

Minutes for Lincoln School Site Council

April 28, 2011

6:30 P.M.

In Attendance: Brent Conway, Cynthia Santosuosso, Carol Nadeau, Kathleen McGourthy, Linda Apple, Gretchen Sinnott, Ed Keenan, Jean O'Neil, Kristin Haggerty

Purpose of meeting: Develop the 2011-2012 Lincoln School's improvement plan

- Brent Conway facilitated the meeting to create goals, strategies, and action items to address the challenges of the Lincoln School.
- Cynthia Santosuosso and Kathleen McGourthy finalized the school profile.
- Reading skills in the Special Education population were identified as an area of challenge at a prior meeting.
 - Strategies were developed to meet the goal of improving reading in the special education population.
 - Action items including timelines, responsible parties, resources, and success measures were identified in order to meet the goal.
- Technology integration in the classroom was identified as a challenge at a prior meeting.
 - Strategies were developed to meet the goal of improving technology integration.
 - Action items including timelines, responsible parties, resources, and success measures were identified in order to meet the goal.
- The goal of enhancing parent communication through technology was created.
 - Strategies were developed to meet the goal of improving reading in the special education population.
 - Action items including timelines, responsible parties, resources, and success measures were identified in order to meet the goal.

- The council decided that additional opportunities for students to participate in inquiry based learning would be beneficial, particularly in the areas of math and science.
 - Strategies were developed to meet the goal of improving inquiry based learning at Lincoln.
 - Action items including timelines, responsible parties, resources, and success measures were identified in order to meet the goal.