

SEHS SLT Minutes 2.1.2022

The meeting commenced at **8:16am** via Zoom.

Copies of the January meeting minutes were emailed, reviewed and approved.

Old Business

Lindsey Vega provided an update on upcoming registration. Counselors will register students through 2nd block following this schedule: [2022 Blitz Registration](#). There will also be a parent meeting using a Teams Live Event on February 7.

New Business

SLT reviewed, discussed and approved the [May/June 2022 Exam Schedule](#). This document should be posted and publicized widely so that students and families know when they need to report for exams.

The Science department asked SLT to consider a bell that would better alert students to the 9:25 tardy bell to help alleviate so many 1st block tardies. SLT entered lengthy discussion but with no consensus it was agreed that SLT representatives would speak to their departments in order to make a decision at the March 1 meeting.

CTE asked for clarification about travel time between lunches. Per the bell schedule, students have 6 minutes of travel time even though SLT agreed not to ring tardy bells. Administration wanted to remind the staff that students can use the bathroom during their lunch so 6 minutes is appropriate except for Annex students who get 7 minutes to return to class.

Cynthia Vaughn attended the January 13 Superintendent's Teacher Advisory Committee meeting. There were 2 agenda items:

- **COVID update:** GCS opened testing sites and assigned COVID coordinators to high schools. The superintendent also provided an update on teacher and bus driver absences that have led to the use of city buses.
- **Bond Referendum:** The superintendent shared a PowerPoint of proposed schools and their basic design.

Ms. Vaughn has all the questions and answers from the meeting if anyone is interested. Ms. Vaughn asked about going back to a 180-day calendar and the answer focused more on block vs. traditional schedules. The next meeting is February 10th in which SLT requested that Ms. Vaughn ask about school start times for 2022-23.

Parent and Student Questions / Announcements

Parents requested that Vaughn bring up school start times at the next TAC meeting. Seagraves shared that tiered busing was a necessity due to bus driver shortages that was a critical issue prior to COVID. Additionally, there is currently no leadership in the Transportation Department nor over Operations.

The meeting adjourned at **8:54am**.

The next meeting will be March 1 at 8:15am via Zoom. Jamie Davis will send meeting links later.