

CSC MINUTES

Name: FNT CEC Middle College **Title:** CSC **Date:** May 27, 2009

Present: Randy Johnson, Art Padilla, Ryan Lopez, Cheri Wright, Lynda Freund, Bernadette Aragon, Mada Evenson

Absent: Cathy Vigil

Visitor(s): _____

CSC Facilitator: Ryan Lopez

What Happened & How

March 2009 Minutes – Minutes were approved.

2009/2010 CEC Mission and Vision:

CEC serves DPS as a magnet HS for career and technical education, and offers as part of its core CTE purpose an exceptional middle college opportunity for a select group of full-time students.

As noted in the February 2002 recommendation to the DPS Board of Education, the middle college is “designed to operate with a college/high school concept embracing a contextual learning/teaching philosophy. Career and technical education will continue to be the focus.”

Recommended Mission (2002)

To provide diverse opportunities to obtain technical and academic skills through career partnerships while earning HS diplomas, degrees and advanced certifications.

Mission (2008)

All students will be passionate about a chose career.

- SIP 08-09:**
1. Academic
 2. CTE
 3. Parents

Year One: MCD at NHS and CEC enter first year as sister programs

- Shared administrator with NHS- Middle College Coordinator
- MCD at NHS are full-time students for NHS and are counted as CTE enrollment at CEC
- Shared resources between NHS and CEC begins as applicable
- Schedules match

2009/2010 CEC school-wide focus:

1. RtI implementation
2. Standardized course syllabi in core and CTE classes
3. Standardized grade books in core and CTE
4. Curriculum in core and CTE meets DPS and CCCS expectations
5. Increased CTE enrollment!
6. Increase availability of academic credit in CTE courses!
7. Enrollment targets and interview process determined

Year Two: MCD at NHS and CEC enter second year as sister programs

1. RtI implementation year two
2. DPS BOE approve academic credits available in CTE courses
3. Full-time CEC MC freshman class to target 100 students (interviews for this CEC class to emphasize career interests/aptitudes)
4. Curriculum and pedagogy focus TBD based on implementation of syllabi, grade books, and curriculum and RtI
5. Expansion of academic and CTE opportunities to evenings
6. Increase CTE enrollment

Year Three: MCD at NHS and CEC enter third year as sister programs

1. RtI implementation year three
2. Increased CTE enrollments! – at capacity
3. Evening CTE and academic programs continue
4. Expansion of CTE programs to satellite locations within DPS
5. Increase in number of MC students on CCD campus

Mission 2009

Option 1:

To provide diverse opportunities to obtain technical and academic skills in discovering/developing a career path/passion

Option 2:

To provide diverse opportunities to explore and obtain technical and academic skills in discovering and developing a career path/passion

Points discussed during the meeting were:

- CEC designated as vocational school for DPS.
- In the future, have CEC designated as a technical college
- Support from the Board of Education gives CEC the opportunity to grow since our focus is career and technical education
- Clear understanding of who we are with changes happening at school and district level. We need to revisit our real purpose and mission for CEC, determining the role in the DPS system.
- Have a strategic plan that determines our steps for next three years
- Make sure that CEC doesn't reinvent its mission if Administration changes
- Have more active participation from our CEC parents in the CSC committee. We will provide nominations and then have parents vote so members can be selected for the next term.
- One or two parents to represent NHS at committee.

Some items that were mentioned during the meeting were:

- Change interview and selection process
- Change target students that come to CEC
- Balance the fact that MC vision has detoured
- Review our attendance policy and apply it
- Selection process could be done more as a job application with references, interests – different approach for selecting students for CEC
- Look into other programs to start at CEC
- Look into satellite locations at other quadrants to support District clusters

Description of who we are:

- Support system that will help students achieve their goals academically and technically.
- Change staff vision of how we can transmit students that they can succeed at a college or career level

The meeting was adjourned at 3:00 p.m.

Reviewed by: _____
Domonic Martinez, Principal

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