AJ Smeltzer SAC Meeting

March 19, 2025

Attendance

Kathy Wedge, Andrea Doucette, Michelle Halliday, Dean Lee, Krista Hachey, Nicole Thurston, Kelly Quenneville, Stephanie Seaboyer

Regrets: Shayna Halliday, Colette Rice

Agenda

- Funding requests: No current requests.
- Student report
- Student Success Plan
- Principal's Report
- Questions
- Next meeting April 16th

Student Report

- Students wish there were more Chromebooks available to them.
- Students are enjoying that the weather is improving but would like to have more outdoor things to play with.

Student Success Plan

Math -

Cycle 2 reflection - More students are self-checking answers instead of relying on the teacher and increased collaboration between students and ownership of their work.

Cycle 3 - Teachers are going to work on fluency strategies to help reinforce previous skills to support achievement of current outcomes. Teachers will begin each class by teaching and practicing a strategy.

Literacy -

Cycle 2 reflection - Reading comprehension improved, student benefitted from talking to each other and sharing information, research skills improved, teachers provided more immediate and on the spot feedback, teachers plan to do more group work and instruction.

Cycle 3 -Many students are not meeting the expectation for writing (approximately 50%). So teachers will focus on supporting our students develop their writing skills to make their writing clearer and engaging for various purposes and audiences.

Well-being -

Cycle 2 reflection - Students feel proud and connected to school when they receive student of the month award. How are the students doing now - students shared through the survey that they had a trusted adult or friend in the building (both high percentages). They also shared they felt like they belonged (high percentage).

A high percentage of students felt that teachers were unaware of their lives outside of school. We've discussed having more intentional conversations outside of class time (breakfast, recess, lunch).

Cycle 3 - -Welcome languages in front area, End of year celebration opportunities and Positive news phone call

Principal's Report

- Photo contracts
- Emergency drills: Fire drills start again in April.
- Sports Softball is upcoming
- Fresh Food Cart (Monday/Wednesday) new menu items
- Planning for 2025-2026: numbers are up, one lunchtime from 11:30-12:30pm, Gagaball pit
- Math coach
- SAC survey completed

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