

School Improvement Meeting – August 7, 2018

Present: Lisa Byrum, Tim Lazar, Susan Ferguson, Millicent Harrington, Rebecca Hassell, Trina Barnes, Renee Crider, Margie White, Michelle Peede, Anna Black, Crystal Richardson

INTRO – Be a leader. Set good examples. Inspire others. Let team know to call before you come in this summer. Teacher working condition survey indicates 80% positive.

There is an AIG position to fill. We anticipate other openings as positions in county shift. No more than 20 kids per room. Assistants will be assigned after final teachers are in place. Kindergarten assistants will work with First, Second and Third grade classes. Ms. Mizelle is new Social Worker hired. Yolanda Anderson will supervise curriculum and MTSS. Custodians at Grandy will be Sheila Elliott and Debra McCoy with afterschool cleaning done by ServiceMaster.

MTSS – is not a process. It IS a support system.

Team voted that SIT terms should run 3 years. This allows for some experience on the team to lead new members as they come in. Vote on new representation for the SIT for the upcoming year. Also, the team leader will serve on the MTSS committee.

PTO will do all AR parties this year. Will set the celebration across the grade levels. PTO will also reimburse teachers \$20 spent on classrooms. Turn in receipts.

Early Release days will be used for Professional Development this year.

Goals and Missions for upcoming year include addressing mental health issues among students and safety. There will be a county wide safety committee with community input.

Bucket Bucks will encourage good behavior in class “competition.” Given out by administration to classes showing good procedures.

Some discussion about how to improve pick-up procedures. Is it possible to combine CIS and GPS?

Parent Concerns: would like to see improvement in pick up procedures. Increase the size of the parking lot? Where are the cameras for 3rd grade all. There is a need for a camera and the front door for full-body image (lobby and entrance cam). LOCKS is not doing a Fall Fundraiser. There is approximately \$20,000 in the account. Dr. Ferrell will meet with LOCKS and prioritize safety needs. All doors have a card swipe for entry now. Discussion about starting a possible “Watch Dog” program of volunteer dads to mentor students.

Will change table cleaning methods in cafeteria. Will use Clorox wipes instead of cloth rags.

Attached agenda