

Kinder High School for the Performing and Visual Arts Shared Decision-Making Committee (SDMC) Wednesday, September 22, 2021 11:50 am

## **AGENDA**

- 1. Call to Order 11:51 a.m.
- 2. Welcome
- 3. Approve minutes from previous SDMC meeting (May 2021) Approved
- 4. Approve agenda for scheduled SDMC meeting Approved
- 5. New Business
  - Staffing Updates-Math teacher resigning as of 10/1; Shortage across the district; we
    have a plan in place to hire a certified retired/part-time teacher.
  - HB4545 Updates-1/2 of our 9<sup>th</sup> graders did not take the Math STAAR test last year; we had 25 students who took it but didn't pass.
  - ESSR Funds-given to make up for the academic gap; ESSR II=\$15,337.35 and ESSR III=\$88,963.45. These funds will be used for our 9<sup>th</sup> & 10<sup>th</sup> graders; hire 5 Academic tutors at 20 hrs. a week each. (2-Math and 2-Reading; 1 to assist with IAT). Other funds will be used for afterschool tutorials by classroom teachers or some supplies as needed (following ESSR guidelines).
    - Academic Tutor Proposal- Vote Unanimously voted for.
  - Wellness Week Plans-no club meetings on Wednesday to allow students to participate and not interrupt instruction;
  - Push for HISDADV/AP-more students seem to be interested in AP classes.
  - COVID Updates-we have done well; no contact tracing within school; 5 cases
  - SEL Updates-increase in severe cases with suicide; be diligent, keep eyes and ears open and refer as needed.
- 6. 0&A none
- 7. Other
- 8. Adjourn-meeting adjourned at 12:25 p.m.