

Mountain View Whisman School District
Monta Loma School Site Council
SSC Meeting Minutes for November 7, 2017

Attendees (Members):, Gloria Higgins, Glenn Bates, Brad Dux, Sarah Wu, Sarah, Dodson,
 Yanet Flores, Christina Valentine, Rachel Fetroe
Attendees (Public): N/A

Agenda Item:	Notes:	Action Taken / Proposed:
Convene Meeting & Review Agenda	The meeting was called to order at 4:04pm.	We will approve both August and October meeting minutes.
Public Input		
Addressing Race/Cultural Issues	<p>Conversation: We've had a couple of issues with students using racial slurs. Gloria had a conversation with a parent of one of the victims. What are we doing to address hate speech? We have the discipline piece in place but it doesn't address the issue. MVWSD has a general low population of african american students. What are some good approaches?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -recognize the upstanders -classroom discussion-what is an upstander? 	<p>Gloria will commit to</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - getting teachers resources -communicating with parents via Spotlights a no hate speech policy <p>Student Council will commit to</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -decorate a bulletin board with a multicultural theme... maybe flags, these are places where students are from, these are languages students speak.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -education around what hate speech is -possible cultural day “market day” make and share food. Learn about different flags. -upstander day -possible lunch group -Project Cornerstone books -implement a no hate speech policy -deal with discipline on an as needed basis -we focus our efforts making an inclusive culture <p>-Data to see if these efforts worked: Check in with the students, school climate survey</p>	
Site Plan Update/ SIOP	<p>MUR completion Jan 1. Safety issues have been addressed. Noise is still a concern. Rainy season is coming, dismissal concerns. Drop off and pick up concerns.</p> <p>Academic Vocabulary is starting in classrooms. Teachers are implementing supplemental resources. RTI is in full force. Responsive Classroom training in summer, still need 10 more teachers to go. Behavior Referrals are being tracked for data.</p>	
Recognitions/Announcements	<p>Fall Festival was a success. Layla Britt was recognized as an upstander at Leopard Launch on Monday</p>	
Adjournment	<p>The meeting was adjourned at 5:30pm.</p>	

Respectfully submitted,

Christina Valentine