



Luther Burbank Middle School

“Achieving Success as a Team - 110%, No Excuses”

A-Rated 7 Star Distinction Campus



SDMC Meeting

MINUTES

April 29, 2022

➤ **Welcome and Sharing**

➤ **School Updates**

- VILS Buy In Message – Principal Knittle presented the VILS welcome video which stated the opportunities of the program and how the staff will be supported.

➤ **State of School Academically:** Overall on track 😊

- Members discussed STAAR expectations

➤ **Proposals for next year**

- 6-minute passing period – Members discussed this option as it will allow more time for teachers and students to take care of their needs and arrive to class on time.
- Khaki shorts – Members will discuss this option with their colleagues and a decision will be made by vote at the next meeting in May.
- Blue/black jeans - Members will discuss this option with their colleagues and a decision will be made by vote at the next meeting in May.

➤ **Focus for Next Year**

- Three things to target to improve campus culture/get us back on track with the “Burbank Way”.
- Topics included discipline, tardiness, and dress code.

➤ **Questions and Concerns**

- Members discussed the need for more janitorial staff.
- Grout presented a concern from staff about consistently enforcing school policies such as dress code.
- Grout presented additional concerns from staff regarding SEL programs and parking lot concerns.
- Tutorial Expectations for teachers – Members discussed tutorial expectations for teachers and students. A rewards system is being considered

Members present in bold:

- David Knittle**
 Brittany Jennings
 Amanda Vasquez
 Tiffanie Cole
 Clara Deshotels
 Maria Salinas
 Nora Gonzales
 Amanda Hudson
 Elyzabeth Perales
 Bobbie Blackwell
 Mary Velasquez
 Meghan Grout
 Kaitlin Bucher Airola
 Elizabeth Hilty
 Jorge Sanchez
 Rosario Pena

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