

SLT Meeting
4/4/2017

In Attendance: Keisha Warner; Alison Beckman; Aida Cruz; Liridona Plepi; William Linville; Preya Singh;
Minutes: Preya Singh/William Linville

TENTATIVE CEP GOALS, 2016-2017

By June 28, 2017:

- the Math department will collaboratively develop a rubric to improve the articulation of students' approach to multi-step, real-world problems as measured by a 5% increase in scores of 75 or higher on the Regents.
- 100% of Cinema School teachers will have participated in a collaborative planning for school culture events.
- a minimum of 100% of the teaching staff will have participated in voluntary professional development (attended, planned or facilitated) that supports rigorous instruction.
- at least 75% of the teaching staff will have an overall Measures of Teacher Practice (MOTP) score of 2.75 or above in components 3b and 3c of the Danielson rubric.
- the majority of our parents will access information about their child's progress in school as evidenced by a minimum of 66% who log into PupilPath.

I. Welcome! Prior Minutes Approval
Minutes approved unanimously!

II. CEP Goals Check-In and Related Business

A. Parent Goal

1. Orientation for 9th grade parents to log in to PupilPath - social engagement?
2. PupilPath APP not great
3. Sending out a more urgent message about the importance of PupilPath
4. PupilPath help hotline
5. Student Assignment: Parents must log in
6. Advisory - How to Log In to PupilPath with Parents
7. Teacher presence at orientation helpful

8. First September Curriculum Night - PupilPath one-on-one support
9. Pictorial instructions
10. Weekend Events - when parents aren't at work

III. GFS Updates

- A. N/A

IV. Teacher Updates

A. Metrics - Analyzing Student Data

1. School Quality Snapshot

- a) Another angle from which to view school's data-- different view from AYP
- b) 42% of our students graduate 'college ready'
- c) If we improve math performance, college readiness score will go up
- d) Exceeding math target in peer group

B. Programming Ideas

1. Having a 2-year Algebra course will improve math Regents pass rates

- a) Will allow for remediation and advanced instruction
- b) Questions:
 - (1) Selection process
 - (a) Multiple data points--math scores from middle school
 - (b) Diagnostic first few days (who makes it? Who vets it?)
 - (2) No credit beyond first year
 - (3) How does confidence building affect math learning?
 - (a) Parent reaction
 - (b) Pigeonholing students

2. Investigate what other schools do

3. Needs: parent communication, proper diagnostic, proper course chunking, clear learning targets

C. Sequential Order

1. Algebra II should follow Algebra I?
2. Geometry is taken after Algebra II?
3. Zero Period Tutoring? AIS after school?

- D. Evaluate where we are in June to plan for future
- E. Creating more structure for students

V. Student Updates

A. Lateness Policy

1. Possible consequences:

- a) Detention
- b) Miss After School
- c) Silent Lunch (?)
- d) Feedback on Lateness - College Recommendation Progress Draft
- e) More tangible, immediate consequences?
 - (1) High leverage tasks
 - (2) Saturday School
- f) What are other schools doing?
- g) Case studies of teachers--Perry?

2. Improving cafeteria food to improve attendance?

3. Section competitions in order to improve punctuality?

4. Beckman - any high leverage tasks that could be used for students can be taken after school.

5. We need people and resources to do anything

6. Teachers need to have a discussion about what other types of things that could be done.

7. The concern from the teachers' point of view is that there needs to be more structure coming from the top that teachers can follow.

VI. PA Updates

- A. April 28 - Talent Show
- B. May (TBD) Family photo
- C. New board members
- D. Parent Appreciation Day June 2
- E. Transfer of Board Members

VII. Guidance Events and Updates

A. PCL

- 117 Students lined up for next year
- Most likely we will not end up with all 117 due to transfers. We typically end up with between 75 and 95
- We don't offer round 2 seats, because we always fill all our seats with round 1
- Freshmen Orientation in June
- Grade teams are working on end of the year events
- Career Fair during college week
- Moving up ceremony from moving from Sophomore to Junior Year (planned by 10th grade team)
- 9th Grade team - Quiz Bowl

VIII. SLT Norming and Scheduling

A. Future Meetings:

1. Thursday, May 18
2. Tuesday, June 13

IX. Questions/Concerns/Additional Business/Future Agenda Items

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