## HARVEY SCHOOL DISTRICT 152 CURRICULUM MEETING

## **MINUTES 11/06/13**

- SCHOOL RECOGNITION
  - Sandburg school had the greatest percentage of students attend the SES fair and thus, wins a pizza party.
- INSTRUCTIONAL UPDATES
  - TEXTBOOK ADOPTION PROCESS
    - Interest meeting was held. Some teachers expressed an interest, but can't attend on meeting days. Mrs. Miller will come up with something that allows them to still be involved.
  - BENCHMARKS: ASSESSMENTS & PROGRESS MONITORING
    - The next benchmark begins on October 11, 2013. Principals did not have any questions.
  - TUTORING
    - SES
      - Mrs. Miller will send parent sign up information to the Principals. They will
        prioritize their list and send back, so that names can be sent to the Providers.
    - Afterschool
      - Principals were to send in individualized plans. Currently, Mrs. Miller only had 2 elementary schools (Bryant and Holmes) and Brooks' plans. She informed them that once the grant was approved and plans received, services could start. Ms. Brown (Angelou) had hers prepared and submitted it.
  - SPELLING BEE
    - The district has the opportunity to participate in the regional spelling bee. Mrs. Thomas expressed concern of participating, with all the other responsibilities. Mrs. Miller explained that she's trying to bring more recognition to the district, because according to the director, our district has not participated in many regional activities for over the last 5 years. Ms. Miller suggested using a staff member to serve as coordinator. Schools have to have their own school Spelling Bee and the winner will participate in the district's spelling bee. The winner will go on to compete in the Regional Spelling Bee in February. She explained if anyone were that opposed to participating, then their school did not have to. All other Principals were interested.
  - RISING STAR
    - Mrs. Miller reminded Principals to update their Rising Star plans, as many state program surveys and updates are now on IIRC, including Title I.
  - o INSTRUCTIONAL CONSULTATIONS: November 12<sup>th</sup>
    - Principals were reminded about the Instructional Consultations and their scheduled times. Those that were not aware of the times were reminded to check their emails.
- IMAGINE LEARNING PRESENTATION
  - Several Principals, along with Mrs. Miller and Mrs. G. Johnson attended a site visit to see the K-2 intervention in action. All were extremely excited about the visit. Presenters came to give a presentation to the full committee.

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DR. JONES PD	Approval needed for conference attendance	Miller	Next Board Meeting
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