

## Community Council – January 19, 2021

In attendance: Ryan Brown, Molly Brown, Kristi Davis, Edwin Clements, Denise Marshall, Jessica McDonald, Liz Heywood. Erin Sabey asked to be excused tonight.

Mr. Brown welcomed the group.

Mr. Brown explained the Trustland Funds. The overarching purpose of community council is to decide how to use those funds. There should be more parent members on the council than (voting) teachers to rule the voting.

1. The minutes from last meeting (October 2020) were reviewed and accepted by Liz and seconded by Jessica.
2. Ryan talked about our literacy Middle of Year Goals and Molly presented our most recent data.

## Early Literacy Goals 20-21

**Goal #1** - By EOY assessment, we will increase proficiency on NWF WWR in 1st grade by 25%. The purpose of this goal is to focus on student skills in blending and DORF.

	BOY	MOY Goal or better	MOY Actual	% change	EOY Goal or better	EOY Actual	% change
<b>JRS 1st</b>	<b>44 %</b>	57%	<b>87%</b>	43%	69%		
<b>Dis. Avg.</b>	<b>51 %</b>	64%	<b>74% (w/out t MES)</b>	23% (w/out MES)	76%		

**Goal #2** - By EOY assessment, we will reduce the percentage of well below (red) students by 36% from BOY to EOY in 3rd grade as measured by composite score. The purpose of this goal is to

target our most needy students and provide intensive support to close the achievement gap.

	BOY	MOY Goal or better	MOY Actual	% change	EOY Goal or better	EOY Actual	% change
<b>JRS 3rd</b>	<b>41 %</b>	34%	<b>33%</b>	-19%	26%		
<b>Dis. Avg.</b>	<b>37 %</b>	30%	<b>34% (w/out MES)</b>	-9% (w/out MES)	24%		

**Goal #3** - By EOY assessment, 60% of students in K-3 will have typical or better growth as measured by Pathways of Progress. The purpose of this goal is to assure that students are making sufficient progress towards academic goals.

	BOY	MOY Actual	EOY Actual
<b>K</b>	Goal is 60% or above by EOY. Pathways of Progress measurement begins at MOY. This measures growth from BOY to EOY based on comparative scores nation wide.	<b>77%</b>	
<b>First</b>		<b>79%</b>	
<b>Second</b>		<b>63%</b>	
<b>Third</b>		<b>74%</b>	
K-3 Average		73%	
<b>Fourth</b>		<b>69%</b>	
<b>Fifth</b>		<b>71%</b>	
K-5 Average		72%	

Liz remembered last year there was a dip in our 1<sup>st</sup> grade reading achievement. She asked if we know what to attribute that to. 1<sup>st</sup> grade worked really hard to align their teaching, with the help of the coaches. Also, our 95% training model and Haggarty models that all teachers are trained in. Molly also added that this year our first graders were able to focus more on 1<sup>st</sup> grade instruction instead of kinder skills. The kinder teachers really have been working hard to prepare their students so the kinder kids are more prepared for 1<sup>st</sup> grade.

Denise also explained how that certain groups of students also can effect the data. Some groups may struggle more than others for one reason or another. More second language students, etc.

Common assessments across the grade level are also very informative to help teachers see how well students are doing individually as well as in a group. This helps teachers see what students need extra help with certain “holes” in their education that they should have mastered in a previous grade.

Will teachers still get these extra planning days to help teachers align their curriculum and work together next year or when COVID is not an issue? We don't know, but there has been talk with the super intendent to look at continuing these days to improve teacher's teaching.

3. Ryan followed up on his conversations with Heber City about our safe walking route next to our exit near the Head Start building. The proposal was approved and the city will be getting signs for no parking during school hours. (See email to Mr. Brown below)

“Mr. Brown:

Great news. The City is able to accommodate your request. See Bart Mumford's (City Engineer) response below.

Best,  
Tony

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> Tony,

> I've visited with the Chief and staff and we agree that this area can be designated "No Parking during School Hours" like the rest of the road to the east, and that this request can be handled administratively. You can let Ryan know that we will work with Public Works to get the correct signage installed when they can schedule it in. At this time we will just be doing the required signage but not the optional red curbing.

> BART”

Any other items anyone would like to discuss? Motion to adjourn by Denise, Liz and Ryan seconded the motion.

Next meeting will be on March 23rd at 8:00 pm