21st Century Public Academy Governance Council Meeting May 16, 2024

Principal's Report

1. Technology

- a. We have requested a quote from Harmonix for several technology upgrades we hope to complete in the coming months:
 - i. Upgraded switch in the server room to allow for additional phone lines.
 - ii. Fix to the front door camera to allow communication from inside the building to visitors outside.
 - iii. Ceiling mounted projector in the cafeteria for presentations and guest speakers.
 - iv. High definition cameras for outside security system.
 - v. Vape/tobacco detector system for bathrooms.

2. OSIs

a. Mission Specific Goal: 75% of students, enrolled on the 40th and 120th day, will complete at least 18 OSIs and earn a minimum of a 3 on the RACED writing OSI Assignment Rubric on the final assignment for the year.

Grade Level	Number of OSIs	Average 3+ RACED %	Most Recent 3+ RACED %	Participation %
1st	11	100%	100%	100%
2nd	11	100%	100%	100%
3rd	11	100%	100%	100%
4th	7	87.75%	88.89%	100%
5th	10	89.09%	98.00%	100%
6th	21	76.19%	77.01%	98.91%
7th	20	83.08%	86.84%	99.54%
8th	19	94.28%	96.20%	92.66%

3. Testing

- a. We have concluded all state-mandated testing for the year, with 100% participation in each, including the following assessments:
 - i. ACCESS for ELLs
 - ii. DLM
 - iii. NM-ASR

- iv. NM-MSSA
- b. Our final testing window was this week, wherein we conducted the last short-cycle assessment in MAPs for grades 3-8 and ISIP for grades 1-2.
 Teachers will present final data during our inservice the week of May 28th, and I will present their findings to the board at the next GC meeting.

4. School Accountability

- a. Per a memorandum from PED, the formula for calculating NM schools' Vistas scores was adjusted this month. Thankfully, it is now very transparent exactly how points are earned for each school in each measured category.
- b. The previous designation of "Excellence" for the top 10% of schools no longer exists. However, schools may now earn Recognitions of Excellence for individual categories in which they perform in the top 10% of schools. We have earned these Recognitions in three categories:
 - i. ELA Proficiency
 - ii. ELA Growth
 - iii. Science Proficiency
- c. Unfortunately, another result of this change is that we have retained our "Additional Targeted Support and Improvement School" (ATSI) designation from our test scores in 2018-2019. This designation stays with schools for a minimum of three years, and any school with such a designation is not eligible for the Spotlight designation, regardless of their most recent years' scores.
- d. PED did inform me that 21stCPA is "very likely" able to exit this designation next year as a result of our performance this year.

5. School Advisory Committee

a. The SAC's next meeting is postponed until next year, as per the chair.