

Cory Elementary
CSC Meeting Agenda & Minutes
November 4, 2021

Vision:

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Through:

- Differentiated instruction that drives academic growth and sparks the curiosity of every child.
- Explorations of the world around us.
- Opportunities for creative expression using technology and the visual and performing arts.
- A focus on a healthy mind and body

We build authentic and lasting relationships within the school community.

Through:

- A focus on social-emotional learning and mindfulness practices.
- Celebrating each other's differences and accomplishments.
- Respectful, caring, and responsible actions.

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Through:

- Authentic connections to the community, country, and world.
- Inquiry based learning.
- Service learning and social action projects

Meeting Norms:

Aim for consensus
Members will share ideas openly, but try to stay on topic
Everyone puts ideas on the table
Respect other perspectives
Listen with respect
Focus on needs of the school and community, respect confidentiality

Assume positive intentions
Time keeper, try to keep to one hour
We work to represent our stakeholders
Ask clarifying questions
Commit to our values

Attendance:

Welcome by principal and introduction of CSC members

- Meeting procedure-Work session will follow the agenda. Floor will open up at the end of the meeting for other issues/ discussions if necessary.

Ground in Mindsets to support Collaboration

COVID Protocols

- Should we increase safety measures and protocols?

The safety measures we are implementing now.

- Requiring students to wear masks outside before/ after school , at recess and PE - **new**
- Mask breaks will be cohorted to classrooms - no intermixing during this time- **new**
- Requiring families to wear masks at arrival and dismissal - **new**
- Requiring students to wear masks after eating lunch and sitting at least 6 ft apart while masks are off
- Prioritizing students to eat lunch and snack outside at all times- if the weather is too bad, snacks will be skipped. If the weather is too wet or cold, we will follow our indoor lunch plan (students will be sitting 6 ft. apart, have masks off for only 14 mins, and dividers at tables) The indoor lunch spaces will be the cafeteria, auditorium, and gym/library.
- Students who struggle wearing a mask will get support from our admin staff to educate and provide a new mask. If mask wearing continues to be a problem, we will partner with families to provide the support and provide students a divider to support safety. Students must have masks that fit them properly and have multiple masks in their backpack.
- Frequent hand washing and sanitizing (walkthroughs to ensure bathrooms are clean and have soap/paper towels).
- **At this time, there is no strict cohorting or restrictions with students moving classrooms, but this could change.**

Bond Money

- How to transform Cory into a 21st Century classroom?

Equity Team

- CSC rep.
- PTA rep.
- How can the committees partner together?
- Next steps of the Equity Committee

Next meeting date: