Superintendent Principal Advisory Council

3100 Panther Pride Drive, Dumfries, VA 22026

January 29, 2025

PAC Meeting Agenda

Members Present: Ms. Ultsch, Ms. Davis, Ms. Alam, Mrs. Cracknell, Ms. Nelzy, Ms. ter Weele, Dr. Ridley, Ms. V. Johnson, Ms. McCoy, Mrs. Rainer, Mrs. May, Dr. Leach, Principal Johnson, Ms. Dawkins, Ms. Thompson

1. Welcome

2. Reading of previous meeting minutes & approval

Secretary was assigned to Lauren May; Discussion of opening to the community; Changed by-laws (membership was very staff-heavy so updated, changed frequency of meetings, virtual option for meetings)

3. Open Chair

- Ms. Alam would like to confirm who the representatives are for the school.
- Ms. Davis would like to know if there has been a change in attendance based on the amount of communication from the county. Principal Johnson says that she can't speak for the school system, but she has not seen an impact at our school yet.

4. SACI Update

Questions from Parents:

Ms. Alam: Why are the standards implemented so suddenly? Low response rates on surveys?

Lauren May's email address for further questions blankelj@gmail.com

5. Principal Update

- a. **CIP Goals** Ms. Ultsch (K-2 data to follow); Ms. Cpin is collecting data on gifted students and pass advanced on the math SOL
 - Math
 - 3rd Grade: 55% average for third grade in math, 40% ELLs, 42% SWD
 - o 57%, 43%, 14% for SWD
 - o 59%, 40% ELLs, 42% SWD
 - Science
 - o 4th/5th 54%, SWD 29%, ELL 37% aiming for 70%
 - Chronic absentee 15%

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- HMH for Reading closing the gaps between kids reading below, kids reading on grade level and kids reading above
- VGA grades 3-8, Math; parent reports going home next week
 will show growth from fall to winter; students who are eligible for all in tutoring have had it put into place
 - o Grade 3: 26/103 students not proficient, 43/103 at risk, 18/103 proficient
 - o Grade 4: 46/111 not proficient (41%), 56/11 at risk (50%), 9/111 proficient
 - o Grade 5: 45/102 not proficient, 36/102 at risk, 21/102 proficient (21%)
- b. **Proposed Budget** Budget is not available at this time, will be prepared to talk about it at the next meeting.

6. Teacher representative

- a. Grade K- 2 Rep. Mrs. Cracknell
- b. Grade 3-5 Rep. Mrs. Rainer and Mrs. Robinson
- c. SPED Rep. Ms. George
- d. Specialist Rep. Ms. ter Weele
- e. ESOL Rep Ms. Nelzy

7. Questions

Next Meeting 2/26; focus will be the budget

8. Adjourn