**SLT Meeting Minutes**

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| **Date: February 15, 2022****Time:** 4:00pm- 5:00pm**Location:** Zoom |
| **Agenda:** * Review from previous month’s meeting (Ms. Reese)
* Socio Emotional Learning (Ms. Edwards)
* Administrative Updates (Dr. Addo)
* Additional Concerns/Questions
 | **Attendees: Luis Quiñones, Kimberly Smith, Dr. Bernard Addo, Shari Edwards, Janice Mclean, Ms. Santiago, Ms. O, Ms. Natalie, Ms. French, Ms. Sukhu****Facilitator:** Kara Reese (SLT Chair) **Recorder:** Jericsson Pichardo  |
| **Welcome/Review Minutes:**Ms. Reese Reviewed What is SLT?What is our CEP goal?Achievement levels for Math and ELA (10% increase)We need to make sure that we are giving the scholars what they need. |
| **Socio-emotional Learning (Ms. Edwards)****DMP- is provided 5 times a week**Mr. Leroy (8th grade), Ms. Edwards (7th grade), Ms. Baugh (6th grade)* The curriculum for DMP has been used since 2013
* We have incorporated new curriculum (Morning side, The crew initiative, Outward Bound etc.)
* We are trying to create a sense of belonging in school
* Provide a voice to the scholars
* 7th grade scholars feel secure by being at school (based on survey)
* Crew- the scholars work on student development and attendance
* Attendance will help improve the school along with DMP
* We continuously collect data
* Grade 6- We focus on SPARC (Classes get combined)
* Grade 7 focuses on feeling and how they can use DMP to deal with real life scenarios
* MP3 we are coming strong focusing on identity
* Fostering community
* Glows ( Morning meeting, morning side circles, Team DMP meeting)
* SEL goals- develop self-awareness and self-management skills, use social awareness.

How can SLT support DMP?* Best way to support is to overall support the school and join the events
* It is necessary that everyone joins so that the scholars feel supported.

**Budget Updates**-We are focused on ELA & Math, Supportive Environment (CEP)- We ordered all curriculum related materials (Books, workbooks + extras etc.)- Chronic absenteeism- Full time attendance coordinator- 3 DMP educators- 2 Guidance Counselors (Ms. Rivera/ Ms. Lee) and Social Worker- IEP Coordinator- Ms. Reese-Per session for educators- academic enrichmentAdministrative Updates (Dr. Addo)* State test (ELA March 29 and 30th)
* Math- (April 27-28)
* No opt in for the test (everyone is expected to take the test unless the parents refuse)
* Math vacancies- We had zero vacancies (due to vaccination compliance, we lost a few math teachers)
* Licensed math educators have picked up some of those schedules
* Some educators are on a leave, they will be able to come back later on.
* Senior activities (We will wait until after mid-winter break in order to determine dates).
* Graduation- is definite, outdoors.
* Senior trip and prom TBD.
* Additional Concerns/Questions (Parents)
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|  Questions?  |
| **Next meeting: March & April Make-ups (TBD)****VILS presentation** |
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