



Shared Decision-Making Committee Agenda

Thursday, March 3, 2022



SDMC Members:

Chairperson: Christyn McCloskey, Principal

Classroom Teachers: C. Tennis, A. Alaniz (accountability), A. Osorio (equity manager), J. Martinez, G. Laboca (recorder), M. Soto, J. Rocha, L. Bautista (time keeper), C. Gallier | **Professional Staff:** H. Swanner (information coordinator), A. Mpiani (co-chair), L. Johnson, N. Quinones, H. Bui | **Non-Instructional Staff:** L. Garcia | **Parents:** Mercedes Lopez, Julieta Guerra | **Business Member:** Daniel Medina

Agenda Items:

Housekeeping:

- Welcome!

New Business:

- COVID Updates
- February PD Feedback
- Intent to Return Survey
- FTE Staffing Model for HISD
- Carnegie Math Program
- Dragon Time Planning for 2022-2023

Next Meeting: April 7, 2022

Meeting Notes:

COVID Updates: Ms. McCloskey provided an update on HISD COVID protocols. The primary change was no mask requirement starting March 1st. All students and staff are encouraged to continue wearing masks if they feel more comfortable doing so and school personnel will respect whatever decision is made. Field trips are back so all grade levels will have an EOY field trip.

February PD Feedback: the Career Pathways team did a Teacher Share-Fair where they shared best practices. All teachers rotated through each learning station and walked away with deliverables and strategies they could immediately implement in their classrooms. Teachers were excited about this method of PD and would like to see more of it in the future.

Intent to Return Survey: the annual survey will be sent out tomorrow and is to be completed before Spring Break. Survey’s intended use is for planning purposes and not binding. Also an opportunity for teachers to express interest in leadership opportunities and request alternate placements for the following school year.

FTE Staffing Model: Ms. McCloskey explained the difference between the new staffing model and the current budget. Positions would be allotted to the campus instead of funds – campuses will receive additional “weighted funds” based on student population. Ms. McCloskey said this was still a work in progress and that natural attrition would support the downsizing.

Carnegie Math Program: HISD is moving to a standardized curriculum and is asking for schools to volunteer to participate next year as a part of the rollout. Ms. McCloskey will host a math department meeting to discuss.

Dragon Time Planning for Next Year: Ms. McCloskey is asking for feedback regarding Dragon Time and how to make improvements for next year. There will be a survey as well as a roundtable discussion scheduled to collect feedback.

Follow-Up Items:

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