



Margaret Landell Elementary School

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School Site Council Meeting Minutes

February 20, 2025

3:00 p.m.

I. Opening

- a. Call to order 3:04 p.m.
- b. Attendees: Vanessa Freedman, Sean Kennedy, Fernando Sintora, Dana Gonzalez, Gina Rush, Mary Hein, Brittney Cook, Monika Shah, Ali Qureshi, Rahul Shirale

II. Approval of Minutes

- a. Minutes approved as it stands. Ms. Cook motioned, Mr. Qureshi seconded.

III. Public Input

- a. No public input.
- b. Google form for public input was posted on the Landell website one week prior to meeting and no responses were submitted.

IV. Information/Discussion

a. Purpose of School Site Council

- i. Annually review the comprehensive school safety plan.
- ii. Annually, (and at each semester, trimester, etc.), evaluate the progress made towards school goals to raise the academic achievement of all students.

b. 2024/25 School Goals

- i. All teachers will provide direct instruction using thinking maps and write from the beginning.
- ii. Regular classroom visits and observations.
- iii. Collection of writing samples.
- iv. Individual meetings with Principal to discuss data.
- v. All teacher will provide small group differentiated instruction, with a focus on increasing the rigor of assignments in student work stations.
- vi. Regular classroom visits and observations.
- vii. Teachers are using Rubrics to assess student progress

c. 2023/24 CAASPP Data

- i. CSD and Landell Math data presented.
- ii. Math textbooks are reaching the end of life. There will be a Math textbook adoption for all grades soon.

- iii. CSD and Landell ELA data presented.
- iv. ELA STAR progress check, overall scores are improving.



ELA STAR Progress Check

		% of Students >50th PR Administration 1	% of Students >50th PR Administration 2 (December 2023)	% of Students >50th PR Administration 3 (April 2024)
		% of Students >50th PR Administration 1 (August 2024)	% of Students >50th PR Administration 2 (October 2024)	
Total Grades 1-6	2023/24	82.80%	84.38% (↑ 1.57%)	85.44% (↑ 2.64%)
	2024/25	87 %	91% (↑ 4%)	
Total Grades 3-6	2023/24	82.06%	82.24% (↑ 0.17%)	83.70% (↑ 1.64%)
	2024/25	87 %	90% (↑ 3%)	

d. Review of 2024/25 Landell Comprehensive School Safety Plan

- i. Reviewed Social Environment Goals.

- ii. Student Council to make skit on PBIS respect on PAWS
- iii. Build out a PBIS Family handbook.
- iv. Process to standardize PBIS, and add more things to the PBIS Store.
- v. Monika Shah volunteered to help PTA with ordering items for the PBIS store.

V. Closing

- a. Review the School Site Safety Plan for approval at next meeting.

VI. Next Meeting

- March 13, 2025

VII. Adjournment

- a. February 20, 2025 at 4:16p.m.