

Family Engagement Meeting 5/3/21- Last meeting of the year

Present on Zoom- Ms. Sisler(Principal), Mrs. Bonner (Asst Principal), Angie Hoover (classified), Betsy Fleming (community member), Heidi Stowlowski (Parent/PTO), Mr. Bonner (certified), Brandee Hudson (community liaison)

1. Focus Group results- Thank you to Betsy for facilitating the group. 3 parents were involved. I'm interested in ways to get more parent participation. For example, more parents turning in surveys. Focus group was asked what ideas they had to get more things turned in from parents and they suggested having teachers provide incentives for things turned in. Don't want to expect teachers to provide incentives or be burdened with other tasks but would be appropriate to ask them in certain circumstances? We would like more parents on the FE team, would like to send out a postcard survey of some sort to parents at the beginning of next year to gauge interest in being involved in parent /school groups and identify potential volunteers. Like to have teachers send out and provide an incentive for those returned. Some ideas were for PTO to provide a raffle prize, homework passes from teachers, if we are able to start up snack Wednesday again we can give out free snack passes. Teachers can send out info in their class newsletter.

Next year we can discuss potential events when we see what the year will look like.