

SDMC Team Meeting

April 14, 2022

3:30 pm – 4:00 pm

Secondary DAEP Virtual

Meeting called by: David Barragato, Principal

Type of meeting: SDMC

Facilitator: David Barragato

Note taker: David Barragato

Attendees: D. Barragato, C. Johnson, J. Andrews, S. Jones, T. Pitre, T. Suggs, L. McKinzie, D. Washington

Please read: Previous Meeting Minutes

Please bring: An Open Mind

Minutes

Agenda item: WELCOME

Presenter: D. Barragato

Discussion:

Principal Barragato welcomed us to the Shared Decision- Making Committee (SDMC) meeting held at the Secondary DAEP. Power-point presentation on screen for all to view.

Agenda item: HISD / DAEP Updates:

Presenter: D. Barragato

Discussion:

- Enrollment: 4/14/2022: Secondary DAEP 213, Elementary DAEP 1 currently enrolled and 1 referral processing
 - Student Grade Breakdown 6th (20), 7th (29), 8th (50), 9th (60), 10th (27), 11th (12), 12th (15)
 - Top 5 sending schools (Sam Houston, Forest Brook, BT Washington, Kashmere, Madison)
 - Discussion. C. Johnson raised question on why 9th grade is the highest. T. Pitre responded that it is due to the unique characteristics and needs of students in transition year from 8th to 9th.
- Attendance: 77%
 - A priority will be to improve attendance percentages through continued Graduation Support Meetings and interventions
- Safety: SUPT Updates from 4-1-22 (Check updated Ready Set Go Plan on HISD website)
 - Major incidents and crisis down from previous years, although we have had a couple serious student altercations with police involvement.
 - A priority will be for improved safety measures such as ongoing supervision of students
- Open positions: TA, Wraparound Specialist, Nurse
- Recidivism: Since 2017, 3011 total students have been enrolled at the Secondary DAEP. 2,748 (91%) are one-time enrollments, and 223 (7%) have been enrolled two or more times. The Elementary DAEP has had 2 students, only in school year 2019 that were enrolled more than once.
- 40 in Four schedule will start the week of Monday, June 20, 2022, and end on Friday, Aug. 5, 2022
- Open Transfer Period will begin on April 18, 2022, and will end at 5:00 p.m. on Friday, May 13, 2022
- TADS EOY Conferences due April 22nd
- HUB will ended in July 2022. See important Canvas PD sessions on PPT slide. See department chairs for flyer and clarification.
- What worked in 2021-2022: Graduation Support Meetings, Building Relationships with Students
- Strategic Priorities for 2022-2023
 - Attendance, Safety, Discipline, SEL & Counseling Support, Communication, Technology, Teaching & Learning,

- 2021 – 2022 Instructional Focus Areas to be carried over to 2022-2023. Based on SIP progress. Campus-wide implementation of critical reading and writing strategies across contents. Engagement strategies. Personalized learning to support students' academic and social development.
- Spring/Summer Planning Priorities
 - AVID (this is a possibility at this point), Texas Teacher Evaluation and Support System (T-TESS), Canvas, Curriculum/Teaching and Learning PD
- Ripple Effects: looking into the possible discontinuation of this tool for SEL, or re-purposing its use
- Possible Restructuring of Bell Schedule
 - Current Bell Schedule "Strengths"
 - Schedule was changed from 6 instructional periods to 5 with an advocacy period that incorporates SEL interventions. Students have less classes per day, which means they can remain more focused on their subjects. Class sessions are longer, so it gives teachers the time needed to individualize instruction. Teachers have longer planning periods to help develop their curriculum and engaging lessons. Proving coverage for absent teachers will be easier with other teachers available to support when there are emergencies.
 - Clarifying question posed by T. Pitre on ADA implications of new schedule. D. Barragato will utilize TEA and HISD guidance on required minutes
- Other Questions: C. Johnson asked about the date teacher contracts will be sent out. D. Barragato will confirm the dates and process.

Agenda item: HISD Policy Memorandum Update

Presenter: D. Barragato

Discussion:

Upload into the chat failed. File emailed to entire staff by HISD, title Equal Educational Opportunity for Students with Sensory Impairments. See Sherry Jones or D. Barragato with questions.

Next Meeting: June 2, 2022