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November SLT Agenda

Thursday, November 16th, 2023

3:00 PM – 4:30 PM

- Approve October Minutes (1 minute)
- Nominate co-chairperson (4 minutes): Important to have a co-chair according to the by-laws. Ms. Dale is the co-chairperson.
- Principal Update (15 minutes) BOY Data. F/P (Running Records)
 - NYC DOE does not want us to use F/P or TC running Records. It is still an option for teachers as a way for a teacher to assess student's learning. MOTP – Via Ms. Militello's observation.
 - Celebration: Ruby Bridges Walk, RESJ Event, Promoting Unity, Parent Engagement
 - MOSL: F/P Driven for 2023-2024 (Part of Data, Student's individual's data.
 - Harvest Festival: Success, fundraising
 - PTC: Was a success. 8 Mins time to discuss progress.
 - Teachers receive 55 minutes a week to communicate with parents. Contact via Dojo Message or phone call.



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RESJ: Restorative Circle

Younger Student Council: Toy Drive, giving to the smaller community, potluck,

Mid-Year Adjustment: possibly getting some money back

i-Ready: Possibly Purchase (Diagnostic purposes, \$3,000)

Benefits of i-Ready: Adjust for students' levels and practice for NYS exams. Mid-year data gave a good indicator of how students will do for the State Assessment.

5th Grade: taking computerized assessment. Typing skills are a concern. Possible practice for keyboarding at home.

Why is State Test going computerized? Grading: Change?

Money? Quick turn around on scores?

- STEM grant (15 minutes)

Company TEQ: Ms. Duran asked teachers about what products can be purchased. Concern: Buying Things and not being used.



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Meeting with TEQ(Vendor): PBL Projects (Lesson plan and PDs,

iBlocks, possible by 4 of these different programs, 6 hours

professional development, coaching throughout the year.)

-iBlocks should fit in with science curriculum

-Student's Interest/Excitement: Show videos

Cons: Not sure when this is happening? Possibly not phase out

this year.

Next Steps: Let the rep know what materials we want. Show

teachers and students the choices.

- Discuss: (35 minutes)
 - BOY Data

ELA - Acadience

K-2: 52% is above grade level for Acadience [individualized,

one on one)

K- 47 %

1st-Grade 37% Proficient

2nd Grade- 75% Proficient (First Group of kindergarten after

Covid)



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-Ms. Ramzan (2nd Grade),

-1st and 2nd Grade Dips at the middle of the year. Reading passages are added that regards to fluency.

3/4/5 – i-ready ELA

-3rd Grade: 51% Proficient

4th Grade: 40% Proficient

5th: 17% proficient (1st grade during Covid, students with IEP weren't in the right setting, two self-contained classes were opened.)

i-Ready Math

-K-5: 18% proficient

K: 7% proficient

1st- 28% proficient

2nd: 15% proficient

3rd: 25% proficient

4th: 23% proficient

5th: 13% proficient

HMH Shift: Science of Reading.

- CEP Goals in draft (Comprehensive Education Plan)



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-6 Different Priorities

Progress Monitoring via Inquiry:

6–8-week cycle, grade level chooses how the inquiry goes.

Using the BOY data to pick assessment.

- Parent Association Update (15 minutes)

-100% - Income Forms –

- Ruby Bridges Parent Engagement –

-Student Council/Ms. Rivera: Sports Equipment

Fall Festival Merch → \$800 for sports equipment

-Piano Tuned

TOP Priority: Communication & Accessibility, Zoom subtitle

Meets to be Efficient/Giving members time to vote

\$24,000 allowed for Enrichment.

Voting on Enrichment List:

1-2nd Grade Capulli Dance

Brooklyn Conservatory Violin Program -Grant covered it last year.



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Investment: 35 violins- \$3,500

Puppetry and Animation: \$5,000, 3/4/5 Grade

Ballet Residency: 3/4/5

Chorus: Afterschool program, 25 students, Parent with choir conductor, \$900 for DOE person, \$300 materials cost.

\$500- Musical Theater Costumes

\$550 – Cooking Club

GRANT: Franklin Furnace → allocate to younger grade for visual arts

Pre-K/Kindergarten: Arts Enrichment in the words

-Weekly Newsletter: Introduce to larger community, adding photos of adults of drop-offs.

Ice Cream Sale: doubling the price.

Student of the Month: Address the issues of only kids who are being rewarded based on grades or just academics

Absence: 10-day maximum – Chronic Absent

Test Score/Attendance: School in Good Standing

Remote School:



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- Next Steps (5 minutes)
 - SLT items to discuss at next meeting

Chronic Absenteeism: Incentivizing Families