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2023 - 2024 School Leadership Team Meeting Dates

September 26th

October 24th

November 28th

December 19th

January 30th

February 27th

March 26th

April 16th

May 28th

June 18th

\*Please Note: All meeting are on Tuesday’s and will start at 4:00 and will be virtual.

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School Leadership Team Meeting

Tuesday, January 30th, 2024 (Virtual)

Agenda

**Mission**

The community of 196WBMS is committed to working towards the enhancement of our standards-driven instructional program, creating high levels of academic excellence for all our students in each of the disciplines. We continue to provide a culturally responsive and safe environment that empowers all children, including English Language Learners, Dual Language Learners, and Students with Special Needs to experience greater success and confidence in themselves, allowing them to grow socially, as well as academically into well rounded and productive citizens who treat others with compassion and are prepared to challenge individual and systemic inequities in their future communities. Our students will attain these goals through the collaboration of school, home, and community. Our staff educates in a culturally responsive manner and continues expanding and developing their own cultural competence to sustain and build upon student, family, and community engagement strategies and programs throughout the whole school through creative, comprehensive, and inclusive strategies of culturally responsive project based learning that includes all the elements of STEAM, our students will become empowered lifelong learners prepared academically and socially-emotionally for college, careers, and the future.

**Instructional Focus**

Students will participate in rigorous and engaging activities within PBL units that contain all elements of 21st century STEAM skills. Teachers will provide opportunities for students to work collaboratively and independently, self-reflect, think critically, and problem solve when completing a challenging task. Our goal is to successfully prepare our students for college, careers, and their futures.

**Vision**

The vision of WBMS is to foster a positive environment where all students have the space and opportunities to learn and grow while feeling safe and supported.

* Welcome and Introductions
* Comprehensive Education Plan (CEP)
  + 2023-24 Goals
* Goal# 1- By June 2024, student performance in all grades will increase 15% from 44% to 59% as measured by Math Assessment Data.
* Goal # 2 - By June 2024, student performance in all grades will increase 15% from 44% to 59% as measured by Fountas and Pinnell Reading Assessments.
* Goal #3- By June 2024, communication and trust for all students will increase 2%, from 98% to 100%, as measured by positive NYC School Survey Results.
* PTA- Updates
  + Next Meeting
  + Picture Day- Thursday February 8th
  + Winter Wonderland Updates
* Old Business
  + Kindergarten Registration- Closed on January 19th
* New Business
  + Student Council Updates
  + Recruitment (283)
  + 100th Day of School is on Friday February 9th
  + 3K and Pre-K Registration- Now until March 1st
  + Open Houses every Wednesday
  + Safety
  + School Budget
  + Programming Updates
  + Mid-Winter Recess- 2/19-2/23
* 2023-2024 SLT Focus
  + Attendance- Chronic Absences
  + Parent Engagement
  + Recruitment
  + Safety
* Comments/Suggestions/Next Steps
* Next Meeting is Tuesday, February 27th.
* Thanks for your hard work and participation in the meeting!