

**Planning Session Agenda**

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| **School** | **Date** | **Time** | **Location** |
| Jean Childs Young Middle | 11/9/21 | 6:02 pm | [https://atlantapublicschools-us.zoom.us/j/3688540733?pwd=bUZFd3ZnS3VKZXB1SUNKaHNHN2VDZz09](https://nam11.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fatlantapublicschools-us.zoom.us%2Fj%2F3688540733%3Fpwd%3DbUZFd3ZnS3VKZXB1SUNKaHNHN2VDZz09&data=04%7C01%7CNicole.Jones%40atlanta.k12.ga.us%7C18bae426b3684967b33008d96bcdf60d%7C0d95ef40a0dd431890985e10f876f635%7C0%7C0%7C637659354617683822%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C1000&sdata=di5DzUO%2Fju0mpFk0eH%2FWPhL3%2BRRUZr2hmkPD9mgxOtA%3D&reserved=0) |

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1. **Roll Call**

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| **ROLE** | **FIRST NAME** | **LAST NAME** | **Present or Absent** |
| **Principal** | Ronald | Garlington | **present** |
| **Parent** | Pamela | Bryant | Present |
| **Parent\*** | Jennifer | Winfrey | Present |
| **Parent\*** | Nicola | Lyon-Gragg | **absent** |
| **Staff\*** | Louis | Metcalf | **Present** |
| **Staff\*** | Wanda | Harding | **Present** |
| **Staff\*** | Esinkumo | Ogoun | absent |
| **Community** | Kelvin | Walston | Present |
| **Community\*** | Keith | Lewis | **Present** |
| **Swing\*** | Rashad | Bennett | **present** |

1. **Planning Session**
   1. Strategic Plan
   2. Mission and Vision
2. **Adjournment – 7:20 PM (20 minutes over!)**

(6:02 PM)

Work Session:

1. **Mission/Vision** – things to consider (suggested by various members)
   1. reviewed mission/vision statement
      1. items to add: “community,” “equity,” and “technology”
      2. want align with district mission/vision
      3. “school of choice” for the community
      4. define collaboration > how does “collaboration” engage parents and community?
   2. MISSION SPECIFIC
      1. rigor, collaboration
      2. The mission of Jean Childs Young Middle School is to prepare students to be globally competitive through rigorous and equitable instruction, a continuum of care and services, and a collaborative school community.
         1. and active partnerships with parents and community stakeholders.
   3. VISION SPECIFIC
      1. (for review) APS VISION: “A high-performing school district where students love to learn, educators inspire, families engage and the community trust the system.”
      2. need to include: “IB school > IB certification (global rigor)”
      3. community, equity, rebuilding the legacy
   4. **PROPOSED VISION STATEMENT**: “Jean Childs Young Middle School will be a high performing IB school of choice where students want to learn, parents and families engage, educators empower students to succeed, and the community collaborates with the school to rebuild the legacy."
   5. **PROPOSED MISSION STATEMENT**: “The mission of Jean Childs Young Middle School is to prepare students to be globally competitive through rigorous and equitable instruction, a continuum of care and services, and active partnerships with parents and community stakeholders.”
      1. Mr. Garlington will seek confirmation from Ms. Jacobi about when vision/mission can be shared with school.
2. **Strategic Plan**
   1. APS needs to send us the template
   2. Three SMART goals have been presented for SIP
      1. improve reading, math, and whole child (1:1 ration of suspension to Den referrals)
   3. Milestones data from last year cannot be used due to the way tests were administered and number of students.
   4. Reviewed “buckets” of APS priorities and initiatives
      1. fostering academic excellence
      2. building a culture of support
      3. equipping and empowering leaders and staff
      4. creating a system of school support
   5. we can likely move existing school priorities and strategies to Strategic Plan
   6. we have access to the full Adobe suite (per Ms. Jacobi) to edit the plan

“We’re in a really good place ya’ll!” – Mr. Garlington

Goal of having a draft of Strategic Plan, Mission, Vision for next meeting!

**Next GO TEAM Meeting December 9.**