

Minutes of the Thomson Middle School
School Council Meeting
Wednesday, November 16, 20228:00 a.m.

The Thomson Middle School's School Council met in for its second session on Wednesday, November 16, 2022, at 8:00 a.m. The meeting was held at Thomson Middle School Media Center.

School Council Members present:

Ms. Amanda Pope	Parent
Mrs. Racha Aimach	Parent/Business
Mr. Snellgrove	Community Partner/Grandparent
Ms. Romonica Turner	Parent/Teacher
Mrs. Bridgett Hunt	Instructional Coach
Dr. Wynn	Principal
Mrs. Alesia Chadwick	Family Engagement Liaison
Dr. Mike Jackson	Media Specialist

School Council Members absent:

1. Call to Order

Dr. Wynn called the meeting to order at 8:00 am.

2. Roll Call

Names of those present were written

3. Approval of Minutes

Dr. Jackson and Mrs. Chadwick

4. Recognize Visitors

No visitors

5, Presentation to School Council

Mrs. Chadwick reported the Action Team for Partnership/Parent Forum Meeting presentation. This Parent Forum shares information on the importance of Title I to Thomson Middle, the six Standards to Family Engagement, the essential elements of our Family/Parent

Engagement Program to include the Parent Engagement Plan and School-Home Compact, and the 2022-2023 One Year Action Plan of Events.

6. Report of Principal

Dr. Wynn shared that during AO (Academic Opportunity), most classes have 6th, 7th, and 8th grade students, based on scores. However, they are not at the same place, so we will not mix grade levels. Although students are on the same level, they may have different needs.

Students will retake MAPS in December and will be grouped where they are grouped by grade level. We are optimistic that what we see in December will be a big step up.

Admin. sent out a survey to get feedback on how we can get better. The staff felt that communication needs to get better, so they created 2 groups:

SOS – (School Operational Support) which plans events like PBIS celebrations, builds schedules for finals, MAPS, and GMAS and SAS – (School Academic Support) which is centered around academics and meet every other Tuesday. One leader from each content area attends to get feedback on our instructional practices. He hopes to get feedback on how things are going since the implementation of these committees.

7.Old Business

Dollar General has sponsored us for PBIS. Mrs. Chadwick spins a digital wheel and the teacher whose name it lands on gets a prize.

For our Feed the City Campaign, we had over 500 boxes of macaroni and cheese donated.

Shoes for Ellie – is a FCCLA sponsored annual event where New or Like New Shoes are collected as a donation for foster children in the Middle Georgia area in memory of Eleanor "Ellie" Keene.

8.New Business

Dr. Wynn said that we will find out in December how the students scored on the Winter MAPS

Finals are on the last three days of school, December 14th, 15th, 16th and Friday the 16th is a half day for students.

9. Review the Meeting Dates

Wednesday, January 11, 2023, at 8:00am in our Media Center

Wednesday, April 12, 2023, at 8:00am in our Media Center

10. Adjournment

With no further business to come before the school council, the meeting was adjourned at 9:00am. Motion: Mrs. Chadwick, Second: Dr. Wynn

Motion Carried.