

Mingus Union School Site Council 2018-2019

Meeting date: 12/6/18

Meeting location: MUHS Library

Present: A group of 15 people comprised of community members, parents, MUHS teachers, principal and classified staff.

Meeting called to order at 4:00 p.m. by Ms. Genie Gee, Principal/Superintendent

Agenda Items

Welcome

Ms. Gee welcomed all to the Site Council meeting. Gretchen Wesbrock the Director of Student Support Services helped facilitate the meeting. Ms. Gee had three different topic tables sectioned off as the following, Hot Topics, Parent Support and Parent Survey. The group was divided into three sections and spent ten minutes at each table to share their input on each topic.

Hot Topic questions:

1. As parents of teenagers, for which topics would you like the school to provide more information/resources?
2. How would you like to receive the information and resources?
3. Are there resources in the community that you think we should be plugging in to?
4. Are the community agencies that you think we should reach out for partnership?

*Parents are interested in a principal newsletter for information. Possible topics covered in the newsletter range from social media interactions, tobacco use information on vaping, outside agencies services and communication.

Parent Support questions:

1. School supply lists: Do you think our families would support the need for a school supply list? Should we expect our families to contribute?
2. What other opportunities are there for gathering feedback from families?
3. How can we encourage more participation in school decision-making from our Hispanic household?
4. How do you think parents of teenagers want to be involved in their child's education/school?
5. What can we do to show support for our families and parents in particular?

*Parents would like a place to look for information, again principal newsletter was mentioned. Post a supply list of needs per grade level. Communication lines open to our Hispanic families. Showcase student accomplishments in order to excite pride in themselves and school spirit.

Parent Survey:

1. Are there any questions that need additional review?
2. Are there any questions that may need to be clarified?
3. Do we need to gather additional information?
4. Is the information clear and easy to understand?

*Parents took parent survey and gave feedback on questions. Not applicable choice needs to be added to the survey.

Next meeting February 21, 2019 at 4:00 pm MUHS Library

Meeting adjourned at 5:10 pm

Bridget Hillman