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Findley Oaks Elementary School Governance Council

Date | time 1/24/24 | 3:00 pm | *Location* A145

SGC Members

Camille Christopher (Principal) | Nicholas Bailey (Parent) | Karin Kraker (Teacher) | Aaron Han (Parent) | Amy Gambrel (Parent) | Alexa Scutt (Teacher) | Alex Almanza (Community Member) | Colleen Greathouse (Teacher) | Jennifer Fried (Teacher), Terresha Anthony (Community Member)

Camille Christopher (Principal)	X	Aaron Han (Parent)	
Amy Gambrel (Parent) Chair		Alexa Scutt (Teacher)	X
Nicholas Bailey (Parent)		Alex Almanza (Community Member)	
Colleen Greathouse (Teacher) Parliamentarian	X	Jennifer Fried (Teacher)	X
Karin Kraker (Teacher) Vice Chair	X	Terresha Anthony (Community Member)	X
Kristn McCabe (School board member)	X		

Time	Item	Owner
3:00pm	Call to Order	Gambrel
3:02pm	Action Item: Approve Agenda	Gambrel
3:03pm	Action Item: Approve November Meeting Minutes	Gambrel
3:05pm	Discussion Item: Planning for Parent/Teacher SGC Elections*	Communications Committee Chair
3:15pm	Informational Item: Principal's Update A. Upcoming School Events B. 2023 CCRPI C. iReady MOY Data D. Semester Action Plan E. Council Initiatives	Christopher
3:35pm	Discussion Item: Planning for Annual Budget Approval**	Budget Chair
3:45pm	Informational Item: Supt. Advisory Council Updates	Council Reps
3:55pm	Discussion Item: Draft Next Meeting Agenda	All Members
3:58pm	Action Item: Meeting Adjournment	Gambrel
4:00pm	Action Item: Adjournment	Gambrel

1. Action Item: Approve Agenda
 - a. Approved
2. Action Item: Approve November Meeting Minutes
 - a. Approved
3. Discussion Item: Planning for Parent/Teacher SGC Elections*
 - a. All SGC members received an email from our zone school governance council coordinator regarding the upcoming election. We have two elected members who will be rolling off of the council. We will need to hold elections for these two people. The communications committee will lead how we communicate about the election. Candidates will have from February 5th-March 29th to declare candidacy.
4. Informational Item: Principals Update
 - a. Upcoming school events
 - i. This Friday (2/26) is our All Pro Dad breakfast
 - ii. Feb 9th is mother/son game night (PTO)
 - iii. Feb 14th 9:30am Kristin McCabe community meeting at Chattahoochee.
 - iv. Feb 19th- No school- presidents day
 - v. Feb 20th- Professional development day and Paracon
 - vi. Feb 24th- Daddy/Daughter Dance (PTO)
 - b. 2023 CCRPI
 - c. Ms. Christopher reviewed CCRPI data with the council. This data is from the 22-23 school year. Our Semester action plan was determined based on our spring iReady/GaMilestones data so a lot of this data has already been analyzed and goals have been set. CCRPI includes a wide variety of data and schools are rated on a variety of topics based on this data. Content mastery is determined by student achievement levels on Georgia Milestones. We compared our data to the 21-22 school year because that was our baseline after Covid. Ms. Christopher then shared subgroup achievement results based on demographics, English Learners, Students with Disabilities, and Economically Disadvantaged. CCRPI also measures progress which looks are student growth percentiles which compares the same cohort of students over time to determine if we are growing out students. This is measured using Georgia Milestones so it is only measuring growth of our 4th and 5th grade students. Findley Oaks had a progress score of a 98. In the closing gaps category, they measure student growth in specific subgroups of students as measured by the Georgia Milestones. Growth in these subgroups are assigned colored flags to indicate if the school met their target for each subgroup. Our closing gaps score was a 76.3. Ms. Scutt asked what students were represented in the “students with disability” category. Ms. Christopher clarified that this represents any student in grades 3-5 who have an IEP and take Milestones. When we receive a red flag showing that we did make progress in closing a gap sub group, a new target is determined for the following year. The state determines the targets. In English Language arts, we received 3 red flags. In Math, we received 1 red flag. In science, we got 1 red flag. All of the other subgroups were green. We exceeded a 6% growth in

math for our ELL sub group. Another measurement of CCRPI is readiness. Findley Oaks did very well in Readiness and scored a 95. Next year, we will continue to monitor students with the adaptive software that the district provides. The council discussed the importance of students being familiar with this platform so when they get to diagnostics assessments, they know how to use it. Ms. Scutt brought up the need for K-2 teaches to teach typing as well as handwriting. The council will look into what we can do for this. There are some typing skills in Learning.com which is available on Classlink.

d. IReady MOY Data

- i. Colleen Greathouse shared iReady MOY data for 1st-5th grade students. We saw growth in all grade levels in both reading and math increasing the percentage of students scoring at or above grade level.

e. Semester Action Plan

- i. Based on the CCRPI information and MOY iReady information, we made an adjustment to our SAP goal for our Intervention domain for our 3rd-5th grade students in special education.

5. Discussion Item: Planning for Annual Budget Approval

- a. Table for next meeting where we will vote on the budget.

6. Informational Item: Supt. Advisory Council Updates

- a. There is a meeting coming up for the Supt. Advisory Council. Camille will bring back updates.

7. Discussion Item: Draft Next Meeting Agenda

- a. Ms. Scutt brought up the need for K-2 teaches to teach typing as well as handwriting. The council will look into what we can do for this.
- b. March 11th 8-9am (teacher work day) has a SGC cross council with the Northview cluster of schools. Ms. Christopher said she will represent at this cross council and we will try to get 2 more members to attend.
- c. We will vote on the budget.
- d. Our next meeting is February 21st.

8. Action Item: Meeting Adjournment