



MEETING NOTICE

School	Date	Time	Location
B.E.S.T. Academy at The Thomas W. Dortch Jr. Institute	11.11.24	5:00	Virtual Facebook Live Click Here To Visit Our Facebook Page

Notice Prepared By: Robert Williams Date Posted: 11.6.24



Meeting Agenda

(agenda may be amended)

This meeting will allow for Public Comment

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Date 11/11/2024 | time 5:00 PM | Location Via Zoom

Participants and Role Assignments:

Robert Williams, Principal	P	Ricky Davis, Instructional Staff	P
Jason Brooks, Parent	X	Sonya Heard, Instructional Staff (Secretary)	P
Hope Dixon, Parent	P	Ray Singer, Community Member	P
April Battiste-Reid, Parent	P	Lawrence Adkins, Community Member	P
Ruquanda Epps-Primas, Instructional Staff (Cluster Rep)	X	Dr. Vernon Smart, Swing Seat	P
Marcus Daniels, High School Student (Chair)	P	Jahlil Muhammad, Middle School Student	X

Timekeeper: Marcus Daniel

Note Taker: Sonya D. Heard

Time	Item	Owner
5:00 PM	Call to Order <i>Call to order by Mr. Daniel. Please note that based on the intricacy of this meeting, a link for the slide presentation and a link to the meeting is attached below. For this meeting Ms. Kelley, stakeholder, was present.</i>	Mr. Daniels
5:02 PM	Roll Call & Establish Quorum	Mr. Daniels
5:05 PM	Action Items a. SEL Activity Mr. Williams led the activity to discover what is one word students would describe BEST Academy as? Various answers. b. Approval of Agenda Motion to approve by Ms. Heard, seconded by Ms. Dixon. c. Approval of Previous Minutes Motion to approve by Ms. Heard, seconded by Ms. Dixon. d. Strategic Plan i. Strategic Plan Update Discussion of indoor food production involving different stakeholders and comm-	Ms. Epps-Primas
5:10 PM	Discussion Items a. 45-Day Continuous Improvement Plan Check-in b. Graduation Rate	Mr. Williams Mr. Daniels



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	<p>c. Strategic Plan and Continuous Plan Progress d. Ranking Strategic Plan Priorities</p> <p>Comments regarding progress and suggestions for math and reading shared by Ms. Heard and Dr. Smart. Mr. Davis added that social studies improvements involve more assessments usage.</p>	Strategic plan was partially. CIP plan was motioned and approved until the next meeting.	
5:30 PM	<p>Information Items a. Principal's Report</p>	Focusing on narrowing the gap for ELA-per Ms. Heard there are sets of books that the students are reading. The students are asked to read for 20-30 minutes, and they are to take AR quizzes on them. When reading is done the attempt is rewarding and the students are able to front loading. Mr. Davis shared that Social Studies is carrying standards for comprehension month to month.	Mr. Williams
5:35 PM	Announcements	Reminder of WriteScore, MAP testing and unit assessments.	Mr. Daniels
5:40 PM	Public Comment	- There was no public comment. In addition, due to the length and complexity of this months' meeting a link is embedded below and a link to the presentation is embedded below.	Mr. Daniels
5:50 PM	Adjournment	Meeting adjourned by Mr. Daniel, seconded, and adjourned at 6:15p.m.	Mr. Daniels

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Links:

Meeting Link-

<https://www.facebook.com/apsbestacademy/videos/1619609028964399>

Presentation Link-

<https://docs.google.com/presentation/d/1zklSWO4ZVtp5cK8YLJuLVI2XELK4rZANdlH53pBEjyl/edit?usp=sharing>