

Meeting Minutes

Mary Lin Elementary School

Date: 12/11/2024 Time: 2:45 PM

Location: Mary Lin Elementary Media Center/Hybrid

I. Call to order: 12/11/24 at 2:50 PM

II. Roll Call

Role	Name (or Vacant)	Present or Absent
Principal	Denise Bringslid	X
Parent/Guardian	Kristy Perez	X
Parent/Guardian	Addison Draper	X
Parent/Guardian	Pari Ram	X (virtual)
Instructional Staff	Kayla Dees	X
Instructional Staff	Becki Heacox	X
Instructional Staff	Missy Snyder	X
Community Member	Lynley Teras	X
Community Member	Scott Thorpe	Х
Swing Seat	Kelsey Boyajian	Х
Student (High Schools)		

Quorum Established: [Yes]

III. Action Items

a. Approval of Agenda: Motion made by: [Kelsey Boyajian]; Seconded by: [Addison

Draper]

Members Approving: unanimous

Members Opposing: Members Abstaining:

Motion [Passes]

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

Motion made by: [Kelsey Boyajian]; Seconded by: [Addison Draper]

Members Approving: unanimous

Members Opposing: Members Abstaining:

Motion [Passes]

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IV. Discussion Items

- a. **Discussion Item 1**: Continuous Improvement Plan Check-In
 - Review of CIP Conversation from last meeting
 - Reviews of needs assessment and root cause and CIP Goals
- b. **Discussion Item 2**: Fall to Winter MAP data
 - MAP Growth data
 - a. Growth on target (or better) in both reading and math
 - b. High achievement levels, but focus on 4th grade math and 3rd grade reading using EIP teachers for focus
 - c. Emphasis on Black or African American sub-group around reading
 - d. SWD group grew in proficiency in reading and math
 - Discussion
 - a. **Pari M:** Reading drop across the district, but stayed level in Mary Lin.
 - i. May be in part driven by take rate and moving goal post.
 - b. **Becki H:** are we able to break it down by grade level?
 - Yes and will in the future after data is done (Denise B)
- c. **Discussion Item 3**: Strategic Plan Update
 - STEAM Certification process/rubric
 - At the yellow phase (See slides) and in preparation for certification
 - No true metrics for consideration within STEAM process, but maybe able to develop measures around the timeline (Kelsey B)
 - Share list/distribution of classes related to STEAM with APS (Addison D)
 - Some delay on timeline because of hiring at APS for doing the inspection (Kristy P)
 - how are we graded on STEAM? (Pari M)
 - a. Denise B: Ms. Schumacher submits regular updates to Dr. Edwards at APS.
 - Need to combine into succinct goals that Mary Lin has control over (Kelsey B)
 - Orange 2 Priority: Implement a plan to improve instructional practices in STEAM.
 - Orange 3 Priority: Choosing STEAM-based and multi-disciplinary curricula where possible.



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- Orange 1 Strategy: MLEF grant approval based on school's priorities.
- Orange 3 Strategy: Provide opportunities for STEM endorsement training.
- Orange 4 Strategy: Create a committee to review curricular resources among staff.
- Yellow 2 Priority: Design a learning environment that fosters STEAM-centered education.
- Yellow 3 Strategy: Investing in infrastructure to create flexible learning environments to augment STEAM centered learning.
- Grey 2 Priority: added on...and supplement with STEAM centered resources
- Grey 3 Priority: PBL units are STEAM focused.
- GOAL 4: Increase the percentage of students in sub-groups who score proficient on GMAS.

ACTION ITEM: Motion to approve revised Strategic Plan as described above Addison Draper motion for tabling of discussion, and move to approve changes. Lynley Teras Seconded

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- d. **Discussion Item 4**: Ranking Strategic Plan Priorities
 - **Denise B:** strategies on STEAM should be near the top
 - 1. Equitably align school resources with MLES mission and vision to become a STEAM certified school.
 - Denise B: change Orange priority 1 to add ...to become a STEAM certified school
 - **2.** Use data to inform instruction with a focus on both achievement and growth.

ACTION ITEM: Motion to approve ranking of Strategic Plan Priorities from Addison Draper. Seconded by Lynley Teras.

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V. Information Items

- a. **Principal's Report**
 - i. Testing timeline
 - ii. Safety
 - Safety improvements



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- Safe Haven Audit
- Badge reader installation in back door of library and parking lot gate
- Future plans/phases may include intercom/PA system and perhaps investment in PA for habitat area
- b. Cluster Advisory Team Report
 - i. Subcommittee regarding assessments formed, chaired by Principal Bringslid.
 - ii. Focus on assessment, safety and data impacting middle/high school.
- VI. Announcements
- VII. Public Comment
- VIII. Adjournment

Motion made by: [Kelsey Boyajian]; Seconded by: [Lynley Teras]

Members Approving: unanimous

Members Opposing: Members Abstaining:

Motion [Passes]

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Minutes Taken By: [Scott Thorpe]

Position: [Secretary]

Date Approved: [Insert Date When Approved]