



Educational Improvement Council

2020-2021 Minutes

October 8, 2020

I. Welcome – Edna Garcia

Meeting started at 4:15

Continued Zoom because of increase in Covid numbers.

II. Parent Involvement Policy – Cynthia Isaguirre

Parent Involvement Policy-Same for every campus except Highland. It was tweaked a little bit

School Parent Compact- do at the beginning of each year. All students must fill one out and turn it in.

-What percentage of parents sign parent compact? Try for 100% at elementary level
Offered in English and Spanish.

-What % parents follow through with what they signed?

Virtual has a little different wording. High percentage of parents participate in elementary. Less in secondary.

These were presented as informational material. No voting needed.

III. Update on COVID – Dr. Rick Garcia

Daily and weekly submission of positive reports to TEA and Dept of Health and Human Resources.

Students are at 0.3% positive rate. 4800 students

Teachers/Staff are at 2.7% positive or exposed

Banners are up for students and visitors

No visitors unless there is an educational need. Screening and temp checks for all that come in. Every day every campus/classroom is sanitized. Masks for students and staff as needed. Potential exposure is disinfected immediately. Clorox 360 machine was received this week. District is being very proactive. Level 2 disinfecting from a company is not necessarily needed because of the level of disinfecting going on at our campuses. Masks for teachers with transparent portions for guided reading and partitions for guided reading tables.

Covid 19 Decision Tree is available to help in deciding how to handle situations where Covid may be present. On PISD website left, quick links. Nurses make decisions if and when a person goes home. Seeing a decrease in virtual learners. Most are health compromised or family health compromised.

Started online with 1086 down to app. 800.

Home visits (twice) with online students, especially those who are struggling. Give support and opportunity to come back to in person instruction.

John Bertsh- Concerned with jaywalking in school zones. Dr. Garcia will contact PISD police department.

IV. Adjourn

Next meeting November 12

Adjourned 4:34