

#### **GO Team Meeting Minutes**

# **Call to order**

A meeting of the GO Team for Hollis Innovation Academy was held at Michael R. Hollis Innovation Academy in Room N-207.

The meeting was called to order by Dr. Diamond Ford.

# Attendees

Attendees included

Dr. Diamond Ford	Diamond Harris	Linda Howard	Nichole Jones
Audrey Hines	Dr. Beverly Tatum		

# **Members not in attendance**

#### Members not in attendance included

Srlis Powell	Sylvia Russell	
Nicole Riggins	Jilo Tisdale	

# Is there are quorum present? Circle or highlight Yes or No Changes Made to Minutes

Minutes approved? Circle or highlight Yes or No

**Discussion Items:** 

# a. Results of Public Forum-Flexibilities and Autonomy Decision

- 1. Extended Day- 7:30 am-3:30 pm
- 2. ½ Day professional Learning Days Fridays-9/20/19, 11/8/19, 3/13/19
- 3. Blended Learning-Foreign Language (Spanish)

#### **Flexibility Survey**

The flexibility survey was completed by parents and staff members. The return rate data:

- Teacher-55%
- Staff Members-24.24%
- Parents-12%
- Members of the community-8%
- 24/174 opposed Extended Day
- 29/174 opposed ½ Professional Learning Day

2020-2021 Flexibility (It is suggested to postpone the extended day until 2020-2021). **Rationale:** 

- To provide an opportunity for the school to mature by adding a final grade level
- Provide additional opportunities to educate parents and get parent input
- Give additional time to consider support for ½ day
- Additional time to compensate all staff
- Stabilize school without any changes (Eighth grade will be added next year)

\*The GO Team discussed and agreed with revisiting the extended day procedures and plan.

# b. GO TEAM Calendar Dates 2019-2020

- August 22, 2019- Strategic Plan/Program
- October24, 2019- Strategic Plan/Program
- January16, 2020- Budget
- February 13, 2020 Tentative Date for Budget Part II
- April 16, 2020-Flexibility Plan
- The meetings will be held from 4:00 pm- 5:30 pm in the Hollis Innovation Academy Media Center.

# **Information Items:**

# Building Updates-The projected date for renovation completion is June 2019.

#### Summer Programs Updates-

- 93 1st-5th grade students registered for Summer Programs (Held at Finch Elementary)
- KinderCAMP-15 students are registered (5 slots are still available) (Held at Finch Elementary)
- Summer Bridge-10-15 rising 6th grade students (Held at Brown Middle School)

#### **Action Items:**

August 2019-Create a plan to inform and include parents in Hollis activities.

#### **Public Items:**

Suggestions for increasing parent input in Flexibility/Autonomy Survey for 2019-2020

- Explain the benefits of Extended Day
- Market and Communicate specific times of Extended Day to parents
- Have a Hollis Open House to introduce and explain the survey
- Provide the Flexibility/Autonomy information to the PTA
- Increase Parent volunteers for Field Day and STEM Day
- Provide Hollis information to Washington High School
- Add the Flexibility/Autonomy survey link and "Did you Know?" facts to the flyers

#### Announcements

Upcoming Dates

4/29/19-GO TEAM online elections extension

5/16/19- Muffins with Mom (8:00 am-9:30 am)

5/1/19-5/16/19-Georgia Milestones Assessment for 3rd-7th grade

5/20/19-Pre-K-3rd grade Field Day

5/21/19-4th-7th grade Field Day

5/16/19-5/17/19 Beauty and the Beast at 6:30 pm

5/22/19-STEM Day

5/17/19- Hollis Awards Day

5/21/19- Pre-K and Kindergarten Awards Day

10/16/19 - EL National Conference Site Visit

# 2018-2019 GO TEAM Meeting Schedule

Topics	Dates	Times	Location
Officer Elections	7-20-18	10:00 am-11:30 am	Hollis Innovation Academy Conference Room
Family Engagement	9-10-18	3:00 pm-4:30 pm	Hollis Innovation Academy Conference Room
Budget Climate Survey/CCRPI PTA	11-12-18	3:00 pm-4:30 pm	Hollis Innovation Academy Conference Room
2019-2020 Projections	2/12/19	4:00 pm-5:30 pm	Hollis Innovation Academy Cafeteria
Budget/Parent and Staff Survey	3/12/19	4:00 pm-5:30 pm	Hollis Innovation Academy Cafeteria
Flexibility/Autonomy	4/25/19	4:00 pm-5:30 pm	Hollis Innovation Academy 5 <sup>th</sup> Grade Science Lab

Linda A. Howard Secretary