

Meeting Minutes

School: Barack and Michelle Obama Academy

Date: November 16, 2022 Time: 4:45-5:45 PM

Location: 970 Martin Street SE, Atlanta, GA 30315 (Media Center)

I. Call to order: Meeting started at 4:57 PM

II. Roll Call by Tanaka Appling

Role	Name (or Vacant)	Present or Absent
Principal	Dr. Robin Christian	P
Parent/Guardian	Alicia DeCriscio	P
Parent/Guardian	Nichola Joseph	Α
Parent/Guardian	Aiyanna Cottman	Р
Instructional Staff	Tanaka Appling	Р
Instructional Staff	Gerren Bell	Р
Instructional Staff	Julillian Davis	Р
Community Member	Kenya Thomas	Α
Community Member	Rick Laupis	Р
Swing Seat	Katie Beacham	Р
Student (High Schools)		

Quorum Established: Yes

III. Action Items

a. Approval of Agenda: Motion made by: Gerren Bell Seconded by: Julillian Davis

Members Approving: 8
Members Opposing: 0
Members Abstaining: 0

Motion: Passes

b. **Approval of Previous Minutes:** *List amendments to the minutes:*

Motion made by: Tanaka Appling; Seconded by: Rick Laupis

Members Approving: 8
Members Opposing: 0
Members Abstaining: 0

Motion: Passes

c. Approve Updated Strategic Plan:

Motion made by: Alicia DeCriscio; Seconded by: Rick Laupis



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Members Approving: 8 Members Opposing: 0 Members Abstaining: 0

d. Ranking Strategic Plan Priorities in preparation for the FY 23-24 school budget

Motion made by: Julillian Davis; Seconded by: Gerren Bell

Members Approving: 8 Members Opposing: 0 Members Abstaining: 0

IV Discussion Items

a. Discussion Item 1: Fall ACES Presentation-

Signature Programming- International Baccalaureate- Recertification is Fall Recertification 2024/Spring 2025. Two areas of focus; 1) Teaching and learning: Teaching and Learning Curriculum, 2) Teaching and Learning: Professional Learning.

Whole Child Intervention- Attendance- Students are not chronically absent Behavior- OSS is only at a 0.29 rate.

Curriculum and Instruction- For ELA we will use ACE, for Math provide professional learning opportunities, Whole Child, and Student Support we will build a stronger connection between school and home, Family Engagement, we will increase the number of parents participating in APTT. MAP Data- Students came in much stronger this school year.

b. Discussion Item 2: Progress on the Strategic Plan

The Strategic Plan now reflects the MAP Data from the Fall MAP assessment, real baseline date. Literacy- By March 2023 students on beginning level will decrease from 47% to 44% and students on proficient will increase from 20% to 25%. Mathematics- students on beginning level will decrease from 45% to 42% and proficient students will increase from 13% to 18%. Chronic attendance decrease from 49.6% to 44%.

c. Discussion Item 3: Strategic Plan Update

The Strategic Plan has been updated to reflect new data and content and is on



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The Action Agenda to be approved.

d. Discussion Item 4: Ranking Strategic Plan Priorities

- 1. Improve student mastery of core content knowledge in literacy and mathematics.
- 2. Build teacher capacity in core content areas, literacy, and mathematics.
- 3. Utilize various intervention to support closing our academic gaps.
- 4. Build Teacher capacity in understanding of IB/SEL Competencies.
- 5. Prepare all students to have a global mindset inclusive of learning profiles, learner attributes, and self-inquiry.
- 6. Inform, engage, and activate the community.
- 7. Build systems identifying and addressing root causes to promote social-emotional growth.

IV. Information Items

- a. Principal's Report PTA meeting tonight. We reached 100 members for PTA. We received a \$16,000.00 grant to help support the BaMO Arts Department. Holiday program is coming up. Jackson Cluster wants to do a big spring production.

 Tomorrow November 17th is bring Parents to SEL day- National Parent Engagement Day.
- b. Information Item 2: NA
- V. Announcements: Fundraiser: Teacher Grams will be sold at the meeting tomorrow.

VI. Adjournment

Motion made by: Alicia DeCriscio; Seconded by: Julillian Davis

Members Approving: 8
Members Opposing: 0
Members Abstaining: 0

Motion: Passes

ADJOURNED AT: 5:54 PM

Minutes Taken By: Tanaka Appling

Position: Secretary

Date Approved: [Insert Date When Approved]