

Westside Elementary School

2nd Grade Instructional Team Meeting Minutes Report

Meeting Date: Thursday, March 12, 2015
Title: 2nd Grade Instructional Team Meeting

Time: 3:30
Location: Ms. Bryant's Room

I. **Team/Guest Attendance (members and guest)**

Tiffany Baker	Nancy Ford	Sherry Bryant
Gayle Pennington	Mandi Gipson	Tiffany Schaffhauser

Celebrate Recent Successes

Business to Discuss

Author-Subject to funds being located by Mr. Scott, **-There is a different author that can come for free.**

Mission Statement-Disagree with "Teacher being the most influential factor in the students learning" We believe it is both the teacher, parent and the students attitude/behavior that are the influential factors. Also, we feel like our classroom is too assessment driven to be a nurturing, caring environment. What can we do? **-Our concerns have been sent to Dr. Duffie.**

Recess-Can we have access to the safe house for inside recess. There is too much time in the classroom. For that, we would need extended walk time to get there and back- **Working on something for next year.**

Bloomboard Artifact Ideas

1. Examples
2. Use more than once-**Yes, no limit.**

Retention letter- Mother asked during RTI meeting in Jan. no failing grades, he is currently being test for "mean" pills. Does the first letter need to go out or wait until test results are known? – **Sherry decided to wait until conferences.**

Having trouble getting everything in, what do you want to see? - **Mr. Scott will email it to us. (1-2 artifacts per component if in first track)(22 in all)**

Curriculum Planning-

Unit 5 Curriculum Planning on Health

ReadWorks passages

Tiffany Baker will get us all My Plate activities from extension office

ELA Unit on Taking Care of Ourselves from TPT

*Poem, fluency challenges, comprehension questions, prefixes, suffixes, organs, writing on organs, verbs, etc.

Songs, poems, word searches, opinion writing from Mandi

Field Trip Objectives

IV. Next Meeting

Date: Monday, April 6, 2015

Time: 3:30

A. Title: 2nd Grade Instructional Team Meeting with Mr. Scott

B. Location: Ms. Bryant's Room

V. **Adjourned Time:** 4:10