

Meeting Minutes

North Atlanta High School

Date: October 27, 2025

Time: 4 PM Recording:

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I. Call to order: 4:16 PM by Tania Wismer, Chairperson

II. Roll Call

Role	Name (or Vacant)	Present or Absent
Principal	Angela Mitchell	Yes
Parent/Guardian	Tania Wismer	Yes
Parent/Guardian	Janine Randall	Yes
Parent/Guardian	Megan Watkins	Yes
Instructional Staff	Dawnitra Quigley	Yes
Instructional Staff	Sheena Porter	Yes
Instructional Staff	Allison Shepard	Yes
Community Member	Shawonda Johnson	NO
Community Member	Sue Kasun	No
Swing Seat	Laura LaHiff	Yes
Student (High Schools)	Alexander Chalk	Yes
Student (High Schools)	Chelsea Smith	NO

Quorum Established: Yes, 9 members with Diane Jacobi present to observe proceedings.

III. Action Items (add items as needed)

A. Approval of Agenda: Motion made by: Allison Shepard; Seconded by: Janine

Randall

Members Approving: all Members Opposing: none Members Abstaining: n/a

Motion Passes

GO Team Members who ABSTAINED from voting: n/a

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- B. Approval of previous meeting's Minutes:

 It was noted that all GO Team information on the website is correct. Motion made by Allison Shepard; Seconded by: Dawnitra Quigley
- C. Review and Approve Date for Additional Meeting December 10, 2025 @ 5pm Motion to adopt made by: Sheena Porter; Seconded by: Laura LaHiff

IV. Discussion Items (add items as needed)

- A. **Discussion Item 1**: Reviewed the Strategic Plan priorities (led by Dr. Mitchell)
 - 1. Ensure that instructional resources and supplies are accessible to all staff.
 - 2. Improve student achievement in core content areas for all subgroups of students.
 - 3. Provide increased support to students at risk.
 - 4. Raise the graduation rate for all students.
 - 5. Implement IB programs with fidelity.
 - 6. Develop a positive, informed school community.
- B. **Discussion Item 2**: Reviewed the Fall MAP Data
 - 1. More students are high and high average in both reading and math than last year.
 - 2. EL and SWD data show that there is more opportunity for growth.
 - 3. It was noted that MAP Scores for Fall 2025 were for only 9th & 10th grade.
- C. **Discussion Item 3**: Reviewed Spring GMAS Data
 - 1. Algebra I and American Lit dropped. Algebra I had a 13 point decline. American Lit had a 3 point decline.
 - 2. Biology stayed the same.
 - 3. US History improved 1 percentage point.
 - 4. This spring we will test in Algebra I, Biology, and Lit 2. All U.S. History students are taking IB History of the Americas so they will not sit for an EOC exam.
 - 5. Plans to prepare students for the assessments are in place.
 - 6. Glows from the data
 - a. While our scores dropped across the board, the baseline data now provides a clearer understanding of areas for targeted growth moving forward.
 - b. This year's MAP results show that more students are performing average to high in both math and reading this year.
 - 7. Grows from the data
 - a. 3 out of 4 subjects experienced a decline in scores.



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- Strengthen alignments between classroom instruction, assessment, and state standards to ensure students are consistently exposed to grade-level rigor.
- c. Increase the use of formative assessments to monitor student understanding and adjust instruction in real time.
- d. Information shared on Saturday Freshman Refresh academic recovery program
- e. Group responded by brainstorming about Mentor or Buddy system that could be implemented to encourage students progress via help and accountability.
- V. Information Items (add items as needed)
 - A. **Principal's Update**
 - i. CCRPI data will be available soon. We have lost points in achievement data. When everything is made public, we will review in GO Team.
 - **ii.** Discussion of after-school tutorial programming for academic recovery sessions.
 - iii. No personnel changes
 - **iv.** There may be a parent available to gap-fill the loss of staff member in CCC.
 - v. Discussion Item 4: Reviewed Leveling
 - 1. Didn't meet the projected enrollment of 2415
 - 2. 2371 was what we had on day 15.
 - 3. Enrollment that day was either 2399 or 2401.
 - 4. Dr. Mitchell noted that based on other Principals guidance, she'd be inclined to be more conservative with future projections.
 - 5. We earned \$117, 668.00.
 - 6. 4-year grad rate has improved (92/93%)
 - 7. Attendance has improved
 - 8. It's Scare Week and due to inclement weather, Powder Puff Game may have to be rescheduled.
 - B. **APS Forward 2040 –Comprehensive Long-Range Facilities Plan Update** Brandon will continue to be two campuses. The North Cluster had the least amount of change, and least amount of pushback.
- VI. Announcements The Key Performance Indicators, the NAHS Continuous Improvement Plan SMART Goals, and the one-page summary of the strategic plan process has been shared with members so that the information can be reviewed prior to the next meeting.
- VII. Adjournment

Motion made by: Dawnitra Quigley; Seconded by: Sheena Porter

Members Approving: all Members Opposing: none



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Members Abstaining: n/a

Motion: Passes

ADJOURNED AT 4:58 PM

Minutes Taken By: Laura LaHiff
Position: Go Team Member

Date Approved: