

Call to order

A meeting of the GO Team for **Lin ES** was held at **Lin ES – Media Center** on **Thursday, October 5, 2017**.

Attendees

Attendees included:

Sharyn Briscoe	Colin Heydt	Kimberly Dick	Leda Everett
Emily Fuller			

Members not in attendance

Galit Levitin	Karin Dusenbury	Stephanie Shumacher	Melanie Levs
Victor Hicks			

Minutes Read: Unable to approve minutes because there was not a Quorum

Public Comment

No Public Comment

Discussion ItemsStaffing Update

- Hiring new staff person- Possible positions could include Early Intervention Teacher, 3rd grade support, or a writing support teacher. Interviews will take place after Fall Break.

Budget Update

- All staff members will get a 1 % raise and all furlough days have been reinstated.

Cluster News

Signature theme: Meet as a Cluster on 10/10 to discuss the 5 Cs of College and Career Readiness (creativity, critical thinking, collaboration, citizenship, and communication)

During the cluster meeting on October 10th teachers and staff will discuss the following ideas:

- What is collage and career readiness?

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- What do the five Cs look like in a classroom?
- What are best practices in terms of the 5 Cs?

Staff members went to an Ed Leadership Conference this week and the culminating activity included visiting local schools. 30ish participants, from across the country, came to Mary Lin.

Analysis of 2016-7 academic performance data**Milestone Date:**

- score vs challenge: Mary Lin is above the challenge line (how well we are expected to do)
- math: A strength for Mary Lin, 3rd grade is focusing on raising math scores
- Students with Disabilities population (3rd grade only)- 30 percentile points lower the rest of the school population
- African American Subgroup- 8 percentile points lower than the rest of the school population

Climate Survey:

- Area of growth for parents include, "I feel included in the decision making process of my school".
- Area of growth for Kids include, "Good behavior is noticed at my school". This can possibly be contributed to the newly created, Model Rocket Club.
- Less than 70% of students polled agreed that "my class behave so that my teachers can teach", so Mary Lin received zero CCRPI points for this question.

Writing:

Writing is scored within ELA. The scoring rubric includes points for style and organizations/conventions and grammar. All students write a narrative piece and then either an opinion or a persuasive piece. On each piece, students can earn either a 2,3, or 4. Only 4% of students got all 4 points in writing in 5th grade.

Strategic Plan Goals for 2017:

- Met climate survey goals
- Met kids scoring distinguish and above- in math
- Did not improve the median student growth numbers

CCRPI changes

- In the past there have been 21 indicators each school was score on and now there will be 11.

Changes include

- They have gotten rid of all points in which adults have the ability to change.
- Points will be based on test/survey scores only.
- In order to earn points for Lexile, a student must score at the midscore of their Lexile range or higher.

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- Student Growth Percentile will be weighed greater than achievement.
- Points will not be deducted for students who are absent less than 10 percent of days they are enrolled.

Priorities for upcoming academic year (and beyond)

Next steps for writing: Looking into a writing program that will be used throughout K-5.

Foundation Check List

OG training for the staff during the summer

Updating the smart boards to Recordex. APS will pay for half, but the school has to pay for the other half to be replaced.

Next meeting dates

Nov. 9th

Dec. 14th

Public Comment:

No Final Public Comment

Emily Fuller

Secretary

October 17, 2017

Date of approval