

# Northern Guilford Middle

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## Meeting Minutes

**Meeting Date:** 11/10/2020 - 3:45pm

**Title:** November SBLT

**Location:** TEAMS meeting

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### **I. Attendance**

#### **Team Members:**

TJ Blanchette, Ivolyne Bonaparte, Katherine Bowie, Mike Davis, Fiorella DeLisa, Karen Ellis, Wendy Messer, Amy Moore, Johnathan Moore, Elizabeth Parker, Kirsten Pearson, Sandra Rathbone, Laura Shinn, Jayda Smith, Kimberly Thomas

#### **Guests:**

### **II. Celebrate recent successes**

Report Card and Materials Pick-up went well; Great to see students from afar and have staff on campus; 500+ families picked-up materials.

Classes responding well to Breakout Channels in TEAMS

November 2nd parent meetings by grade level went well

Teachers reaching out to students and families is continuing to improve, but would like to see it continue even more.

Pupillo's trivia everyday is getting students engaged.

Students sharing and connecting with others personally through Grade level lunches.

### **III. Review and respond to coaching comments**

Coaching comments asked us to update Goals for the 2020-21 school year. These goals had already been updated.

### **IV. Approval of last meeting's minutes**

Ellis motioned to accept minutes as presented. A 2nd was made. October minutes were accepted unanimously.

### **V. Old Business**

### **VI. Indicators to Assess-Create-Monitor**

#### ***Indicators Assessed***

**Objectives Planned For  
Monitor (updates made)**

11/10/2020

A1.07 - AUMAN

Wise Ways 1.07

All teachers employ effective classroom management and reinforce classroom rules and procedures by positively teaching them.

Evidence 1.07:

- Log In and Win! Incentive Tool--Knowing that success comes from logging in and coming to class and then completing assignments.
- Canvas Calendar, Canvas Dashboard, and Canvas Grades—Using these tools to track assignments
- Grade level buddies to check-in with one another
- School-wide initiative to stop new instruction on 11/20. 11/23-24 are days to help students to get caught up, and repeat on 1/11-20.

A2.04 - BOWIE

Wise Ways 2.04

Instructional Teams develop standards-aligned units of instruction for each subject and grade level.

Evidence 2.04:

- Explore best practices for teaching content through remote learning platforms.

o Evidence:

- o Teachers attending GCS content meetings for best practices with their area during remote learning
- o 6th grade sci—Genius Generation and sharing with the rest of Science content area
- o Math—Geogebra, Desmos, Zearn, and NearPod trainings
- o ELA—NewsELA training from consultants for teachers in Nov/Dec.(Sci/SS)
- o Encouragement to students to turn on cameras during instruction
- o SS—Edpuzzle and Discovery Ed

- o School-wide—Brain Pop usage in all content areas
- o TEAMS platform to try to engage students in classrooms in small groups, PD training during staff members
- Teachers model how students should engage with online platforms and virtual lessons.
- o Evidence:
- o Walk-thru data
- o TEAMS platform to try to engage students in classrooms in small groups
- o Compiled a list of strategies at the faculty meeting on 11/6 and it was shared with staff

#### E1.06 - MOORE

#### Wise Ways 1.06

The school regularly communicates with parents/guardian about its expectations of them and the importance of the curriculum of the home (what parents can do at home to support their children's learning.)

Evidence:

- Hosted Grade Level Parent sessions (11/2/2020) to update families about school, student, and parent expectations moving forward.
- Failing Grade letter agreement to parents for students to replace 1st quarter grades with a pacing 2nd qtr grade.
- How do we have Parent/Teacher conferences (team of teachers) to talk one-on-one with parents about student successes and struggles? (sign-up genius)
- Communication to parents about expectations of teachers
- Submission issues—"chasing zeros."
- Team of teachers meet with their parents to share expectations from particular teams
- Communication to parents regarding cameras being on during class for better instruction for better engagement and instruction and engagement
- Remind App

## **VII. Other Business**

### **Action Taken:**

Ellis--1st Quarter Grade Distribution Breakdown--More F's than our normal distribution of grades. We are putting some items in place (see above evidence) to help students complete work and bring up grades.

Bowie--First Quarter Interim Assessment Data that has been taken so far in comparison to other schools. This data is about the same compared to other schools as in previous years.

## **VIII. Next Meeting**

Date: 12/01/2020

Time: 8:00am

Title: December 2020 SBLT

Location: TEAMS meeting

## **IX. Adjourn**

5:00pm

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