

School Leadership Team Minutes- Public School 28

Thursday, December 19th, 2024

Attendance: Carmen Estrella, Madelaine Schmidt, Mr. Quintana, Maria Abreu, AnnMarie Schuh, Lady Johanna Murillo, Maria Russell, Christian Roman, Translator: Parent Coordinator Ms. Bethania Garcia

Called To Order: Maria Russell at 2:30pm

1. School uniform update from the Parent Association: A total of 266 parents voted on the implementation of a uniform policy at Public School 28. The results were as follows: 214 parents voted yes to implement a uniform policy at Public School 28. 18 parents voted no and 34 were neutral. Through consensus the School Leadership Team, in collaboration with the Parent Association, has agreed to implementing a school uniform policy at Public School 28. Mr. Quintana discussed the school uniform regulations and policies. Before the school uniform policy can be implemented, there needs to be a definitive plan in place put forth by the School Leadership Team in collaboration with the Parent Association.
2. Discussion of Smaller Classroom Sizes: Mr. Quintana and Ms. Schuh have successfully implemented and submitted the plan for smaller classroom sizes at Public School 28. We are hopeful that starting in September of 2025, there will be smaller classroom sizes at Public School 28.
3. Brainstorm Ideas for Possible PA Fundraisers: We discussed ideas for future PA fundraisers. Some ideas were Scholastic Book Club Fairs and Holiday gift sales at PS28. These plans and ideas and how to implement them will be further discussed at future School Leadership Team meetings.

4. School Closures in December: All New York City public schools will be closed for the Winter/holiday break from Monday, December 23rd until Wednesday, January 1st. All schools will reopen on Thursday, January 2nd, 2025.

Next meeting is January 23rd, 2025.

Meeting adjourned at 4pm.