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SAC Minutes for Dec 2, 2021

Present: Jan Archibald, Jacquelyn Reid, Connie Johnson, Jaymi Cormier, Erin Kennedy, Donna Bohemier

Regrets:

Call to Order

Student Success Plan:

Literacy Goal: To improve student achievement in reading comprehension with a focus on critical response to text.

- Teachers will use reading workshop daily with a focus on effectively conferring with individual students and small groups.
- Teachers will develop and implement Deep Learning cross-curricular/integrated lessons that require critical thinking.
- Teachers will use ongoing classroom assessment (conversations, observations, products) to develop responsive lessons for the whole class, small groups and individual students.

Math Goal: To improve students' ability to solve open-ended problems through critical thinking in math.

- Teachers will use a constructivist approach to math instruction with an emphasis on effectively questioning students to clarify thinking, redirect thinking and to draw out math concepts.
- Teachers will co-construct problem solving criteria with students, teaching them to self-assess in relation to this criteria.
- Teachers will use ongoing classroom assessment (conversations, observations, products) to develop instructional responses to meet the needs of students within a problem solving context.

Well-Being Goal: We will improve students' well-being by connecting with students on a deeper level and building relationships through social and emotional learning.

- Staff will get to know our students – their culture, interests, talents, family, community, hobbies, goals, and beliefs
- Staff will empower students' voice and choice by facilitating opportunities for students to learn through their own interests and passions
- Staff will provide tools in the classroom to help students reduce stress (mindfulness routines, outdoor classroom)
- Staff will teach and model mindfulness in the classroom
- Staff will help students learn to consider the well-being of others

Principal's Report

- HRCE P-2 initiative
- Panda Awards- We had our second Panda Awards Assembly on Nov. 30th.
- Window Replacement Project
 - The window replacement project is due to begin on December 6th with the work to be scheduled to be finished on December 15th. This work will take place after hours. Contractors will not be on site before 3:30 pm. This information was sent to families in the monthly newsletter and Excel has been notified. It is important to keep children away from the work area. All windows on the lower level will be placed with the exceptions of the front windows and windows under the two-story part of the building.
- SAC funding- We are still waiting for the funding. We will be purchasing the Fountas and Pinnell guided reading kits with levels D-M.
- SSP goals and action steps

Holidays at CPS

- We will be decorating the front foyer again this year. The Changemakers will be doing the giving tree and will be running our annual food drive. We will be doing a sing-a-long recording to be sent to families. We will be holding three spirit days:
- Friday, December 17 is Hot Chocolate and Candy Cane Day – Feel free to dress like a candy cane in colours...red, white and green
- Monday, December 20th is Festive Wear Day (ex. wear red, white and/or green, ugly holiday sweaters, festive hats)
- Tuesday, December 21st is Pajama Day

Soup's On Fundraiser

- We sold 273 packages of soup. Our Home and School made a profit of \$729

Upcoming Meeting Dates:

- January 13, 2022
- February 10, 2022
- April 21, 2022
- June 9, 2021

Meeting adjourned at 4:20 pm

Submitted by: Jacquelyn Reid