

IPAT Minutes

April 6, 2017

Those present were Pat Barber, Kara Carney, Jennifer Gilray, Tony Losada, Randy Petrilla, Mike Rio, Ryan Saxe and Dawn Walker. Also present was Evan McCarthy and Sandra Riley-Hawkins.

The meeting was called to order at 9:15 a.m.

I. Welcome, introductions and review of minutes –The minutes of 1/27/17 were moved by Ryan and seconded by Mike. Motion carried.

II. MCTES 2016-2017

A. Student Growth Rating Charts – There was a motion by Ryan and a second by Dawn to approve the elementary student growth ratings for 2016-2017 as amended. There was a motion by Randy and a second by Tony to approve the middle school student growth ratings for 2016-2017. There was a motion by Ryan and a second by Dawn to approve the high school student growth ratings for 2016-2017 as amended. Research I will have to be taken out of the MCTES as well. Eliminate chemistry box and incorporate into ‘all high school teachers’ box. Dual enrollment (DE) students do not show up on rosters and cannot be incorporated into student growth scores. IPAT has been trying to find a way for teachers to get credit for all the students they teach, and this is the one area where thus far we have been unable to identify the students due to not being able to access SCF data. Add DE to ‘all teachers’ section. Survey 2 for intensive reading. Any teacher who does not have data will be notified that their score will be comprised of their observation and PGP. *Teachers who have no test data will have no student growth score and their 67% will count as 100%.

B. Dual Enrollment (DE) Update – see section A.

C. Comment Boxes for Teachers – Motion to add teacher comment boxes to walks and observations by Tony and a second by Dawn. Motion carried.

D. Communication of Timeline Changes – Evan is going to make changes and send to Pat who will forward to committee. Two day turnaround by committee. Communication that includes links to grade levels to be sent by Ryan to teachers the week of April 10, 2017.

E. Scores for Each Domain Shown on Final Summative – Tony said that this requires customization. Amount not available at the time of the meeting. Tony will be in commutation with TNL/Performance Matters.

F. Missing Domains – If possible, add drop-down box for look-fors and enable administrators to select and be able to select and copy that verbiage.

G. Items for TNL – See section E.

III. Other Business For ‘17-’18 State is replacing FLKRS with a new assessment (readiness screener) that has to be done in the first 30 days of instruction. It is electronic. Assesses students’ academic abilities and skill level, similar to iReady. Renaissance screener at the beginning of the year to iReady at the end of the year. Ryan said that Evan will investigate the possibility of comparing the new readiness screener to iReady or compare Renaissance to Renaissance. This is the 3rd year using iReady.

Mike discussed adding committee members. Superintendent needs to make decision on her appointments. Management is allowed 6 appointments, and MEA is allowed 6 appointments.

Performance pay – There is not currently a process for teachers on the grandfathered schedule to surrender their PSC to move to PP. There is only an \$8 difference between the schedules. Teachers on GF will move 4 levels, and teachers on PP will move 4 if they are HE and 3 if they are E.

IV. Future Agenda Items – Kindergarten diagnostics.

V. Future dates – Monday, 6/19/17 at 9 a.m. in SSC 203.

Teachers on IPAT should email Ryan for NCH information.

Meeting adjourned.