

Fellsmere Elementary

February 12, 2018

### **SAC Minutes**

Meeting called to order at 3:46 pm. Mr. Chico seconded the motion.

SAC members reviewed and approved the minutes from the last meeting (December 2017). Ms. Gurklis motioned to approve the minutes; Mr. Chico seconded the motion.

Mrs. Matheny gave the team an overview of the Literacy Week highlights. The week was a great success. Students and teachers alike enjoyed author studies, a vocabulary parade/picnic, guest readers from the community, and, for the primary grades, a fun afternoon of literacy-rich activities presented by the Learning Alliance.

Mrs. Matheny updated the team on the SIP. Fellsmere is aiming for 50% proficiency across subject areas (math, ELA, and science). iReady predictions from the most recent diagnostic place our students around 50% proficiency for ELA and on the higher end of the 50<sup>th</sup> percentile for math proficiency. Mr. Chico asked how students are being supported in the upper grades. Mrs. Matheny stated that they have had many in-depth data chats and have created anecdotal notes for each child to best meet their needs and track individual progress. The "Extended Learning Opportunity" (after school Superstar Camp) has recently begun to support 5<sup>th</sup> graders in the bottom quartile. Mr. Chico asked about how the school plans to continue to keep students progressing as well as provide enrichment and support across the board. The team discussed ways teachers differentiate within their own classrooms, as well as the possibility of STEM enrichment for the next school year. Many 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> grade students are also participating in the Moonshot afterschool program during which they take part in leveled learning opportunities.

Mrs. Matheny also updated the team on the upcoming iReady ice cream celebration that will take place on February 14<sup>th</sup>. There will be an ice cream truck for students to enjoy during their lunch and celebrate the gains they've made (different incentives depending on if gains were made in one subject area or both). Community members are welcome to join in the celebration.

The meeting was motioned to adjourn at 4:02 pm, Mr. Chico seconded the motion.