

KIPP Woodson Park Academy

Date: February 3, 2025

Time: 4:15PM

Location: <https://kippmetroatlanta-org.zoom.us/j/92367295561>

I. Call to Order

II. Roll Call; Establish Quorum

III. Action Items

- A. Approval of Agenda
- B. Approval of Previous Minutes: [W 12.9 Draft Minutes.docx](#)
- C. Fill Open Community Member Seat: 1 Opening
 - i. New Family Member Seat

IV. Discussion Items

- A. Discussion Item 1: Winter MAP Academic Data
- B. Discussion Item 2: Attendance Data to Date

V. Information Items

- A. Principal's Update:
 - i. Announcements & Upcoming Events

VI. Public Comment

VII. Announcements

- A. Reminders
- B. Trainings

VIII. Adjournment

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I. Roll Call

Role	Name (or Vacant)	Present or Absent
Principal	Tara Stifler	Present
Parent/Guardian	Kesha Crittendon	Absent
Parent/Guardian	VACANCY	N/A
Parent/Guardian	Tikia Cross	Absent
Parent/Guardian	Breanna Thompson	Present, tardy
Instructional Staff	Jeon Graham	Present
Instructional Staff	Robert Lyon	Present
Instructional Staff	Rashad Chase	Present
Instructional Staff	Carita Harvey	Present
Community Member	Deandre Goolsby	Present, tardy
Community Member	Vacant	Absent
Swing Seat	Brandon Raper	Present

II. Action Items *(add items as needed)*

- A. Approval of Agenda: Motion [Passes/Fails]
- B. Approval of Previous Minutes [Passes/Fails]
- C. Fill Open Community Member Seat: None Recommended

Open Position:	Community Member
Appointee's Name:	None Recommended

- D. Fill Open Staff Member Seat: None Recommended

Open Position:	Staff Member (new vacancy)
Appointee's Name:	None Recommended

- III. Discussion Items**
 - A. Discussion Item 1:** Winter MAP Data
 - B. Discussion Item 2:** Attendance Data
- IV. Information Items**
 - A. Principal's Update**
 - i. Announcements & Upcoming Events
- V. Public Comment**
 - A. None Present
- VI. Announcements**
- VII. Adjournment: Motion [Passes/Fails]**

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VIII. Roll Call

Role	Name (or Vacant)	Present or Absent
Principal	Tara Stifler	Present
Parent/Guardian	Kesha Crittendon	Absent
Parent/Guardian	Angelica De la Cruz	N/A
Parent/Guardian	Tikia Cross	Absent
Parent/Guardian	Breanna Thompson	Present, tardy
Instructional Staff	Jeon Graham	Present
Instructional Staff	Robert Lyon	Present
Instructional Staff	Rashad Chase	Present
Instructional Staff	Carita Harvey	Present
Community Member	Deandre Goolsby	Present, tardy
Community Member	Vacant	Absent
Swing Seat	Brandon Raper	Present

Quorum Established: [Yes or No]

Called to order by our Chair, Ms Graham.

I. Action Items *(add items as needed)*

A. **Approval of Agenda:** Motion made by: [Harvey]; Seconded by: [Lyon]

Members Approving: All

Members Opposing: None

Members Abstaining: None

Motion [Passes/Fails]

B. **Approval of Previous Minutes:** *List any amendments to the minutes:*

i. No adjustments made

Motion made by: [Raper]; Seconded by: [Lyon]

Members Approving: All

Members Opposing: None

Members Abstaining: None

Motion **[Passes/Fails]**

C. Fill Open Community Member Seat:

- i. Ms. Graham asked for any recommendations. No one responded. Mrs. Harvey also stated that she had no one at this time.

Open Position:	Community Member
Nominee's Name:	None at this time
GO Team Members In favor	N/A
GO Team Members Opposed	N/A
GO Team Members Abstaining	N/A

D. Fill Open Family Member Seat:

- ii. Ms. Graham named that we are looking for a family member, as one of our families moved out of zone. She pushed everyone to bring any nominees and/or reach out to families that we know

Open Position:	Family Member
Nominee's Name:	None at this time
GO Team Members In favor	N/A
GO Team Members Opposed	N/A
GO Team Members Abstaining	N/A

II. Discussion Items

A. Discussion Item 1: [Winter MAP Data](#)

- i. Ms. Graham began by explaining the difference between achievement data and growth data. She named, and asked Ms. Stifler, that our goal was 75% of scholars meeting the growth target goal
- ii. Ms. Graham asked us to look for our wonderings and noticings and give us space to share them
- iii. K-8 ELA and Math Data was shared
- iv. Ms. Harvey and Ms. Graham named that we are short of the 75% goal, even in places where we are beating other regions, but that we have until March to meet the goal and we know we can meet it
- v. Dr. Lyon said that he is glad that we are not at our goals yet as opposed to getting there now already. He thinks this will push us to grow more and continue to work hard, not just coast.

B. Discussion Item 2: [Attendance Data](#)

- i. Ms. Graham asked us to name noticings and wonderings for attendance as well
- ii. She reminded us that our goal is 75% of scholars are at school 90% or more of days
- iii. She said with her homeroom she is encouraging 2 weeks of coming to school and she will throw a party, and then they can continue the 2 weeks and how impactful that will be!
- iv. Dr. Lyon shared about club ideas and how if many teachers did one day a week of a club and then ONLY good attendance could come—if we make them really lucrative, scholars will want to

III. Information Items

A. Principal's Update

- i. Milestones in 40 days!
 - 1. Ms. Stifler built upon the importance of attendance that we have to come! Milestones are a snapshot, but we know they represent our school perception and ranking to the entire state and we need to be here to grow more!
- ii. Upcoming Events for February
 - 1. Ms. Stifler shared about the upcoming events through February—field trips, career day, dances, BHM performance, and more! A busy 2 weeks before break, a week off for scholars, and then ending strong with 1 more week in February.

IV. Public Comment

Ms. Graham opened up for public comment but there was no public available so moved on

V. Announcements

- A. Reminded everyone about how important it was to do trainings and to reach out to GOTeam if needed. She said she would ask for another update as some people see discrepancies.
 - i. Ms. Graham reminded everyone of the Ethics training and to do quizzes to ensure completion
- B. Reminded GOTeam Declarations are opened
 - i. named for folks who could reapply if needed, to share the word (need 2 staff and 2 family members as well)
 - ii. named that she sent it out to staff and has already heard from a few folks so maybe we can have some new faces next year!

VI. Adjournment

Motion made by: Raper Seconded by: Graham

Members Approving: All

Members Opposing: None

Members Abstaining: None

Motion [Passes/Fails]

ADJOURNED AT 4:41 PM

Minutes Taken By: Brandon Raper

Position: Secretary

Date Approved: March 3, 2025