




Joseph Howe Elementary School
SAC Agenda
January 10, 2023

Attendance:

Regrets:

1. Call to order
2. Introductions
3. Approval of Agenda

 SAC Meeting Minutes November 2022.docx <https://docs.google.com/d>

4. Business arising from November meeting

- **creating an opportunity for family night, focus on creating an opportunity for students to share norms they will create for community spaces.**
- **SAC spending**
- *School set of books compatible with reading programs taking place.*
- *Tattletales - increase high interest books for upper elementary. **(Agreed!)***
 - **Popular series inventory
- *Workshops with specialists (Healthy Schools Grant?)*
- *Mystery Science (account)*
- *Headphones set (Pricing?).*
- *Popcorn Machine*
- *More - outdoor activities / storage.*

5. Student Success Plan Data

Classroom	students meeting/total number of students - October	students meeting/total number of students - November	students meeting/total number of students - December
Primary Ward	1 meeting/20 students	13 meeting/20 students	15 meeting/20 students
Primary/One Bing	1 meeting/20 students	14 meeting/20 students	16 meeting/21 students
One Jennex/Newton	7 meeting/19 Students	12 meeting/19 students	12 meeting/19 students
One Dalloul	9 meeting/19 students	12 meeting/19 students	13 meeting/21 students
Two McGuire	11 meeting/23 students	14 meeting/23 students	15 meeting/24 students
Two Steeves	9 meeting/23 students	12 meeting/23 students	15 meeting/24 students

6. New Business:

- Principal's Message
- Playground Update - Playground is up and running.
- PALS Update -
 - o *Volunteer reading program has begun*
 - o *Looking for trip volunteers*

7. Finances

- SAC Grant: 5000\$ suggestions
- Student Support Grant: 5000\$
- Healthy Schools Grant: 5000\$

8. 2022-23 Registration (Last meeting: Total Population - 342, 10 new students New: Total Population - 354, 12 new students)

- Looking for suggestions supporting language communication with families.

Class	# of students December 14	# of students January 6
Primary Ward	22	22
Primary Bing	21	22
One Dalloul	21	22
One Jennex	20	20
Two McGuire	25	25
Two Powell	24	24
Three Lyons	26	26
Three/Four Stewart	26	26
Four Fleming	25	25
Four/Five Tannous	24	24
Five Landry	25	25
Five/Six DeWolf	26	26
Six Velemirovich	27	27

9. Special Reports/School Events

- Class trips Jennex and Dewolf - swimming, Fleming - Museum of Natural History, Tannous Fleming & 5/6 Dewolf - Oval2, 6V Pottery Lab, 5/6 Dewolf - Fire Station
- Basketball ongoing (Dal and School Team)
- Heart Program ongoing
- Tunnel Vision
- EAL tutoring (finished until the Spring)
- Breakfast Program, new breakfast items and new grants
 - o *food survey, what would you like to have?*
- Winter Holiday Concert - Hot Chocolate and treats were a hit
- Well-being posters to remind students of healthy/health activities have been a hit

Coming up this month -

- Fastest kid in Nova Scotia
- Smudging ceremony
- Blanket ceremony for 5/6 & 6 students.
- Family night grant (update)
- Family Literacy Night January 27th

10. AOB

Suggestions:

Field trip to learn about borrowing library books (cross-age buddies), developing reading interests. BINGO night (Cosmic)- Prizes - Theme baskets from each class. Fundraising/ organizing committee More - outdoor activities

11. Next Meeting: