



# Delta North

## Elementary School

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A Title 1 School

### School Community Council Minutes

January 12, 2022

Present: Courtney Dyer, Erica Hone, Liz Palmer, Kandie Taylor, Brittney Wells, Candice Fowles, Delna Bliss

1. Conducting: Liz Palmer.
2. Kandie Taylor made a motion to begin, Liz Palmer seconded the motion. Voting was unanimous.
3. Mrs. Bliss went over RISE scores. She said DNES showed 43% proficient in ELA, improving 3% from the previous year, 59% in math – up 10%, and 54% in Science – up 4%. Teachers are talking on how to work smarter and get better results. The state was so impressed with the third grade DIBELS scores last year. Mrs. Bliss felt the difference might possibly be that students were in person learning last year. The group talked over racial demographics and broke the RISE score down. Mrs. Ferris is aware of the ELL scores and is actively trying to strengthen the Spanish to English speaking. Teachers are sharing their teaching styles that are effective.
4. The Teacher Student Success Plan was gone over. The group reviewed the goal for the upcoming school year. It was agreed that ELA needs to improve. They are aware and working to provide resources for ALL who are below proficient, including interventions, teachers combining students with similar learning problems to give specific instruction, etc. ELA will be the main focus for next year.
5. Swimming was discussed as a possible program that could be modified, possibly decreasing the days to 5 instead of 8.
6. It was discussed that DNES could help parents know more about the "extra" help before school, after school, and on Fridays. Ideas were given

12 to help advertise more, including notes at parent conferences, using Remind, and Powerschool announcements.

7. The Discipline plan is the same as last year and all liked that.
8. Digital citizenship is being covered by Mrs. Harris in keyboarding classes.
9. The LandTrust Budget was discussed for the upcoming school year.  
Money for the SEL specialist was discussed and all felt it was a good use of money. They wondered what the cause was for 50+ students needing counseling this year and would like to help, if possible.
10. It was decided the council would look over the revisions made on the Teacher Student Success Plan as well as the Land Trust Budget and make more adjustments, being prepared to finalize at the next meeting, February 9.
11. Liz Palmer made a motion to adjourn. Candace Fowles seconded the motion. Voting was unanimous.