

## SIT Meeting Agenda & Minutes

12/07/2016

3:45 p.m., December 7, 2016 | Location: Media Center

### Agenda

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#### Last Meeting Follow-Up

- Preparations for the AdvancED review
  - Has leadership team started to discuss the issue of consistent grading practices as they apply to the AdvancED expectations?
  - Further discussion on hold until next meeting so that time can be devoted to finalizing SIP revisions
- SIP Revisions
  - Review proposed changes/additions to the SIP:  
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    - Suggestions from Math Dept.
      - **Goal 1, Strategy 1** - We aren't using Math XL any more, but we are using programs like Castle Learning and ALEK's
      - **Strategy 2** - Suggested that all Foundations of Math 1 not be during 4th block. Honors is ok, but not Foundations.
    - Any further suggestions from SIT members to edit/change anything?
  - Thanks to Embry, Day, Sexton, and Shellabarger for giving up a day in the classroom to revise the document. And a special thanks to Anderson for attempting to help this crew understand all things data.
- Work Order
  - Embry sent a request to Atkins in order to fix the locks in the girls' restrooms.

#### New Business

- Discuss repeating courses for grade replacement (For McCarty to report at principal's meeting)
  - Should policy allow students to repeat courses in an effort to earn a higher grade? If they do and they earn a higher grade, should the lower grade be dropped and higher grade be used to calculate GPA?
- Do we want to schedule an open house for 2nd semester?
- Questions/Comments

### Representatives in Attendance

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Day, Joseph, Le, Heise, Heiskell, Brigham, Triplett, Haney, Kincaid, Absi, Baker, Embry, Sexton, McCarty, Weathers

# Note Taker

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Embry

## Minutes

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    - No further edits
    - Will send to faculty for vote at next faculty meeting.
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      - Discussion of pro's and con's
  - Do we want to schedule an open house for 2nd semester?
    - Yes, January 26, 5:00-6:30 p.m.
  - Questions/Comments
    - Recommendation for Freshman Academy before the start of school next year.
    - Student services bathrooms were gross during basketball games. Need to be cleaned after school before games.
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## Action Items

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- **McCarty** will discuss the issue of consistent grading practices as they apply to the AdvancED expectations with leadership team.
- **Embry** will ask Karen to put the Open House on the schedule.
- **McCarty** will notify staff of Open House on Thursday, January 26 from 5:00-6:30 p.m.

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## Next Meeting Agenda Items

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