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SDMC Meeting Minutes – January 13, 2025

Vision Statement: Helping children to read, write, process, and apply learning. Understanding that students come first. Making a difference in every student's life. Motivating and engaging families and community.

Mission Statement: Where HUMMINGbirds Learn to Lead.

Date of Meeting: January 9, 2025

Time of Meeting: 3:15pm

Location of Meeting: PLC Room and Microsoft TEAMS

Action Plan (CNN and CIP)

- Instruction Improvement Initiatives
 - Supporting teachers in delivering better instruction methods.
- Pre-K and Kindergarten Learning Enhancement
 - Collaborative standard analysis and lesson planning followed by demonstration teaching.
- Data Review Findings
 - Data from summer analysis revealed high academic performance in bilingual classes; focus on improving English classes.
- Goal
 - Preparing students for reading readiness by the time they reach first grade.

Key Actions:

- Reading Focus: Reading integrated into all subjects.
- Campus-wide Intervention Block:
 - Teacher assistants will facilitate small group learning.
 - Teacher training on the science of reading is ongoing.

Teacher Evaluation System

- Review video on evaluation system weights and the 6 options.
- Discussed what we liked and did not like about option A, B and C.
- Option D and E don't work for us due to student survey.
- Option A we liked over option B. Did not care for option C because quality of instruction was not weighted high.
- Ended up choosing our own weights and submitting the survey that way.
- Weights include: Student Achievement 30%, Quality of Instruction 50%, Planning & Professionalism 15%, Student Survey (about teacher) 0% (we are a PreK and Kinder only campus), Campus Action Plan 5%.