



SSAC Report

(Superintendent Student Advisory Council)

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AGENDA

This presentation will cover:

- A. Purpose of the SSAC
- B. Second Meeting Recap
 - a. Welcome Back & Working Agreements
 - b. Board Presentation Review
 - c. Generating Learning Partners
 - d. Combined Themes Exercise
 - e. Peer Input Homework
- C. Greenbrier Reflection & Feedback
- D. Thomas Reflection & Feedback



PURPOSE OF THE SSAC?

What is the purpose of the SSAC?



Superintendent Student ADVISORY Council

- 39 students from across the District
- 5th - 8th graders
- Interviewed with District 25 Administration

Student Voice

- We will meet throughout the year.
- Present at Board Meetings
- ADVISE the Superintendent using our experiences.
- Bring student VOICE to the leaders of our District.





SECOND MEETING RECAP

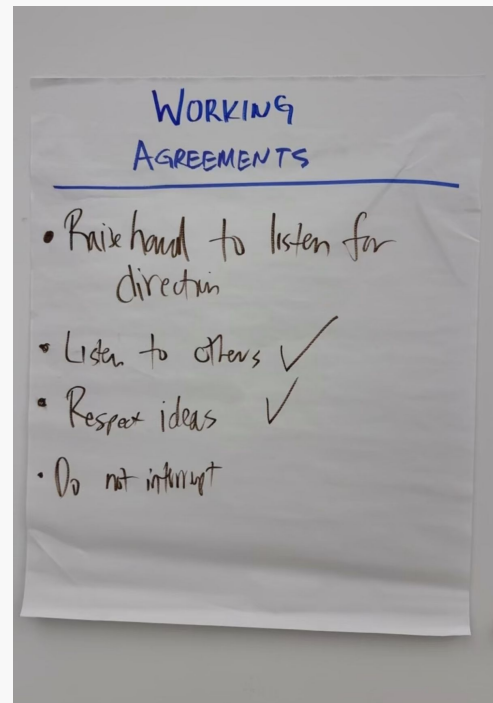


Meeting Set Up

- Welcome Back

Working Agreements

- Re-establishing our agreements
- Helps the flow of our meeting
- All ideas are heard





Review of Sept 29 Board Presentation

- SSAC Members Presented:
 - What was it like?
 - What tips do you have?
 - Paint a picture

Watched some of their presentation:

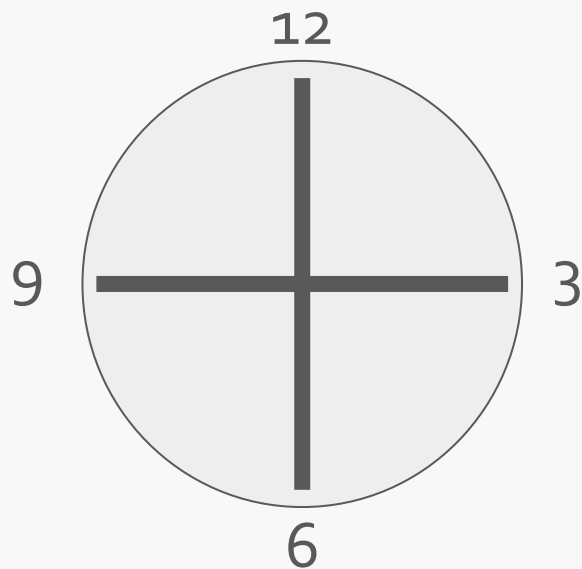
- Can make mistakes
- Great to visually see what to expect
- Calmed any nerves





Clock Method

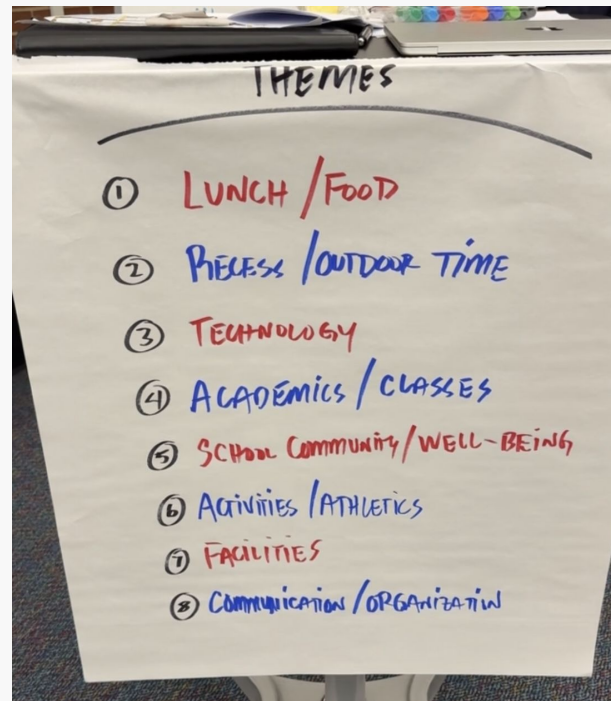
- Write people's names on the clock - 12, 3, 6, and 9.
- Solved an issue.
- Working together no matter who your partner is.





Revealed themes from last meeting

- Dr. Kaye and his team took our feedback and generated themes from it
 - Lunch/Food
 - Recess/Outdoor Time
 - Technology
 - Academics/Classes
 - School Community/Well-Being
 - Activities/Athletics
 - Facilities
 - Communications/Organization



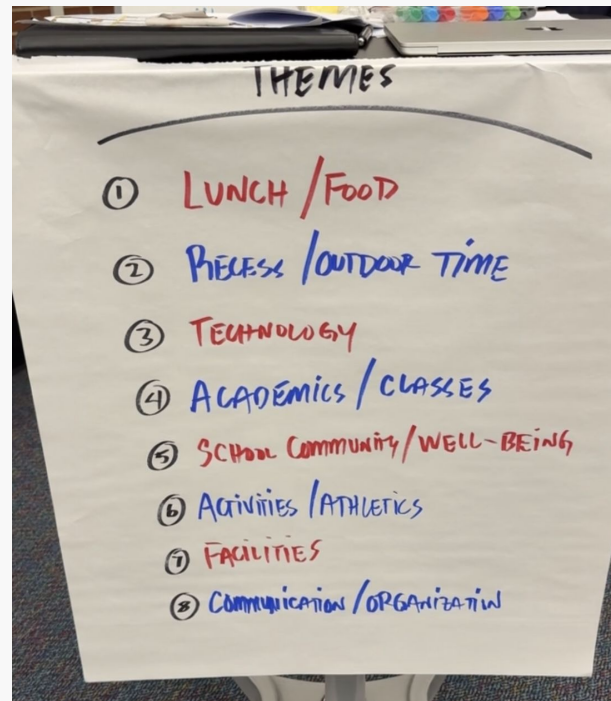


Exercise:

- Here's What.
- So What?
- Now What?

Theme choice

- Agreed on a choice with our partners
- Rock, Paper, Scissors :)



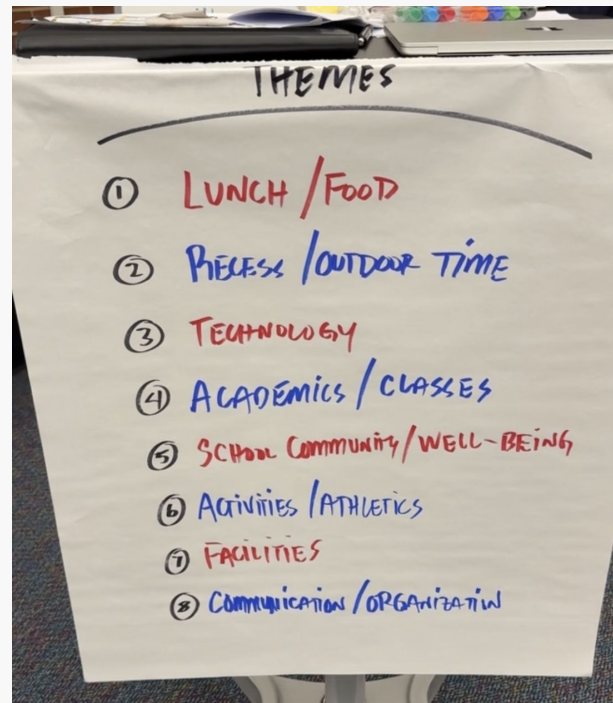


Classes/Curriculum

- Add classes
- Apply classes to life experience more
- Adding classes invites a space issue

Lunch/Recess

- Themed lunches
 - Heritage months
 - Seasons
- Deals on extras
 - Buy 3 get 1 free chips/cookies





Getting Peer Input

- Speak with peers at our school
- Get their opinions
- Stick to our grade if possible

Bring this feedback to our next meeting in December.

Peer Input Tool

Use this to gather a few honest opinions from students at your school who aren't on SSAC.

You don't need a lot — 3 to 5 good conversations are plenty.

Before you ask, tell them why:

"I'm on the Superintendent's Student Advisory Council. We're gathering ideas about our school to bring to the district. Can I ask you three quick questions?"

Student's Grade	What's going well?	What needs attention?	Any new idea?

Bring this back to our next SSAC meeting on **Tuesday, December 1, 2026.**

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GREENBRIER REFLECTION & FEEDBACK



5TH Grade Reflection

- What's going well?
 - Teachers ALL welcoming & kind
 - Safe place to learn
- New Ideas
 - Switch to apple products in the classroom
 - In person swag shop
- Needs Improvement?
 - 5th Grade Concert only for 5th Graders
 - Less technology learning like Amira





THOMAS REFLECTION & FEEDBACK



7TH Grade Reflection

- What's going well?
 - Plenty of clubs
 - LOVE my teachers
- Needs Improvement?
 - Information/visibility on how to join clubs
 - Better communication at lunch about process
- New Ideas
 - Cooking class here at TMS
 - Break throughout the day - Nap time??

Transition to Middle School

- Smooth - teachers lenient and patient



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QUESTIONS?