

Daniell Middle School's Principal Advisory Council

Agenda/Minutes



Mission: To prepare all students for success

Vision: To be a school that develops successful members of society

March 6, 2024

Daniell Middle School's Principal Advisory Council Members:

- Lisa Duke, PTSA President
- Chinoso Akano, Parent
- Kevin Blond, Top Tier Trees
- Kaci Clark, 2023 Teacher of the Year
- Karina Alarcon, Spanish Teacher
- Amy Stump, Principal

1. Welcome

2. Daniell's PBIS Program: Marisa Kipping, PBIS Coach

Daniell's PBIS Program was explained: See handout that was shared below.

In addition to the handout, we brainstormed ways that students can get excited about using PBIS points such as: Creating a game room for the PBIS reward, Hosting a staff/student volleyball, basketball, or soccer game, Student can throw a pie in the face of a teacher or duct tape them to a wall, etc.

PBIS: SWARMinG at Daniell

PBIS established at Daniell In 2017 – 2018

<p>SWARM –SWARM is the model for behavior expectations</p> <p>S – Show Positive Leadership</p> <p>W – Work Hard</p> <p>A – Accept Accountability</p> <p>R – Respect Others</p> <p>M – Make Good Choices</p>	<p>Student Recognition:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• SWARM Points• JJ. Days• Student of the Month• Honors Days• Golden Stinger
<p>Using Data</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Review office referrals & PBIS minors monthly• Share data with grade levels• Gain insight and suggestions for interventions with behaviors<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 8th Grade Tardies	<p>Future</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Additional opportunities to spend JJ Points<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Product for Hot Spot• Schoolwide PBIS events<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Basketball game• Adding student voices to PBIS<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Restorative• JJ Point Ideas



3. Perceptions of Daniell: How do you feel when you walk into our school? How do you want to feel when you walk into a school?

How do you feel currently:

- The atmosphere is warm and inviting
- Guests are greeted by at least one clerk
- The decorations contribute to the good feeling
- Front office restrooms are even decorated nicely
- We like seeing the student art work in the office and lobby
- We like the part-time clerk sitting at the front counter as an immediate friendly face to see when entering the office

What improvements can we make:

- We discussed displaying the word “Welcome” in the many different languages our students speak in the lobby
 - Going through the rebranding process
 - Consistently replacing plug ins so that the lobby and front office smell nice
4. Student agendas: Does your student use them regularly? How?
- 6th grade teachers require students to write assignments in them; however, students do not regularly pull them out to see what they have for homework or what is due soon
 - They are always used for hall passes
 - Some schools are not purchasing paper agendas anymore. We discussed the pros and cons to this. Concerns would be for students who leave their laptops at school, laptops that are waiting to be repaired, and teachers who like to tell the parents to check the student agendas.
 - One suggestion is to teach our staff and students how to use the electronic calendar in CTLS as they would an agenda. Two of our teachers are going to try it with their students to test it and will provide feedback to the admin about how easy it is to use from the teacher and the student perspective.
5. PTSA Grounds Day: Saturday, March 16, from 9 am to noon