Grade Level/Content	VPA
Time	2:05 pm
Location	113
Attendance	

AGENDA
Educational Leadership - PLC: Mr. Fernandes
● Pacing: The Rhythm of The Classroom
Reminders:
https://www.nps.k12.nj.us/wp-content/uploads/2024/02/NBOE-Arts-Update-2.12.24.pdf

● Young Artist Annual:
○ February 28, 2024 @ 5:00 PM: 2024 Young Artists Annual at Newark Vocational High School.

● All City Music Festival:
○ March 1, 2024: Rehearsal at Art High School.
○ March 7, 2024: 2024 All City Music Festival at Arts High School. (formal attire)

● SPARK: Music & Art in the Park
○ Saturday, May 4th 2024
○ artwork and chorus/band performance

Minutes:
Agenda Item 1: Initial Presentation of Action Plan (7th Grade - Bilingual Portuguese-Behavior)

- [Presenter's Name] presented the action plan for 7th Grade regarding bilingual Portuguese and behavior.
- Discussion ensued regarding the key components of the plan, including language support strategies and behavioral interventions.
- Action items were assigned to relevant stakeholders for further development and implementation.

Agenda Item 2: PLCS focusing on supporting Homeroom teachers and Special activity teachers attending this homeroom.

- Two PLCS were discussed, aimed at supporting homeroom teachers and special activity teachers in addressing the needs of Portuguese-speaking students.
- The following topics were covered:
    1. Understanding the Portuguese Speaking population
    2. Background and Cultural Barriers
- Participants shared insights and experiences related to these topics, highlighting challenges and opportunities.
- Strategies were proposed to enhance cultural competence and improve support mechanisms for both teachers and students.
- Plans were made to schedule follow-up meetings to delve deeper into specific issues and action steps.