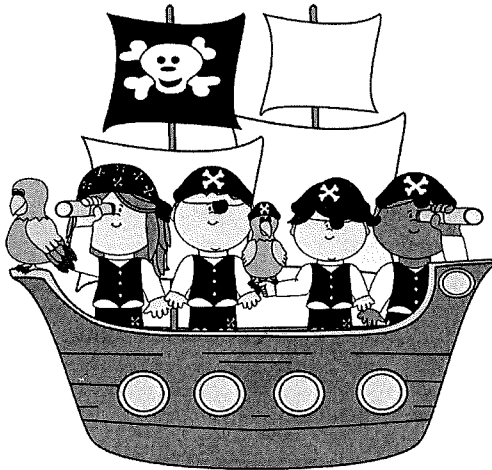


Southside Elementary School School Advisory Council Meeting Agenda – September 27th

1. Welcome and introduction of all SAC members
2. Election of Officers
3. Overview of School Improvement Plan
 - a. Parent Involvement Plan
4. SAC Treasury Report
5. Request for Reflex Math Program
6. Other Concerns/Questions



Southside Elementary School School Advisory Council Meeting Minutes for September 27, 2021

1. **Welcome and Introduction of All SAC Members**
All were welcomed to the meeting between 3:15PM-3:22PM. Each person in attendance was able to speak out through Microsoft Teams to let others know their name and affiliation with SAC.

2. **Election of Officers**
We began by electing to keep Justine Deringer as the SAC Chair. Through Microsoft Teams, all agreed. Next, we elected to keep Marissa Whittier as the SAC Secretary/Treasurer. Through Microsoft Teams, all agreed for this as well.

3. **Overview of School Improvement Plan**
Mrs. Marlena Palmer shared our 2020-2021 School Improvement Plan through Microsoft Teams. First, we went over SAT 10 data. Students who ranked in the 30th percentile or higher in math were as follows for each grade: Kindergarten=93%, First Grade= 85%, Second Grade= 95%, and School Wide=92%. Students who scored in the 50th percentile or higher for math were as follows: Kindergarten=85%, First Grade=81%, Second Grade=91%, and School Wide= 86%. These percentages also correlated with end-of-year Star Data. For those who scored at or above the 30th percentile in reading were as follows: Kindergarten= 85%, First Grade= 74%, Second Grade= 83%, and School Wide= 84%. Those who scored in the 50th percentile or higher for reading were as follows: Kindergarten= 67%, First Grade= 67%, Second Grade= 88%, and School Wide= 74%. From this data, we were able to begin making our school's reading goals. In our draft, we made meeting attendance, showing growth through progress monitor, and meeting needs of students in the lowest quartile top criteria. Differentiated small groups, tutoring, professional development with teachers and paras, as well as peer observations, will all help achieve set goals. A Saxon Phonics refresh training,

weekly MTSS support, more progress monitoring, and use of phonics screeners will help drive instruction. An ELL focused profess development, as well as keeping current with attendance letters to help remind of importance of attending school, will also be put into place.

a. Parent Involvement Plan

Building a positive environment and great communication are important. One can now go online to check our great school safety. Because our school has 60% of students falling below economic level, we are a Title 1 school. Parent and family engagement and sharing of responsibilities is crucial.

Becoming involved with SAC, PTO, and attending Family Nights are great ways to get involved. Checking newsletters, Remind, and attending conferences are also great ways to ensure parent-teacher communication.

4. SAC Treasury Report

As of now we have \$5,500.52 in funds.

5. Request for Reflex Math Program

Reflex Math is a program that helps students with math facts fluency and does so in a fun way. A motion to approve the use of \$2,966 of our SAC fund was approved. This was done through Microsoft Teams.

6. Other Concerns/Questions

There are no concerns of questions as of now. Ms. Justine Deringer adjourned our meeting at 4:03 PM. Through Microsoft Teams, a motion was made to approve.

Sincerely, SAC Secretary,
Marissa Whittier