

## **School Leadership Team**

Meeting Agenda May 18, 2020

- I. Welcome 6:30-6:35p
- II. Approval of May 11 minutes 6:35-6:40p
  - A. Discuss any necessary changes
  - B. Vote on approval
- III. Understanding our Student Body 6:40-7:10p
  - A. Summary of metrics/trends for our student population
  - B. Clarify definition of magnet and poverty as they relate to our school
    - Poverty Students who qualify for free or reduced lunch. We should be mindful that this may be higher than CMS projects due to the short-term or long-term economic impact of COVID-19 on our families. This could result in
      - a) More families moving during the school year than typical
      - b) Impact the affordability of fees and other school costs
      - c) Impact PTA fundraising abilities
- IV. Share Feedback on Student-Parent Handbook Topics 7:10pm 7:50pm
  - A. Communication between teachers and parents
    - 1. Best practices (email, Remind app, text, newsletters, etc.)
  - B. Academic Celebrations
    - 1. Attendance (no unexcused absences), character, academic, STEAM awards, other awards
    - 2. Group celebrations vs. in classroom
  - C. Homework
    - 1. Minimal homework read nightly, study for tests, occasional projects, minimal assignments to develop executive function
- V. Closed session: Safety and/or Title IV issues (if any) 7:50-7:55
- VI. Action Items and Upcoming Meeting Schedule 7:55-8:00pm

## **Upcoming Topics**:

- Extracurricular and STEAM enhancing activities (next week)
  - Before/after school
  - During school electives/specials
- Development of School Improvement Plan Goals (target end of June meeting)
  - o Final draft due in October
  - Need to wait for student data to be loaded into the portal
  - o Discovery Place and Out Teach to provide teacher STEAM training