



# P.S. 120Q

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## SLT Minutes May 16, 2017

Present: D. Fine, R. Marino, L. Huang, C. Chacon, W. Hsueh, D. Weisen, C. O'Shaughnessy, N. Ginestri, Chen  
Absent: F. Chow

The meeting was called to order at 2:30 PM

The April minutes were presented. Ms. O'Shaughnessy made a motion to accept the minutes as written, Ms. Ginestri seconded the motion and the minutes were accepted as written.

- Principal's Report
  - Mr. Marino asked Ms. Fine to review each CEP goal and its degree of satisfaction.

### **Goal 1: Rigorous Instruction**

By June 2017, teachers will implement research based strategies aligned to Common Core Learning Standards that will enable them to monitor for meaning and check for understanding which will inform their instructional groups and foster a thoughtful plan for next steps for instruction. This will be evidenced by increased rigor in student discussion and writing and measured by a 5% increase in school average performance in Standard L.3.4a (Vocabulary Acquisition and Use) and the Constructed Response Average on the New York State English Language Arts Exam, and a 5% increase on the average writing score on the NYSESLAT exam.

**Goal not able to be fully assessed at this time**

### **Goal 2: Supportive Environment**

By June 2017, P.S. 120 will fully implement the school-wide adoption of research based programs including a Positive Behavior Intervention and Supports (PBIS) system and Responsive Classroom which will decrease the number of student misbehaviors, which will be measured by a 10% increase in teacher satisfaction on the supportive environment portion of the 2017 NYC School Survey.

**Goal not met**

### **Goal 3: Collaborative Teachers**

By June 2017, 75% of teachers will engage in classroom intervisitations and accompany administration on focused walkthroughs to improve teacher practice as evidenced by an increase in the area of the Danielson Framework for Teaching in which they have been rated less than Highly Effective.

**Goal Met**

#### **Goal 4 Effective Leadership**

By June 2017, 100 % of the staff will receive written feedback based on purposeful, focused walkthroughs leading to increased professional growth and continued trust. 65% of the staff will demonstrate a sense of satisfaction and professional growth, as evidenced by an anonymous survey.

#### **Goal Met**

#### **Goal 5: Strong Family and Community Ties**

By June 2017, we will improve the percentage of parent involvement by 10% to increase the amount of families who feel like a valued part of the school community. This will be shown in parent involvement in the school through the volunteer program, attendance at parent outreach events such as workshops held monthly on Tuesdays during Parent Engagement time, evening events, and adult ESL classes among other planned activities. This will be measured by a 10% increase in parent satisfaction on the 2017 Framework for Great Schools survey in the area of Strong Family-Community Ties parent responses.

#### **Goal Met**

Mr. Marino explained that not all goals were fully achieved because if they were, they weren't set high enough to begin with. Shortly we will begin to work on the 2017-18 CEP goals. We are awaiting guidelines from the district and will discuss it at the June meeting.

- Dismissal: Today was the first dismissal without using the schoolyard. Staff members reported that all went smoothly. Mr. Marino asked parents for their input. Parents responded that they felt that dismissal went quite well and feel this might be better than yard dismissal.
- Parent Teacher Conference today. Parents will visit teachers of upcoming grades to develop understanding of goals in rising grades.
- UFT Report
  - Ms. Weisen reported that after the UFT election, Ms. Moloney has been elected as the Chapter leader as of July 1, 2017.
- PA Report
  - Parents question how students are placed in classes during articulation. Several parents have expressed to SLT representatives that they would prefer homogeneous groupings. Mr. Marino explains that our school supports heterogeneous groupings to encourage language and academic peer modeling as well as the social and emotional development of all students.
  - Ice Cream Day- To be held June 2, June 9 and June 23. Due to schoolyard construction in lieu of a carnival, PA will distribute ice cream to all students on these dates.
  - Father's Day Sale-To be held during the three lunch periods on June 13, 14 and 15.

Diane Weisen makes a motion to adjourn, Caroline O'Shaughnessy seconds the motion. Meeting adjourns at 3:30 PM