PS154 SLT Meeting Agenda 9/19/2023

3:30 PM-4:30 PM- Class 206

ATTENDEES

SLT Co-Chairs: Teacher Laura Varriale and Parent Avneet Basi

Other members present: Principal Leila Rached, PTA President Jimmy Schementi

Teachers: Dawn Capua, Pamela Ritchie, Gina Valerio

SLT Parents: Renanit Levy, Nicole Di Schino, Michelle Miller, Tom Sperduto, Cara Zwerling

Non-members also present: Tanica Gordon

Notes

Note Taker: Jimmy Time keeper: Nicole Co-chair: Cara

Extended time looking at calendars. SLT meeting will be on Thursdays going forward

Schedule:

- Sep 19
- Oct 19
- Nov 16
- Dec 14
- Jan 18
- Feb 15
- March 21
- April 18
- May 16
- June 13 (need to confirm)

Principal Update:

School started smoothly. New staff are great.

New start time, no difference in late arrivals.

New state test results from last year will be shared soon. Starts at 3rd grade. Use tests to detect trends. Won't be sent home - can login to access.

Tier 1-2 focus group support is writing for students with disabilities (20% population).

Students who are excelling have access to more challenging curriculum (low floor, high ceiling)

SLT - Comprehensive Education Plan

In the past, school's with good standing didn't have to do progress monitoring, which we are, but now we do.

SLT Member Payments - \$10/hr.

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Website updated with current members as well as calendar with meeting schedule.
SLT Members are expected to make it to every meeting. After two meetings, member is asked to step down.
407 Students Total 28 kids per class in 4th grade. High for the school, but not for the DOE (32 is the cap).
Multi-lingual teaching is best when integrated. Sign Language Enrichment is much desired. Theater the teachers also liked Social Studies - parent volunteers to talk about positions.
Planning first family week