

Site Based Meeting
February 21, 2019

Members Present:

Carole Alley (Administration)	Terri Fleck (Administration)	Jon Sale (Fine Arts)
Kevin Funderburk (Social Studies)	Eric Kelly (JROTC)	Nicole Mosley (Math)
Jesse Boyce (Health & PE)	Mike Medlin (CTE)	Trent Morgan (Science)
Lisa Pendleton (English)	Mary Velasquez (World Language)	Chrissy Rape (Guidance)
Angie Reeder (Community)	Anne Sutton (Community/Parent)	Donna Thompson (EC)
Sabrina Glontz (Parent)	Crystal Ellis (Parent)	Sam Robinson (Student)

Meeting was called into session: 3:30pm

Agenda

- Roll Call
- Approval of Minutes from last meeting
- Old Business
- New Business
 - Introduction of new Student Representative
 - Freshman Focus Class 2019-2020
 - Registration 2019
 - Advisory Class for 2019-2020
- Open Forum
- Adjournment

Minutes

- Old Business
 - No old business
- New Business
 - Introduction of Student Council Representative (Mrs. Alley)
 - Sam Robinson was introduced as the new representative from the Student Council
 - Freshman Focus Class 2019-2020 (Mrs. Alley)
 - Should Freshman Focus class be held as a Skinnies format class or should it be held as an A/B format class?
 - Most agreed that A/B day would work better if it could be paired with another appropriate freshman class.
 - Which class would Freshman Focus work best to be paired with?
 - PE class was the class most commonly agreed upon
 - Which group should be targeted for the Freshman Focus class/curriculum?
 - Mrs. Alley asked if we believed that it should target only students who were identified as at risk based on their Middle School history or if we believed that we should require it for all rising freshman.

- Col. Kelly voiced his concern about requiring all freshman to take the FF class due to it not allowing some freshman to take JROTC. (1 less elective available)
- What should the curriculum for Freshman Focus be?
 - Discussion centered around skills to help freshman adapt to high school and enable them to become better students/citizens.
 - Mrs. Alley & Mr. Funderburk both brought up the possibility of using the 7 Habits of Effective Teens book by Sean Covey as part of the curriculum.
- Registration 2019 (Ms. Rape)
 - Eighth grade tours will be coming around at the end of the month.
 - Counselors will begin meeting with the 8th graders at the MS shortly after that.
 - Concern was expressed about helping the 8th graders develop an understanding of how to plan/pace out their courses throughout high school to ensure they are more successful.
 - Ms. Rape said that the counselors had been working to do that with the MS for the last two years.
 - March 11th counselors will begin pulling the HS students during elective classes to facilitate the registration process
 - Teachers should tell students to complete their online and paper copy of the registration by that time so that it will help the process go more smoothly.
 - Guidance is working on the AP course list that will be available for next year.
 - Some of these classes will be taught as an A/B day option
 - Will be paired either with another AP class or an online option
- Advisory Groups 2019-2020 (Mrs. Alley)
 - Mrs. Alley asked teacher's opinions about how to structure and use the Advisory groups for the 2019-2020 school year.
 - How should the time be used? What should the focus be?
 - Naviance (Resume building, Scholarship prep, life skills)
 - How should Advisory be grouped?
 - Mr. Funderburk stated that he believed the system of staying with your group their entire HS career worked better. This would help those students to know that they would always have a teacher they could stay connected with.
- Open Forum
 - Ms. Mosley asked if there was a possibility of us gaining any new teacher spots for the 2019-2020 school year.
 - Mrs. Alley said that at this time it looks unlikely that we will gain any new spots

Meeting Adjourned: 4:28