

**Sea Castle Elementary School
School Advisory Council/School Advisory Forum
March 21, 2019 @ 8:30 a.m.
Meeting Minutes**

Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 8:39 a.m.

Welcome

Mrs. Reyes welcomed all in attendance

Reading and Approval of February Minutes (SAC/SAF)

Everyone was given the opportunity to read and review the minutes. A motion to accept the minutes as read was made by Mrs. Rivera. Mrs. Fudge seconded the motion.

Accountability Report

Mr. Rodriguez provided enrollment data for next school year. Currently, there are 154 fifth grades and 100 kindergartens, this will impact teacher enrollment next year because student enrollment will decrease by about 50 kids. Mr. Rodriguez spoke about projected numbers of student enrollment for next year; 770 is the estimate enrollment for the 2019-2020 school year. There will be about two to three teachers that will be impacted because of this adjustment. Beginning next year, Title1 will fund 4 ½ positions instead of 5.

Mr. Rodriguez proposed to use the accountability dollars to fund the reading program Flocabulary. A motion was made for funds to be used for Flocabulary. The floor was open for votes, all was in favor. Additionally, Mr. Rodriguez proposed for Sea Castle students to have 1:1 computers K-5th. He also brought up a concern about students mishandling headphones. There is a possibility that he will recommend using accountability dollars to purchase more headphones for students.

Mr. Rodriguez spoke about the benefit of students on working on i-Ready lessons. The lessons are aligned to the standards. He brought mentioned the improvements students are making on Math standards since working on i-Ready lessons for additional time. Mrs. Reyes discussed the growth: 96% of students are actively on i-Ready and 74% of students are passing lessons.

New Business

Mrs. Reyes discussed and shared photos of prior events at Sea Castle:

- STEM Night
- Peace Walk
- Acts of Service & Love
- Dr. Seuss Week
- Color Run
- Teacher of the Year Ceremony

Remediation Plans/ Aligned Instruction

3rd grade had a mid-year assessment

4th and 5th grades have a grade wide crunch time plan and individual remediation plans.

AdvancED Survey

Giving stakeholders a voice in our school. There is a parent, student, and teacher survey

Title 1 Addendum

Mrs. Reyes reviewed the results for the Title 1 parent survey on communication methods and parent engagement family plan.

Questions, Concerns, Comments

-Mrs. Jones spoke about the 57 essays that students submitted for Women's History Month. Winners received a prize.

-Mrs. Fudge discussed volunteering at the Book Fair. She said parents were complaining about the amount of Homework that 5th graders are receiving. Mr. Rodriguez addressed the issue and discussed next year 5th grade students are only having 2 teachers instead of 3. He also discussed that students have to learn to juggle work in all classes being that they are going to Middle School next year with 8 classes.

-Ms. Pearce spoke about the goals students have in the club Rise up and Lead and the future events they have planned to better the school, community, and the world.

Adjournment

A motion was made to adjourn the meeting by Mrs. Gomez , Mr. Lee seconded the motion. The meeting was adjourned at 9:23 a.m.

Upcoming School Events

-3/22 Teacher Planning Day

3/25- 3/29 Spring Break

4/1 School Resumes

4/2 Light it up Blue

4/2 FSA Testing 3rd-5th

4/3 FSA ELA testing 3rd Grade (Reading Session 2)

4/4 Spring Pictures

4/16 Third Quarter Report Cards Go Home

Upcoming Meeting Dates

<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>
April 17 th Media Center location	8:30
May 15 th	8:30