

Minutes

School Organizational Team Meeting
7350 Tealwood St., Las Vegas (Art Room)
December 11, 2019
3:45 p.m.

School Organizational Team Members:

Jennifer Alvarado, Support Staff Member	Present
Gloria Chavez, Community Member	Present
Colleen Cook, Licensed Staff Member	Present
Jason Frank, ParentMember	Present
Michelle Jones, ParentMember	Present
Jennifer Kidd, Parent Member	Absent
Tiffanie Sherman, Licensed Staff Member	Absent
Rebecca Lucero, Principal	Present
Kathy Hoyt, Asst. Principal	Present

Visitor to Meeting: Lourdes Esparza, SOT Project Coordinator

These meeting minutes are posted publicly on the school website at: www.rhodeselementary.com

1.0 Welcome & Roll Call

- 1.1 Review meeting structures and the scope of the SOT Team's advisory recommendations.
Mrs. Lucero called the meeting to order at 3:46 pm and handed out tonight's Agenda and Minutes from our SOT November 20th meeting. Everyone introduced themselves and what their specific role is on our SOT team.

2.0 New Items

- 2.1 NCCAT-S information (from school group work on 12/5/19) **NV Comprehensive Curriculum Audit Tool. Survey results showed we need to work on Vertical alignment among all grade levels, Providing Specific and Timely Feedback to students, Building knowledge and understanding of all standards in all content areas, and developing specific unit assessments and lessons not to focus solely on Big Picture results. We will create a plan of action steps to address concerns.**
- 2.2 AB219 CAP information (action review) **Corrective Action Plan will be available at our Rhodes website once approved. It is a plan based on the AB219 law to help our ELL students (based on state test results). Our action steps focus on utilizing Purposeful planning instruction by teachers with curriculum and intervention materials to support planning. Another focus is to enhance student discourse. Our implementation has already begun with our new ELL tutoring group which is 3 mornings a week using Imagine Learning and vocabulary discourse lessons.**
- 2.3 School Performance Plan check-in/monitoring **Mrs. Lucero reviewed and discussed our goals for our school improvement which will be the focus of the next few SOT meetings dealing with our upcoming new budget and School Performance Plan. We will have a more detailed account of actions and steps our Rhodes educators are doing based on above plans to make sure the student learning needs are met across all grade levels and with certain**

3.0 Information

3.1 Next Meeting: Rhodes E.S. library, tentative date and time: 1/21/19 (3:45 p.m.)

4.0 Public Comment Period (two minutes maximum per speaker allotted)

Lourdes Esperanza, CCEA SOT Project Coordinator came and presented information during this public comment period about the CHANGENV podcasts. She passed out a flyer to all SOT members with the www.ChangeNV.org website that contains lots of valuable information to help SOT and community members understand what their roles and responsibilities are as well as what needs to be happening at SOT meeting across the state. This website and the resources are open to the public and anyone can access the information. Also, on the flyer was information about Senate Bill SB 543 which last legislative session replaced the old Nevada funding plan with a new student centered funding plan. However, if there is not additional money in our state budget, the funding will pretty much stay the same. Jeremy Aguero is working on language to get funding added to our next state election. The commission on School Funding meets twice a month at 2080 E. Flamingo Rd. # 114, LV, NV 89119. These meetings are also open to the public and all future meeting dates and times are listed at the Dept of Education State website: [www.doe.nv.gov/Commission on School Funding](http://www.doe.nv.gov/Commission_on_School_Funding)

We appreciate Lourdes bringing such important information to our Rhodes SOT Team and Community.

SOT Meeting adjourned at 4:40 pm.