



Myers-Ganoung Elementary
Family Engagement Meeting
April 25, 2024, 3P.M

Present: Amy Busse, Teacher, Kiyani Hammack, Teacher, Andrea Rickard, Teacher, Diana Pitney, CL.

Welcome:

Mrs. Pitney welcomed all who were present.

Review:

The answers from the Parent Focus Group were reviewed. The team came up with some suggestions to present to Site Council and Principal to consider.

Here are the questions:

1. What prevents you from being as involved as you'd like in your children's education?

A: Having Zoom meetings is one of the ideas, also providing PowerPoint Live where parents can choose their choice of language.

2. Are you aware that you have a voice to give input on issues such as:

Events, budget, discipline, volunteering and any concerns?

A: Team entertained ideas of offering food at Site Council, and PTO meetings, maybe door prizes? Requesting interpreters for non-English speakers.

3. Would it be easier to meet remotely, ex: Zoom?

A: Again, we could have Power Point via Zoom, to connect with parents before any upcoming events, such as Open House, Curricular events, Parent-Teacher Conferences. Also provide food, refreshments as an incentive.

4. Do you struggle with helping your child/ren with their homework? If so, what do you need from us to help you?

A: Myers-Ganoung could offer workshops for parents by utilizing teachers to give trainings to parents on how to help their children with schoolwork. Teachers could be paid using Title 1 monies. Also suggested was using AmeriCorps CRR Math, which teachers could recommend to parents and students.

5. Do you feel well represented at your school? If yes or no, why?

A: Parents shared that they felt well represented and welcomed at Myers-Ganoung. We will continue to utilize Language Acquisition as a resource.

6. What would you like to have happen more of at Myers-Ganoung?

A: Parents would like to see more afterschool programs take place, and some sports programs. We are in the process of starting a Century 21 program for the next school year. Also, a suggestion was to make a Call to volunteers to start music, dance, or sports programs. Volunteers would need to pass a fingerprint scan.

These are the answers and suggestions that we comprised after reviewing the Parent Focus Group's answers to the questions posed to them.

Meeting adjourned until next year

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