

## **October 10, 2018 - DEIC Minutes**

### **I. Welcome & Introductions**

- A. We have important work to do as we are looking for our Superintendent
- B. Today we will spend time working on making it aware of what we are doing and need
- C. Celebrations
  - 1. High school campus culture is making huge improvements and things are very positive
  - 2. Lead4ward ELAR TEKS workshop was amazing and beneficial
    - a) The resources they provided were helpful
  - 3. Sharing learning opportunities with local school districts
  - 4. Handwriting curriculum and training was really good, we are loving using the material
  - 5. Having a PLC built into the day to provide collaboration
  - 6. DEIC helping teachers have a voice and making things happen
  - 7. No Place for Hate campaign taking off at the Intermediate and our campus ambassadors are doing great things on the campus

### **II. Review minutes of the September 5, 2018 meeting**

### **III. District Needs Assessment**

- A. What are the celebrations in our district - what is working really well
  - 1. Worked in groups to identify the positives
  - 2. Shared out the celebrations from each group
  - 3. Excited that we are preparing students for the future beyond LHISD
- B. What are the challenges in our district - what do we need to streng
  - 1. Worked in groups to identify the challenges
  - 2. Gallery walk of the posters and each person took a sticky note to identify one thing agree with and one question
    - a) Common concerns
      - (1) Elements of Writing
      - (2) Class size
      - (3) Technology
    - b) Other concerns
      - (1) Salaries
      - (2) Vertical articulation
      - (3) Horizontal alignment
      - (4) Loss of instructional time (scheduling concerns at Int, JH, and HS in particular)
        - (a) Possibility of modified block
    - c) Leave questions as an exit ticket

### **IV. Professional Learning Goals**

### **V. District Mission, Vision, and Goals**

### **VI. Set next meeting date and agenda**

- A. Meeting will be set once we know who the new Superintendent is.
- B. Later part of January

### **VII. Adjournment**

- A. Leave questions as an exit ticket