Board Meeting Minutes

Meeting Date: Monday, 18 December 2017

Attendance

Yes	\square	No	Argueta, Ms. Diane
Yes		No	Arroyo, Mr. Alex
Yes		No	Barreiro, Mr. Daniel
Yes	\boxtimes	No	Bell, Mr. Jeremy
Yes		No	Campbell, Dr. Lori
Yes	\boxtimes	No	Dalrymple, Ms. Jennifer
Yes		No	Gonzalez, Ms. Analy
Yes	\boxtimes	No	Hatchett, Ms. Kimberly
Yes		No	Heath, Mr. Chris
Yes		No	Johnson, Dr. Carla
Yes		No	Kale, Ms. Christina

Yes	No	Keene, Ms. Glynis
Yes	No	Kilgore, Ms. Maria
Yes	No	Kincaid, Ms. Heather
Yes	No	Linning, Ms. Elizabeth
Yes	No	Moyer, Mr. Edward
Yes	No	Ordaz, Ms. Araceli
Yes	No	Schmitt, Ms. Margo
Yes	No	Schwaegler, Ms. Elizabeth
Yes	No	Reyes Childress, Ms. Beatrice
Yes	No	Ringler, Ms. Ashley

The meeting was called to order at 5:04 p.m. by Ms. Heather Kincaid.

I. Teacher Leaders Recognition - Dr. Lori Campbell

- A. Fifty-three (53) Teacher Leaders were recognized for their participation and presentations at the District SIP days in October and December 2017
- B. Each teacher received a certificate of appreciation

II. Adoption of Mandarin Chinese II textbooks - Glynis Keene

- A. The textbooks recommended for the new high school Mandarin Chinese II course to be offered in SY 2019 were presented to the committee
- B. The textbooks will be on display at the SSC for the next thirty (30) days as required by ISBE

III. Destiny K - 12 Update - Dr. Lori Campbell

- A. Proposals for onsite barcoding and inventory project at East Aurora High School and districtwide was shared with the committee
- B. East Aurora High School
 - a. Estimated textbooks to process 25,000
 - b. Estimated duration in business days 5
 - c. Total cost of activity \$29,917.27
- C. District-wide
 - a. Estimated textbooks to process 72,500
 - b. Number of locations 21
 - c. Estimated duration in business days 3
 - d. Total cost of activity \$76,232.60
- D. Scope of Service Includes
 - a. Centralized barcoding and/or inventory of textbooks
 - b. One (1) onsite team leader for each team
 - c. Team numbers determined by project scope
 - d. Entry of textbook into Destiny Resource Manager for indicated instructional materials
 - e. Application of customer-provided polythermal barcodes
 - f. Background check for each project worker

IV. Gaggle Contract - Maria Kilgore

- A. Approval of the final Gaggle contract \$39,500
 - a. Pilot year (12/2017 to 12/2018) \$22,500
 - b. Remaining six months (1/2019 to 6/2019) \$15,000
 - c. Training staff (two days) \$2,000
- B. Regional Office of Education contracted for \$4.00 per student

V. Cursive Writing Mandate - Dr. Lori Campbell

- A. State mandated cursive writing legislation
- B. District 131 has a cursive and handwriting implementation plan in place
- C. Task Force members have been chosen and assigned tasks
 - a. Design implementation plan
 - b. Review and select curriculum resources
 - c. Review allocation/time distribution
 - d. Discuss quarterly milestones, pacing and teacher professional development plan
- D. March 1, 2018 timeline for completed final draft of the implementation plan to be submitted

VI. Grant Positions - Margo Schmitt

- A. Truants' Alternative and Optional Education Program (TAOEP) grant positions
 - a. One (1) Social Worker at the high school to complete student-related reports
 - b. One (1) Truancy Liaison at the high school to assist in overseeing students
- B. Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority (ICJIA) grant positions
 - a. Four (4) Case Managers on for each school level (preschool/kindergarten, elementary, middle and high school)
 - b. One (1) Project Assistant maintains student grant records
 - c. One (1) Project Manager facilitates the grant project
- C. Positions are held for one year (renewed with the grant each year)

VII. 2018 Summer School - Heather Kincaid

- A. Summer school to be skill building in Reading and Math
- B. Teacher training June 11 and 12, 2018 for elementary and middle school
- C. Student days June 13 through July 19, 2018 for elementary and middle school (Monday through Thursday)
- D. Available at all elementary schools (including Benavides)
- E. Middle school academics at Cowherd and Simmons Waldo at EAHS
- F. High school credit recovery to remain on track for graduation
- G. High school teacher training (June 6 and 7)
- H. High school student days (June 11 through July 25)
- I. ESY Summer school to maintain skills and reduce regression (CSC, Hermes, Cowherd and EAHS)
- J. Field trips on Fridays for supplemental elementary
- K. Field trip Monday through Thursday for middle and high school

VIII. Magnet STEAM/STEM Update – Heather Kincaid and Beatrice Reyes Childress

- A. Renewed focus on a STEM-based education in grades six, seven and eighth
- B. Requires programmatic-model research into student's day
- C. Magnet teachers December 6 participation about STEM
- D. Steering Committee formed with teachers from Magnet meetings begin in January
- E. Phase I discussions of the Steering Committee
 - a. Scheduling
 - b. Multi-tiered System of Supports (MTSS)
 - c. Social Emotional Learning (SEL)
 - d. ENCORE rotations
 - e. Advisory
 - f. Recess

- F. Phase II discussions of the Steering Committee
 - a. Curriculum
 - b. Assessment
 - c. Instruction
- G. Staff and parent meetings being held monthly throughout the remaining school year
- H. Student feedback based on content and career interests
- I. Administrative team has planned communication with district stakeholders
 - a. Benavides
 - b. Rollins
 - c. Oak Park
 - d. Beaupre
- J. Intended outcome –seek feedback throughout the research process
- K. Next update January 2018
- IX. Public Comments None
- X. Adjournment 5:53 p.m.