## Sunrise Middle School SAC Minutes – August 27, 2024

## Attendance

Analisa Austin	Ambry Johnson
Robbi Beth Centeio	Jolisa Rosario
Jessica McBride	Joriela Dorcin
Marcus Rankin-Williams	Stephanie Schwartz
Fridith Seide	Crystal Wright
Jay Sohn	Ronit McAuley
Jessica Jadotle	Syree Dunton

Tamah Henley-Cleghorne Ryan Atwood Stephanie Craig Lily Starks

**Call to Order:** The School Advisory Council (SAC) meeting was called to order at 4:30pm by Ms. Ambry Johnson and the motion was seconded by Mrs. Fridith Seide.

Ms. Ambry Johnson began the meeting by introducing the co-chairpersons, Ms. Ambry Johnson and Mrs. Robbi Beth Centeio and the secretary, Mrs. Tamah Henley-Cleghorne.

**Minutes:** All in attendance reviewed the SAC by-laws. A motion was made to accept the SAC by-laws and all were in favor of the motion.

**Principal's Report:** Mr. Atwood started the report with thanking the parents, faculty and staff for our unplanned early release. He continued with stating how smooth the school year has been so far. Our Open-House is scheduled for this week and the teachers are looking forward to meeting the parents. Parents should have their child/children schedule(s). However, it was mentioned that parents will be given a schedule if they have not received one. Parents have the option of bringing the child/children to the Open House. FAST PM1 testing will start Tuesday, September 2, 2024. Our school in a data-driven school so it is very important for students to do their best. Goals will be set for each grade-level.

**School Accountability Funds:** The balance for accountability funds is \$338.66. However, the funds are not available to the school account. It should be available next month.

**SESSIR:** Alcohol -0, Drug possession -0, Fighting -0, Physical Attack -0, Sexual Harassment -0, Tobacco -0, Larceny/Threat -0, Disruption on Campus -0, Threat/Intimidation -0, Trespassing -0, Battery -0, Bullying -0.

**Title I:** Our first Title I event in Open House where parents will be able to visit the classrooms of their children. Open House will be on August 29, 2024, from 6pm-8pm.

**SAC Composition Board Nominations:** The required positions for SAC were explained by Ms. Ambry Johnson. The nominations were made, and parents were nominated for specific positions. All the positions were not filled.

**School Advisory Forum (SAF) Updates:** Ms. Ambry Johnson informed attendees that at the next meeting SAF information will be provided. Upon election of a SAF Representative Ms. Ambry Johnson will provide council meeting minutes.

## **Department Updates:**

**ELA:** There is no information at the moment. However, students are getting ready for PM1 and the department is off to a great start.

**Reading:** The department welcomes a new and former teacher, Ms. Bates and Mrs. Virgo. Students are currently taking their assessments, so they are placed in their appropriate reading groups. Students are also completing the IReady diagnostics for Reading.

**Math:** Letters are being sent out to students who are in the accelerated program. Letters are also being sent out for IReady specifically for those who have not completed the IReady diagnostic test. Students are being reminded that they should be ready for the Math PM1 assessment.

**Science:** The department is off to a great start. We are anxious to get into the testing platform. Teachers are following the pacing guide, and all students are on track with the skills and concepts being taught.

**Social Studies/Civics:** The department is off to a great start. The department is currently waiting to get into the testing platform, Performance Matters.

Next Meeting Date & Time: September 24, 2024

Meeting Adjournment: Meeting adjourned at 5:09pm