Browning Elementary

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Preparing all PK-5th grade global leaders for a life of opportunity!

SDMC/Safety Minutes: January 25, 2018

1. School Budget & Program

Committee members discussed budget deficit for the district and its implications for the 2018-2019 school year. Members also reviewed current budget and determined that purchases will consist of instructional needs, such as leveled books, licenses, and supplies. The committee also discussed student enrollment and current dual language program. A survey will be sent to dual language parents to address current needs and interests for next year. Members agreed program will be adjusted to meet community needs. The purpose of program adjustments is to increase student enrollment.

2. Safety & School Inspection

Committee discussed safety inspection and the purchases needed to meet requirements from the fire marshal. Permanent shades will be installed on all doors in building B by February 2nd. School met all requirements for safety and intruder drills. Campus personnel will continue to follow school safety plan as listed in faculty handbook.

3. Student Assessments

Members discussed the importance of tightly aligned lessons that will help students master learning objective. Quality of the work is the focus to ensure students will be prepared in understanding concepts learned. Data results will be analyzed to determine percentage of student growth for all learners once all exams have been completed.

4. Student Attendance

Attendance has been consistently low this year. Committee discussed ways the school can improve daily attendance. Current systems were reviewed, and modifications were added to address students and parents.

5. Parent Surveys

Surveys were distributed to parents requesting feedback regarding academics, social events, expectations, and other information. Parent volunteers were involved in the process of recording results obtained from surveys. Data results from the survey will be included in the school bulletin, February 1, 2018.

6. Montie Beach Program

Ms. Elizondo shared an afterschool opportunity for students that will include homework help, board games, and outdoor sports. Partnership with Montie Beach will also include baseball activities during PE.

7. Hope Stone

Committee members were asked to vote for the day of the week Hope Stone classes would occur for the 2018-2019 school year. Committee members unanimously selected Wednesday for fine arts classes with Hope Stone.

8. Academic Resources for Parents

Members discussed various ways to help parents access digital resources to help support student learning. Instructional strategies for reading, math, writing, and science will also be shared during monthly parent meetings.

9. Questions & Concerns

No questions or concerns were submitted this month.

Members present: Griselda Avalos, Yvonne Saravia, Jessica Graham, Jocelyn Moten, Christina Martinez, Keitha McQueen, Gloria Burciaga, and Julia Elizondo