Approval of Previous Minutes

Motion to Approve Minutes made by: Ms. McMath

Seconded by: Rev. Pinner

Members Approving: All

Members Opposing: None

Members Abstaining: None

Motion Passes

IV. Discussion Items

A. 2026 Spring MAP Results

Principal Knight presented the results. Only K-2 took the Spring MAP. Principal Knight also shared the current CCRPI Attendance Rate.

The 2nd grade results are the most comparable when looking at growth over the year. Some impacts to the 2nd grade ELA results are the new standards and ELA curriculum, as well as the change for 2nd grade of moving from being read to / listening comprehension to reading the test content independently. For Math, the standards changed last year, so teachers are more comfortable with the new content, which is reflected in the growth this year.

Reading will not be used this year for CCRPI because of the changes. 5th grade students will have the ability to retake the Math GMAS (Georgia Milestones) if they fall in the Beginning category.

B. Pulse Check: Planning for 2026-2027

The team discussed the data trends and resulting good news / areas of opportunity. The team observed Math results trending in the right direction. 45% of the 2nd graders are on level in Math. Attendance is also trending up, but not yet to our goal. Teachers are consistently invested in their students.

Principal Knight noted that our trend of Math results exceeding Reading was consistent with the majority of other APS schools. She will be discussing specifically the 2nd grade results with her Principal peers.

Some of the opportunities noted are with the Reading results. The team suggested leveraging the small group initiatives that were used in Math, extension activities for the Proficient and above, scientific and high-interest

reading, informal reading (not assessed) to build confidence, use of Amira fluency and decodables, connecting reading to STEAM and Math activities, cusp group buddies, and using AR/Beanstack tools to incentivize reading. The team also discussed the use of technology and the differences in how we use technology during teaching & learning vs. assessment. Time and coverage resources are always needed to allow teachers more time for intense planning and unpacking; Principal Knight is intending for the full-time sub to support some of this next year.

Mr. Wu suggested that it is useful to look at the data over 3-5 years to see bigger trends as well as actual student numbers vs. percentages. When comparing the current 5th Grade ELA results to the same cohort's 2nd Grade ELA results, there is significant growth.

V. Information Items

A. Principal's Report

i. 2025-2026 Family Engagement and/or Partnership Highlights

Principal Knight shared updates to school operations and events.

B. Cluster Advisory Team Meeting Report - 3/4/2026 and 4/21/2026

The main focus has been about e-splot. The CAT agreed that addressing Midtown High School overcrowding and Hope-Hill renovation needs are priorities.

C. GoTeam Elections

VI. Announcements GoTeam members should complete end of year surveys and training.

VII. Public Comments No comments were submitted for this meeting.

VIII. Adjournment

Motion to Adjourn made by: Brittany Martin

Seconded by: Niger McMath

Members Approving: All

Members Opposing: None

Members Abstaining: None

Motion Passes

ADJOURNED AT 7:49 pm

Minutes Taken By: Stephanie Curtis

Position: Go Team Secretary, Instructional Staff

Date Approved:

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