## **Martin Luther King Jr Early Childhood Center**

Where the DREAM begins...



## Shared Decision-Making Committee (SDMC) June 2, 2022

Members Present: Michelle Thomas, Catalina Mejia, Kaya Savannah, Clara Llerena, Charlotte Murray-Lawton, Sherrial Lowe, Miosha Lewis, Christopher Nelson, Sandra Henry, Deondria Phearse, Terrell Phearse, Patrice Stephenson

## Agenda

Topic	Notes
<ul> <li>Projections for 22-23 school year</li> <li>Enrollment update</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Our goal is 337, we would like to exceed that number of students for enrollment. We will continue to work with headstart to get information out to the parents in the surrounding area.</li> </ul>
<ul><li>Campus Safety</li><li>Drill/ fire safety routes</li></ul>	<ul> <li>The staff will look at the primary and secondary route for exiting the building during emergency situations.</li> <li>We will adjust the maps for next year to ensure that the best route is being taken to get students and staff out safely</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>2022-2023 School Year Planning</li> <li>Committees</li> <li>Alliteration Friday</li> <li>Themed Friday activities</li> <li>Parent Patrol</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>The staff will provide any additional committees that they believe need to be added for next year and we will outline their specific roles for next year. Teachers will be required to be a part of at least 1-2 committees next school year.</li> <li>We want to bring back alliteration Friday's where each Friday the students wear or bring something for that weeks letter. Ex: B – wear blue, P – make a pizza craft, etc.</li> </ul>

	<ul> <li>The committee also brought up the idea of ending each theme will a activity day. The students will be able to come out to their hallway and participate in some fun games based on the theme we have just finished.</li> <li>Parent patrol was a suggestion on how to get more parent involvement. They would assist with arrival in the morning or dismissal. Parent volunteers need to be VIPS approved before the assist.</li> </ul>
• Summer school	<ul> <li>There will be 4-6 teachers for summer school. Application have already been sent to parents.</li> <li>Students are currently being enrolled in their summer school classes</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Fundraiser ideas for next school year</li> <li>Staff additions</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>The committee brought up doing a fundraiser next year such as Y-ties or popcorn to bring in more money for the school</li> <li>Next year we will have a librarian, fine arts teacher, 4 additional TAs and social worker on campus.</li> </ul>
Community Partner/ Wrap around services  • Wraparound representative  • Houston Public Library  • Project Class	<ul> <li>Wraparound is partnering with the Houston Dynamo to provide soccer for students during summer school</li> <li>A link has been sent to parent through class dojo for them to participate in a summer reading program with the public library</li> <li>Project class will not be on campus next year, we will utilize our social worker for SEL pullout groups.</li> </ul>

## **Upcoming Events**

- Field Day
- End of the year Class Celebrations

- Monday the 6<sup>th</sup> is field day will be inside due to heat, classes will rotate through teacher made activities and games
- Tuesday the 7<sup>th</sup> is the last day of school and classes will celebrate the end of the year.