

SIT Minutes: November 20, 2017

Members Present

Admin - Lisa Sigmon

Media - Jennifer Roberson

Literacy Design Coach: Whitney Lannon

Title 1 - Debbie Efird

TA - Gina Jones

K - Libby Graham

1st - Emily Hinson

2nd - Brandi Bell

3rd - Susan Kimball

4th - Barry Rymer

5th - Sherry Hubbard

Parent Reps: India Bearce

Items Discussed:

1. Homework Passes:

Beginning in January we would like PTA to offer choices for students that participate in after school activities. Students in 4th and 5th grades are rarely assigned homework but are required to complete unfinished classwork. Therefore, this would be a better option. PTA would have an option (probably 3) for students to pick from. Some that were discussed; homework pass, hat day, stinky feet day (students can take shoes off in class), booth at lunch w/friend. Please discuss at grade level and report back any suggestions. PTA would have slips with students choices and give those out or put them in teacher boxes with student names already on the slip.

2. Gum Issues:

It has been reported by our custodial team that gum has remained an issue after our school wide warning. Therefore, we will no longer provide gum as an extrinsic reward. Bostian is a Gum Free School for 2017/2018 school year.

3. BES Mascot Costume:

Jennifer Roberson has initiated getting a bulldog mascot costume. Please vote for the costume that you feel will represent BES. This is a wonderful way to heighten our school spirit.

4. Data Visit:

Our visit was awesome as we continue to push BES to the top. An area of concern seems to be attendance. Please discuss with your grade level how we can better support one another in order to improve student/staff attendance. What are your thoughts on quarterly attendance certificates for students or initiatives?

***As always, send suggestions for school improvement to Mrs. Sigmon or Ms. Hubbard.**

Respectfully submitted by: Sherry Hubbard, SIT Chair