

# Interdistrict Discovery Magnet School

## School Governance Council Meeting Minutes

Wednesday, November 3, 2021 3:30 – 4:30 p.m.

### Principal Report

- Students getting into school routines
- Waggle, Lexia, Power Up, Kahn Academy usage is up
- Pre-K students have access to Lexia – need to get students on
- Marking Period 1 closes Friday 11/5
- Conferences November 17 – 18 - Virtually on Teams
- Vertical data teams- math fluency through Moby Max
- STEM education grades 4 – 12 – programming, career readiness
- Class Photos – Lifetouch date to be rescheduled
- Yearbook
  - committee of teachers needed
  - pre-orders only

### Classroom Reports

- Pre-K – finishing assessments and progress reports
- 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> - students transitioned into routines
  - utilizing online resources
  - Students enjoyed trunk-or-treat
- 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> grade - utilizing writer's notebooks – students journal independently for 10 minutes – use different prompts
  - Social studies- 7<sup>th</sup> grade Latin American unit- learning about different cultures through book review
  - Learning how to take notes and share
  - 8<sup>th</sup> grade American Revolution and Constitution – writing argumentative essays
  - Spelling Bee 3<sup>rd</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup> Grades January 27<sup>th</sup>
  - History Day – November 10<sup>th</sup> 1:30 honors level classes
  - January 11<sup>th</sup> - graduation fees due

- High School applications 8<sup>th</sup> Graders - Mrs. Rosoff supporting
  - Completing applications
  - Fairchild Wheeler application online
  - Letters of recommendation from teachers
  - Editing essays
  - Students learning how to use technology to communicate with teachers
  - Aquaculture visit November 12<sup>th</sup>

#### Parent Reports

- Trunk-or-treat - 33 families participated with cars
- Meadow Farm Fundraiser completed – all online orders
- Little Shoppers for holiday gifts- week of December 6 - Parent volunteers needed
- Book Fair – week of conferences November 15-19
- December 11 – Breakfast with Santa - \$5 a person / \$20 per family – breakfast from Vazzy's
- STEAM night January 20

**Next meeting Wednesday, December 1 – 3:30**