

**School Advisory Council Minutes
Ponte Vedra High School
November 21, 2023 @ 4:30PM
Media Center**

Attendees Present: Fredrik Oberkehr, Angela Hunter, Selena Sheffield, Eric Wendell, John Weinbrenner, Pam Riley, Paul Wilkinson, Evan Ore, Meg Verrenti.

Virtual Attendees: Kelly Barrera, Elizabeth Paul, Erika Marino, Kacey Roache, Erika Marino.

October Minutes: Eric Wendell motioned to accept; Elizabeth Paul seconded that motion.

School Recognition Funds Vote 2022-2023 School Year:

- The staff voted for option 2 which gives 10% back to the school and 90% evenly distributed to all staff members.
 - Eligibility: Employees who worked 196 days during the 2022-2023 school year.
- Vote: Eric Wendell motioned to accept; Pam Riley seconded that motion.

15 Fixes for Broken Grades Update from Mr. Ore:

- The conference opened conversations of how we can implement some of the fixes within our school.
- Other Counties have seen growth in their score after using some of the fixes.
- The top 4 fixes we'd like to focus on:
 1. Fix #1: Grade based on academic achievement.
 - Attach a grade for responsibility to final grades.
 2. Fix #7: Organize grades by standard.
 - Grade books organized in a way that helps students better understand where they did well and where they did poorly.
 3. Fix #12: Replace zeros with "I"- Incomplete/ Insufficient Evidence.
 - Unless the assignment isn't turned in at all.
 4. Fix #13: Stop using formatives for grades.
 - Formatives will no longer be grades in the gradebook, the summative grade replaces the formative grade in the gradebook.

Q: (Pam Riley) Would these fixes help with student grade remediation discussed at the October meeting?

A: We would like to provide students with a better understanding of assessments and the impact on their grade. Possibly looking at a 1-4 scale rather than our current 0-100 scale.

Identification of New SAC Chair:

- Angela Hunter accepted an Assistant Principal position at Murray Middle School, so we are looking for a new SAC chair.

Principals Update:

- We plan to conduct more relevant training sessions for staff. (Example: 15 Fixes for Broken Grades)
- More safety drills for students so they have a better understanding of what to do in various emergency situations.
- Planning for next school year will begin after winter break.

Meeting Adjournment @5:18: Elizabeth Paul made the motion to adjourn, Eric Wendell seconded the motion.