



Elgin Math & Science Academy

Academic Excellence Committee Meeting

Date and Time

Wednesday January 18, 2023 at 3:15 PM CST

Location

Virtual

Join Zoom Meeting

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Agenda

	Purpose	Presenter	Time
I. Opening Items			3:15 PM
A. Record Attendance			1 m
B. Call the Meeting to Order		Bethea Lane	
C. Approve Minutes	Approve Minutes	Bethea Lane	1 m

Approve minutes for Academic Excellence Committee Meeting on December 15, 2022

II. GOALS of Academic Excellence Committee 3:17 PM

Do what's best for EMSA Students and Staff!

- A. Academic Excellence & 3 Dimensions of Student Achievement FYI 1 m

EL EDUCATION 3 DIMENSIONS OF LEARNING

MASTERY OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS

- Demonstrate proficiency and deeper understanding: show mastery in a body of knowledge and skills within each discipline
- Apply their learning: transfer knowledge and skills to novel, meaningful tasks
- Think critically: analyze, evaluate, and synthesize complex ideas and consider multiple perspectives
- Communicate clearly: write, speak, and present ideas effectively in a variety of media within and across disciplines

CHARACTER

- Work to become effective learners: develop the mindsets and skills for success in college, career, and life (e.g., initiative, responsibility, perseverance, collaboration)
- Work to become ethical people: treat others well and stand up for what is right (e.g., empathy, integrity, respect, compassion)
- Contribute to a better world: put their learning to use to improve communities (e.g., citizenship, service)

HIGH-QUALITY WORK

- Create complex work: demonstrate higher-order thinking, multiple perspectives and transfer of understanding
- Demonstrate craftsmanship: create work that is accurate and beautiful in conception and execution
- Create authentic work: demonstrate original thinking and voice, connect to real-world issues and formats, and when possible, create work that is meaningful to the community beyond the school

III. Updates on Academic Programming 3:18 PM

- A. Feburary Conferences Update FYI Jacquelyn Willer 5 m

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B. Middle School Planning Meeting	Discuss	Jacquelyn Willer	5 m
C. Start Time of School Questionnaire Update	Discuss	Jacquelyn Willer	5 m
IV. Student Achievement			3:33 PM
A. NWEA Testing Update	FYI	Jacquelyn Willer	5 m
B. ACCESS Testing Update			5 m
V. Curriculum Updates			
VI. Other Business			3:43 PM
A. Additional Items			10 m
VII. Meeting Time			
First Wednesday of the month from 3:15-4:15			
VIII. Closing Items			
A. Adjourn Meeting	Vote		