

Community Council November 19 @2:30 via google hangout

Welcome-

Goal of our committee- Oversee the needs of the school in the areas of academics and safety and how those needs can be funded through Trust Lands

Previous meeting minutes for approval-Emailed to Council

Student Achievement:

DIBELS – test scores are up and lots of progress

- **Language Arts Interventions- Daven-** test scores are good and lots of proof of growth. Our test scores are rivaling other schools in high demographics.
- **Math- My Math - Math interventions- Susan** – interviewing kids and setting goals with them in WEIDA – need a 5.0 to be able to exit the intervention program.
- **Spanish DLI - (Briz)** Apple scores are up. Applying for “DLI school of the year.” like New curriculum – Related to Science and books are better, and stories more on grade level.
- **Spanish ELL – (Lesa)** ELL Interventions – peer goals for each grade reviewed, constantly reviewing and making a plan for each kid

Computer programs: Raz, iReady, and Duolingo

- In fall will be Imagine Learning (State program for ESL - 60 minutes a week per kids)
- Math next year- ST Math – iReady Math – Alex (not want to burn kids out on this)

RISE testing coming up – didn’t have them last year. Very complicated, Multiple step. RISE not paper and pencil and so its hard.

PLC’s are awesome and really helping

- Team leaders running them perfectly after training this last fall.
- They discuss data – who is not getting it and what are we going to do about it, and when are we going to see if these kids are getting it. So focused and easy to see what’s happening in each grade. Record everything on google Doc.

Girls on the run, we basically rent out our school to them. It benefits them and us. Need at least 8 girls. Starts 3 grade girls. Teaches them so much, including leadership.

Emotional Support for students –

- Teir 3 – school counselor working on this constantly, constantly putting out fires and dealing with issues. So busy and has not extra time for preventative.
- Teir 2 – Need to hire someone for this group – socially/mental and being able to talk – mostly preventative
- Teir 1 – Move This World – Constantly working on this in the classroom, taught to all kids. Teachers would love more time with this.

Attendance –

- Problem and always have a problem.
- Last year tried to hit attendance goals.
- Calling parents and mediating constantly
- 18% increase from last year, so there is improvement this year.

Extra Trust Land Money - Any money not used because of COVID interruptions, was used to purchase Chrome Books.

Proposal	Description- Benefit to students	Estimated Cost
Choir/Conga Town	Hire a qualified paraprofessional to direct our choir and/or conga town. Need to find a percussion teacher to do Conga town. Parents see what you can find, School does not know anyone. Is there a private teacher who could do this?	3,000
Professional development subs	This is really important.	3,500
BTS teacher	Music teacher for BTS (Cathy McCann) we have to pay part of that teacher, that is	11,920

	how the grant is.	
Hire paraprofessionals	*A paraprofessional to run our K Spanish club daily from 10:45-11:40 *Two highly qualified paraprofessionals to run our HAL groups in the am and math groups in the pm.	34,000
(Nutcracker)	Students will participate in a Jr. Broadway play during the fall season 34 kids in Willy Wonka	3,000
SEE Student	Hire a Dixie State intern. This intern will serve as an additional teacher with small groups, interventions, and high ability. Like another teacher in the classroom for our English teachers. Some of money come from Title 1 money.	8,664
Parent Night classes	Teach parents reading skills in Spanish and English Many Spanish speaking parents were ready for it. Canceled in the fall. Also have teachers learn Spanish.	\$3,000
STEM Coordinator	Teach coding classes twice a week and coordinate all of our science and STEM activities Kristen 2 times a week after school for next year. Coding going to start next year. She is running GeoB district sponsored event for 4 th and 5 grade kids. She is running Science Fair.	\$3000
RAZ Kids	Software program for Spanish	\$1,500
Dixie State Intern	Student to help assist in the Spanish classes Target language teachers don't. this would help support them. Lucia screens them and interviews them in her DSU class.	\$2500
Summer school	Summer school for students K-5 by recommendations and planning on it, small groups.	\$5000 (May need 6K?)
		Total to spend: \$78,084

Violin program – we have violins, but asked to do what other schools are doing and so share a teacher at Lava Ridge. Starts at 7AM at Lava. Really hard for parents!!! Especially for working parents that don't have access to violin lessons. Could we move it to our school in an after school program? Early morning hard for our demographics. Can we pay for a teacher with Trust Lands money. We could all search and look for a violin teacher for 4th and 5th grade next year as well that could come after school. Might be easier because we have early out. (Also have a set of Ukelele not being used.)

Thank you from all of us! We feel our kids are getting their needs met – low and high kids! Our kids are happy! We see the improvement! Thank you teachers! Thank you Administrators! Thank you for listening to us as parents!