



A.P.C. Meeting
August 20th, 2015

Principal's Report

Facilities

Teachers will be compensated a day of substitute pay for each day, 8/28 and 8/31, if they choose to set up their classroom. The temporary main office is scheduled to move furniture on the 28th.

Technology

Four carts of Chromebooks have been serviced to allow for use with other than AMP testing. That means students in 2nd – 4th will be able to make use of the Keyboarding Without Tears online program provided by ASD. Besides the Chromebook carts, we still have two Mac carts.

Staff Update

Teachers and staff have completed the majority of their mandatory in-service trainings. To conclude the inservice time, teachers visited the new building.

Frau McLain announced that she has landed a great new employment opportunity and is leaving her tutoring position. She spoke to the faculty and staff on the last inservice day and shared how much she will miss working with us. She worked very hard to set up our tutoring system and all her efforts are much appreciated. Luckily, will see her often as she will continue to be active in her daughter's activities at Rilke.

An ESL tutor has been secured. There will be a posting for a full-time tutor replacement. There will be more interviews for the .5 second grade teacher position.

Communication

Our Welcome Back newsletter will go out early next week. Open House is combined with Back to School. I am meeting with the RSV Board next Wednesday to further plan the event. Open House is scheduled for September 8th from 6-8pm. This is the day before k - 1st begin.

Curriculum

There has been a proposal to augment our science curriculum with more projects based upon the ASD science kit contents. The ASD kits will change next year. The faculty needs to further define how that will happen. Student Growth Objectives are a reality now. Teachers will be administering a minimum of two assessments to a group of students in order to track academic progress.

Enrollment

With many still on the waitlist, our enrollment stands at 473. A 4th and a 6th grader tested in.

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