



## Northview High School

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**Date/Time** 12/08/2020 | 3:50 PM | **Location** Microsoft Teams

### SGC Members

<https://www.fultonschools.org/domain/6304>

Mr. Brian Downey, Principal | Ms. Takisha Benning, AP | Ms. Lynne Bombard, Chair | Ms. Lori Lahman-Scullion, Community Member (Vice Chair) | Ms. Ashley Ulrich, Teacher | Mr. Michael Williams, Teacher | Ms. Leena Smith, Parent | Mr. Heming Wu, Parent | Ms. Judy Xu, Parent | Ms. Kathryn Albright, Community Member | Ms. Jesutofunmi Abimbola, Student Representative | Ms. Janice Nam, Student Representative

Time	Item	Owner
3:50 p.m.	<b>Action Item:</b> Call to Order	Lynne Bombard
3:51 p.m.	<b>Action Item:</b> Approve Today's Agenda Williams motioned. Benning 2 <sup>nd</sup> . Universal approval.	All Members
3:52 p.m.	<b>Action Item:</b> Approve December Meeting Minutes Ulrich motioned; Xu 2 <sup>nd</sup> . Universal approval.	All Members
3:54 p.m.	<b>Discussion Item:</b> Review Meeting Norms	Lori Lahman-Scullion
3:55 p.m.	<b>Discussion Item:</b> SGC Goal Setting Roadmap for SY20-21 Reminder for Outreach & Communication Committee: Ms. Dismuke and Ms. Bombard will follow up. The committee will work on a plan to disseminate information to the community.	Lynne Bombard
3:56 p.m.	<b>Discussion Item:</b> SGC Reflection Form Ms. Benning and Ms. Bombard created the form. The committee read the draft individually and considered what we should add or remove. Ms. Benning will keep notes regarding what the committee wants to add/remove. Mr. Downey stated that the document captures two main ideas (Support Instruction and Social Justice Committee). Mr. Wu asked for clarification regarding the importance of retaining teachers beyond five years. Ms. Smith mentioned that focusing on People and Culture is an important facet of keeping/retaining teachers. Mr. Downey will add data points relating to student success rates for the fall semester. According to Mr. Downey, we are on the verge of being able to "celebrate" some of our data, although we feel it is a struggle. Mr. Downey asks that we check with him after Friday, December 11. Ms. Smith would like to look at concrete numbers in early January. Ms. Benning and Ms. Bombard will add first semester outcomes to our next agenda. The work of the SGC supported Northview through the use of Charter Funds to support teaching and learning within the virtual environment. Mr. Downey discussed our expenditures of \$22,000. Ms. Smith, as part of the Outreach	Lynne Bombard

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	<p>&amp; Community Committee, shared what the committee discussed regarding the declaration of Northview United. Ms. Smith stated that many of these ideas can be implemented during the spring semester.</p>	
4:16 p.m.	<p><b>Discussion Item:</b> Student Advisory Council Updates</p> <p>Ms. Abimbola shared that the Student Advisory Council worked on finalizing the Northview Student Bill of Rights. Mr. Wu inquired about how our attendance policy will differ for Face to Face students versus Remote Learning students. Mr. Wu also addressed virtual school for students in grades 3-11.</p>	<p>Jesutofunmi Abimbola Heming Wu</p>
4:21 p.m.	<p><b>Informational Item:</b> Principal's Update</p> <p>Mr. Downey and his administrative team are closely tracking failures and incompletes. This process occurs several times each day. According to our data points, we are trending in a very positive direction. At the end of next week, we will be very close to what a "normal" semester looks like, which is a huge success for our school, our teachers, our students, and our community. Mr. Downey is cautiously optimistic as we seek to close out the fall semester. Mr. Downey stated that there are lingering questions, however, about the number of students who will engage in Face to Face versus Remote Learning. The numbers are tracking very close to where we are right now. Because Covid-19 numbers are trending in the wrong direction, Mr. Downey is not sure whether we will return physically or whether we will begin in a full remote setting in January. Mr. Downey stated that the school board will likely render a decision soon regarding our grading policy. Next school year, part of our focus will be on developing and approving a budget for SY20-21. Beginning in August 2020, there will be a full-time virtual school option for students. Because of this, our physical population will be reduced. The opening of our "Innovation Academy" in Alpharetta will create a budget impact, in addition to the impact of the pandemic. There will be fewer funds and greater budget limitations. Ms. Smith inquired about whether or not there will be a lottery to determine which students will have the opportunity to attend virtual school. She also inquired about the potential impact that this will have on our school versus other schools in our district. Mr. Wu asked about whether or not the opening of the academy will result in the reduction of teaching staff. Mr. Downey stated that the quality of our instruction will not suffer, but that the diversity of the classes we offer will likely change. Mr. Wu asked for clarification regarding our teaching model for spring. Mr. Downey shared that our district has already committed to Remote and Face to Face Learning.</p>	<p>Brian Downey</p>
4:41 p.m.	<p><b>Informational Item:</b> Charter Funds Review</p> <p>Mr. Downey shared a breakdown of purchases. The "smaller" purchases in November included funds for orchestra and funds for speech therapy. The "larger" purchases in December included e-books. According to Mr. Downey, our media center specialist, Mr. Darryl Paul, requested funds that he could use to purchase extra e-books to meet growing student demand.</p>	<p>Brian Downey</p>
4:44 p.m.	<p><b>Discussion Item:</b> Review SGC Website</p> <p>Ms. Bombard mentioned that all SGC members should review the site this week and let her know if there are any changes that need to be made.</p>	<p>Lynne Bombard</p>

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4:46 p.m.	<p><b>Discussion Item:</b> Set Next Agenda &amp; 2<sup>nd</sup> Semester Meeting Dates</p> <p>The dates for next semester are as follows: January 12<sup>th</sup>; February 9<sup>th</sup>; March 9<sup>th</sup> (tentative date); and May 11<sup>th</sup>.</p>	Lynne Bombard
4:47 p.m.	<p><b>Meeting Adjournment</b></p> <p>*Ms. Smith mentioned that she would like for students to present at our next meeting.</p>	Lynne Bombard

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### Meeting Norms

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Turn on Camera | Come Prepared | Be Respectful of Others' Opinions | Work for the Good of All Students

### Notes and Reminders

\*\*\* All SGC Websites must be in compliance with Georgia Sunshine Laws. Make sure your SGC website is updated with this year's council member information. Be sure that agendas, summaries of action, approved meeting minutes and your annual calendar of meeting times have been posted.

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