



Elgin Math & Science Academy

Academic Excellence Committee Meeting

Date and Time

Monday October 23, 2023 at 3:15 PM CDT

Location

Virtual Meeting

Join Zoom Meeting

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Our Mission:

The Elgin Math and Science Academy is an EL Education public charter school.

We strive to support the whole child and develop socially responsible leaders who aspire to create a better world.

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

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

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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. Principals Report			3:18 PM
A. Updates for school	Discuss	Jacquelyn Willer	10 m
IV. School demographics / attendance			3:28 PM
A. PowerSchool reports	FYI	Jacquelyn Willer	3 m
V. Student Achievement			3:31 PM
A. Reviewing IAR, NWEA, Lexia, Fastbridge data	Discuss	Jacquelyn Willer	40 m
VI. Other Business			
VII. Meeting Time			4:11 PM
Per board approved meeting schedule			
A. Next Meeting	Discuss	Bethea Lane	1 m
Wednesday, November 8, 2023; 3:15 PM			
VIII. Closing Items			4:12 PM
A. Adjourn Meeting	Vote		