

## School Improvement Team January 30, 2017

**Present:** Renee Crider, Hope Swinney Denise Mitchell, Margie White, Lisa Byrum, Tim Lazar, Amy Banks, Ruby Abbot, Trina Barnes, Katlin Cartwright, Susan Ferguson

**Opening activity:** Discussion of “Why we do what we do?”

**End Of Year Programs** – Leaders take back to teams. What changes do we want to make. Scheduling space makes it difficult for every grade level to have large program in gym. 3<sup>rd</sup> grade wishes to include honor roll during EOY program. Should we include Title I/Special Awards and how?

**Budget discussions** – new textbooks are not likely. What other resources are needed? First Grade has received A-Z leveled readers. Do other grade levels need/want leveled readers, class novel sets, small group books? Various discussions about the need for school-wide consistent reading program and whether or not it is needed.

Mr. Lazar pointed out several school wide budgetary items. Electricity access on first and third grade halls needs to be updated. Other items brought up included, power washing building, rubber mats at end of slides, refilling fossil pit, mulch on playground.

Need to re-evaluate what digital resources are used consistently in the labs and classrooms. Study Island, Moby Max, Reading Eggs, RazKids, etc. Leaders take to teams for input.

**Staff Development** – reschedule of the Moby Max workshops. Email to follow on dates and CEUs.

**Working Conditions Survey** – indicate that technology, staff development and available resources need to be addressed. These are the items that SIP will focus on in upcoming months.

**After School Tutoring** - will probably start after spring break. 6 weeks after school for 3<sup>rd</sup> grade EOG prep.

**Other** - What time is too late for breakfast for kids arriving at school late?  
Safety items including new door locks, students walking through CIS to get to GPS.  
February 17, Black History Month program, display Black History items in halls.