

Doris Henderson Newcomers School – Leadership Team Meeting Minutes

<p align="center">Mission, Vision and Purpose</p> <p>Mission Statement: Empower students and families through challenging academics and language learning to help them become independent, lifelong learners.</p> <p>Vision Statement: To prepare all Newcomers students with the knowledge and skills necessary to be successful in American schools and society.</p> <p>Purpose Statement: To empower students and families through challenging academics and language learning to help them become independent lifelong learners with the knowledge and skills necessary to be successful in American schools and society while honoring all cultures and heritages.</p>	<p align="center">Goals</p> <p align="center">By the end of the 2016-2017 school year, all students attending our school for a minimum of six months will grow at least one proficiency level in listening, reading, writing, and speaking on the WIDA language assessment.</p>
<p align="center">Desired Outcome</p> <p>By the end of the meeting participants will:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Be aware of the procedures for the change of the semester 2. Be up-to-date on NC Star progress. 	
Guilford County Schools' Strategic Plan	
<p>Area I - Personalized Learning Area II - Character, Service and Safety Area III - Parent, Family and Community Area IV - Educator and Organizational Excellence</p>	<p align="center"><small>Five Key Questions</small></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <small>1. Are all racial/ethnic/stakeholder groups who are affected by the policy/practice/decision at the table?</small> <small>2. How will the proposed policy/practice/decision affect each group?</small> <small>3. How will the proposed policy/practice/decision be perceived by each group?</small> <small>4. Does the policy/practice/decision worsen or ignore existing disparities?</small> <small>5. Based on the above responses, what revisions are needed in the policy/practice/decision under discussion?</small>

Date: February 14, 2017 All members present

Topic	How	Time
Welcome	Discussion ~ Bailey	3:05
Review and approval of January 24, 2017 minutes	Discussion ~ McGoldrick <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Minutes reviewed and accepted. 	3:10
International Night	Discussion~ Review of feedback from staff at next leadership meeting <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Review of feedback from the staff Representatives will survey teams and report back to SLT at the next meeting Discussion will continue at the next meeting. 	3:15
Open Floor and adjournment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ES- nothing to discuss- bathing suits for ES swimming program MS- nothing to discuss HS- nothing to discuss Parents- Providing funding from PTA for bathing suits for ES students; talk to VF corporation for support; checking Thrift stores. Katona/Support- Friday May 12- 10-1pm brining families to school to increase parent engagement; agenda forthcoming Classified- May 3rd Grasshoppers game, May 23, 24, and 25 Natural Science Center trips Kouba- Dental visit on February 15 and the family literacy date will be changed from May 13 	3:45

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Meeting adjourned		4:15