# Vida Charter School

## **Minutes**

# Academic Excellence Committee Meeting

#### **Date and Time**

Thursday June 13, 2019 at 4:30 PM

#### Location

Vida Charter School

#### **Committee Members Present**

C. Miller, E. Nashelsky, S. Powell, Y. Gagliardi

#### **Committee Members Absent**

C. Ruff

#### I. Opening Items

#### A. Record Attendance and Guests

Ms. Gagliardi left early after discussing end of year data.

## B. Call the Meeting to Order

S. Powell called a meeting of the Academic Excellence Committee of Vida Charter School to order on Thursday Jun 13, 2019 at 4:32 PM.

## C. Approve Minutes

- Y. Gagliardi made a motion to approve minutes from the Academic Excellence Committee Meeting on 05-09-19 Academic Excellence Committee Meeting on 05-09-19.
- S. Powell seconded the motion.

The committee **VOTED** unanimously to approve the motion.

#### II. Academic Excellence

### A. End of Year Data

Ms. Nashelsky reported a summary of NWEA scores and predicted PSSA results.

Academic goals for the year:

50% of students in K-6 to score proficient on the NWEA MAP assessment. No grade met that goal. 4th and 5th grade had the highest percentages of students scoring at least proficient.

80% of students in grades K-6 will demonstrate expected grade level normative growth on the NWEA MAP Math assessment from Fall 2018 to Spring 2019. No grade met that goal. 3rd and 4th grade had the highest percentage of students demonstrating the growth expectation.

The number of students scoring advanced on ELA went from 13.5 to 38.7. The number of students scoring advanced on Science went from 28.6 to 33.3.

Next Steps:

Implement language allocation plan.

Staff summer curriculum development.

Hire math resource position.

## B. End of Year Faculty and Staff Survey Results

Ms. Powell reported.

Responses:

24 total

Teachers: 13

Instructional Assistants: 5 Non-teaching Professionals: 5 Chose not to complete: 1

Over half of those responding strongly agree/agree that the ED supports and encourages them professionally.

Three-fourths of those responding strongly agree/agree that the school is a great place to work.

## III. Closing Items

## A. Adjourn Meeting

- Y. Gagliardi left early.
- S. Powell made motion to adjourn. S. Powell seconded.

There being no further business to be transacted, and upon motion duly made, seconded and approved, the meeting was adjourned at 5:30 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,

S. Powell