

Edison Elementary
CSC Meeting Minutes
January 12, 2017

Vision:

Edison Elementary is committed to being a collaborative learning community where rigorous academics and character education ensure the development of the whole child. We design learning experiences to meet the unique learning needs of each student so that all of our children develop 21st Century skills: critical thinking and reasoning, information literacy, self-direction, collaboration and invention/innovation. We celebrate curiosity and creativity in the development of life-long learners.

Values:

Students First, Community, Fun, Respect, Integrity, Collaboration, Equity, and Accountability

Meeting Norms:

Aim for consensus
Assume positive intentions
Members will share ideas openly, but try to stay on topic
Time keeper, try to keep to one hour
Everyone puts ideas on the table
We work to represent our stakeholders
Respect other perspectives
Ask clarifying questions
Listen with respect
Commit to our values
Focus on needs of the school and community, respect confidentiality

Attendance: Ann Larson, Sally Whitelock, Peter W, Ellen Bislegia, Megan Mohr, Sally Whitelock, Joan Wieser, Ann Spires DeLong

Welcome by CSC chair

5 min

- Welcome
- Meeting procedure-Work session will follow the agenda. Floor will open up at end of meeting for other issues, additional discussions, open forum for non-CSC members (if necessary).

Budget

40 min

- Protocol...Must get to consensus
- Priority list:
 - Principal
 - Core Teaching Staff
 - Mild Moderate Teachers
 - Minimal Mental Health Days
 - Minimum Nurse days
 - ESL
 - GT
 - Guest Teacher budget
 - Arts Teachers
 - PE
 - Assistant Principal
 - Font Office Staff

- Instructional Account
- Para's
- Librarian/STEM
- Intervention Teachers
- Subs for PD
- Other Hourly Staff
- Administrative
- Field Trips
- Technology
- Teacher Extra Pay
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Mill Levey Update:

- Additional funds through the Mill Levey
- Whole Child, Technology, Early Literacy, TLC in February decide what the funds will be used for and we will receive the exact amount.

Open Forum

15 min

- Other CSC members agenda items - Discuss or place on agenda for next month
- Open questions/discussion to non-CSC members
 - Moving from 4 classrooms to 3 classrooms in the upper grades may cause families not want to come to Edison. Look to make smaller class sizes: splitting HGT classrooms (example: 2nd/3rd HGT)
 - Why not:
 - Financial and budget constraints
 - No space in the building- difficult to get trailers at Edison
 - We get the lowest funding for each kid in DPS due to our low FRL
- Using Whole Child Mill Levey to support:
 - Another day of GT Itinerate
 - Sally Whitelock will look into
 - Discussing with the Imaginarium to see how we can use Personalized Learning Funds
 - What can be funded with the Whole Child Mill Levey
 - Use for Playworks: Megan M., Peter W, Sally Whitelock will look into this more
 - Use for Social Emotional Curriculum

Next meeting date:

February 1st at 4:30