

Hyde-Addison ES LSAT

10.04.22

Present: *Dr. Hooks, Katie Mustian, Tysean Curington, Katie Roth, Marie Connolly, Tom Quigley, Eleanor Nelson, Richard Silver, Charlette Woodard, James Brender*

- 4:00pm the meeting began.
- LSAT representatives introduced themselves.
- Katie Mustian provided a summary of the role of the LSAT as an advisory body.
- A simple majority vote resulted in favor of Tom Quigley serving as the LSAT Chair for SY22-23.
- No one was nominated as the secretary for SY22-23. Until further notice, Katie Mustian will serve in the role of secretary.
- Dr. Hooks confirmed that the Comprehensive School Plan (CSP) was received by all LSAT members and reviewed the additional goals that DCPS shared after the CSP was disseminated.
- Dr. Hooks shared that we are fully staffed from an instructional capacity.
- Dr. Hooks shared that we currently have 3 fourth grade classrooms (currently with 60+ students) and 2 fifth grade classrooms. He shared historical context of the PreK3 reduction (and the addition of a third 5th grade class) that was approved by DCPS in the spring of 2022 and later reversed. This will directly impact 5th grade students during the 2023-2024 school year.
- LSAT representatives discussed whether there were even other options to discuss, other than a class reduction, if there is no additional classroom space.
- Dr. Hooks shared that we are higher than the district average on every benchmark assessment and PARCC scores.
- Dr. Hooks shared how funds raised by the PTA supplement the DCPS budget and allow us to put more DCPS funds towards staffing the school.
- A general overview of the DCPS budget process, timeline, and formula was discussed.
- 4:42pm the meeting came to a close.