

DEIC Minutes
Wednesday, December 11, 2019
4:00 – 5:00 PM

Welcome – Dr. Linda Macias

Dr. Macias greeted the members welcoming them to the final DEIC meeting for 2019.

Approve Minutes for September 18, 2019 – Dr. Linda Macias

The members reviewed the minutes from the September 18, 2019, meeting. The minutes were approved as presented.

Instructional Calendar – Dr. Linda Macias

Dr. Macias shared the calendar committee proposed 2020-2021 instructional calendar. She reviewed the committee makeup, the calendar requirements in Texas Education Code, and community and programming parameters. The proposed calendar is very similar to previous calendars, starting the fourth Monday in August and ending before Memorial Day. The calendar has four professional development days scheduled during the school year, the fourth being the Monday before election day. Elementary principals may determine whether Election Day is used as professional development/parent conference day. The 2020-2021 instructional calendar will go to the Board for approval at the January Board meeting.

Feedback Forms: Code of Conduct Handbook 20/21 – Dr. Ify Ogwumike & Candace Medlin

Candace shared the process to provide input and/or feedback for code of conduct and student handbook updates. A committee will meet in February to review feedback and input. The Board will approve the updates in May. Candace will return in May to give the outcome on this entire process.

Full Day Pre-K – Dr. Linda Macias

Full day pre-K will launch in January! All materials and equipment have been ordered and are arriving and being distributed to schools. Registration opportunities were scheduled for parents. Club Rewind will accept these new students before and after school. We must file a TEA waiver which is required of school districts that did not start full day pre-K in August. All departments collaborated to ensure that all aspects of programming were addressed. Student pre-K qualifications are still required for enrollment.

District Improvement Plan Update – Dr. Ashley Clayburn

Ashley presented the District Improvement Plan (DIP). She shared the process and the performance objectives in the DIP. DEIC members were asked to provide feedback on the District Improvement Plan. The comprehensive needs assessment was reviewed. All departments are represented in the plan. Ashley shared the process for developing the strengths, needs, goals, and performance objectives. The DEIC members were given time to review the DIP and were asked to provide feedback on goals and performance objectives as each member determined appropriate.

The meeting adjourned at 4:55 PM.