

# Beebe School Site Council

## Meeting Minutes

October 25, 2023

5:00 PM

**Location:** Zoom

**Roll Call of Members:** Staci Rubin, Rosalie Norris, Elizabeth Paulsen Tonogbanua, Christopher Fitzpatrick, Christina Cunningham, Yihua (Eva) Jiang, Sherri Jackson and Kari-ann Murphy

**Present:** Dr. Tonogbanua, Ms. Rubin, Dr. Murphy, Sherri Jackson, Kari-ann Murphy, Christopher Fitzpatrick, Eva Jiang,

**Guests:** Lou Zewdie, Rong Qi Zhao, Tiffany Ciccarelli,

1. Roll Call
2. School Improvement Plan SEL Goals update
  - The DEI-B team pushed due to the district pulling SEL team on the ½ day PD. We are working with the SEL during weekly meetings when we can to get a structure in place in hopes of being able to move forward with community and parent recruitment before the February ½ day.
  - We are looking to build resources on difficult conversations with students for teachers. There is some PD being offered on this from the district this year.
  - DEI team will hopefully be able to help with this
  - Will continue to grow practice with staff. Majority have had tier 1 training and most SEL team members have taken all 3 tiers.
  - Restorative Practices have not been as centered in district PD discussions as last year. There is little PD for this on the schedule this year. It is built somewhat into the code of conduct. More work needs to be done but will most likely be happening at the school level
3. New Drop Off Process
  - Allowing students to enter the building at 7:45 has been a help to families. Traffic seems better

#### 4. Staffing Needs

- Beebe has 7 positions currently posted. They are
  - Elementary Music
  - Middle school Health
  - ELL
  - ESP 1:1
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  - Gr 4 Long-term substitute
  - Gr 1 Long-term substitute
- Concern was expressed over the Spanish position being changed to health. SSC members felt the language or culture class important and would like to express such to the school committee. A letter will be drafted

#### 5. Library Access

- The media specialist is available at times during the week for library books to be checked out. The district librarian is also here once a week