

Maynard Jackson High School

Date: 4/22/2025

Time: 5:00 PM

Location: MJHS Media Center and Virtual Via Zoom

I. Call to order: 5:03

II. Roll Call:

Role	Name (or Vacant)	Present or Absent
Principal	Adam Danser	Present
Parent/Guardian	Kimberly Leeks	Present
Parent/Guardian	Stacey West Wooding	Present
Parent/Guardian	Nancy Lamb	Absent
Instructional Staff	Bryce Duncan	Present
Instructional Staff	Emily Galloway Khalid	Present
Instructional Staff	Sakari Balam A	Absent
Community Member	Suzanne Mitchell	Present
Community Member	Lewis Cartee A	Present
Swing Seat	Shawana Rhaney A	Absent
Student (High Schools)	Drew Millman	Present
Student (High Schools)	Anaiah Ebron-Williams	Present

Quorum Established: [Yes]

III. Action Items *(add items as needed)*

A. Approval of Agenda: Motion made by: [Suzanne Mitchell]; Seconded by: [Cartee Lewis]

Members Approving: 7

Members Opposing: 0

Members Abstaining: 0

Motion [Passes]

B. Approval of Previous Minutes: List amendments to the minutes: Motion made by: [Cartee Lewis]; Seconded by: [Sakari Gall]

Members Approving: 7

Members Opposing: 0

Members Abstaining: 0

Motion [Passes]

C. Final Budget Recommendation

IV. Discussion Items

A. Discussion Item 1: Testing Season and MAP Data

Dr. Danser presented an overview of the data. Concerns discussed include the difficulty of having come off a particularly successful year of EOC data which counts so heavily toward CCRPI, and now our target is set even higher. Dr. Danser reviewed the MAP data and discussed whether or not they are a reliable indicator of success on EOC's. Suzanne Mitchell asked for clarification on how valuable the MAP testing is at MJHS. Dr. Danser discussed how it is somewhat a predictor of achievement for Milestone, but as students get older, it ceases to be as reliable- whether because students stop taking it seriously or it is harder to show growth at the higher levels. Ms. Galloway added that it is used as a screener for Gifted testing. Dr. Danser then discussed how there exists a literacy challenge which is reflected in the orange and red on the growth and achievement MAP chart on the presentation. Our overall CCRPI scores on the GOVERNOR'S Office of Student Achievement was 81.7, which is the highest it has ever been for our school. We also marked another year of MJHS Beating the Odds, and we scored high on school climate. Dr. Danser then opened up the floor for the GO Team to discuss the data. Nancy Lamb asked a clarifying question about growth data from Math. Suzanne Mitchell pointed out that our strengths were our ongoing consistency, and the real question was how do we use consistency to catapult growth? We have a baseline, so how do we discuss growth from that. Nancy Lamb brought up - in terms of opportunities for growth, while we have them in 9th grade, we have an opportunity to intervene for growth for those kids who get to us at a lower level at the 9th grade level. Dr. Danser also pointed out that he was particularly proud of the growth we have seen in this data. Cartee Lewis brought up there was an even greater opportunity for those kids in the orange that could go either way.

B. Discussion Item 2: Needs Assessment

Mr. Duncan brought up how the Jaguar Learning Lab has proved to be very effective. Dr. Danser asked if the GO Team had any ideas about different ways to reach the parents. Nancy Lamb asked is there a program we have access to that allows students to improve by working on at home? He brought up Khan Academy, Delta Math, and College Board. The problem ends up being the kids who need it the most are not using them. Next year, we are using LEXIA curriculum resources with the new ELA curriculum. Suzanne Mitchell brought up the question of how we are using coaches with extracurriculars as a place of support for the kids. Dr. Danser responded that most coaches are using their position to connect and leverage that experience to encourage improvement. Suzanne Mitchell brought up perhaps we should expand it to clubs as well. Cartee Lewis said we should be proud of our CCRPI numbers

C. Flexibility Option- Early Release

Lewis Cartee brought up how much of a great idea this was. Dr. Danser said he spoke to Ms. Sofianos about using this time for cross-disciplinary planning for instruction. Lewis would like early release planning days recorded as a "Need." Mr. Duncan would like to find opportunities for small group learning in the Milestone subject areas.

V. Information Items

A. Principal's Report-

i. 2024-2025 Family Engagement and/ or Partnership Highlights

B. March 24, 2025 Cluster Advisory Team Report

Nancy Lamb was asked to join a facility management task force. She did not attend the last Cluster Advisory meeting, but has been reviewing the information. She also has expressed interest in being a Community Member.

C. GO Team Elections-

we need more parent participation

V. Adjournment

Motion made by: (Suzanne Mitchell); Seconded by: [Nancy Lamb]

Members Approving: 7

Members Opposing: 0

Members Abstaining: 0

Motion [Passes]

ADJOURNED AT [5:47 PM]

Minutes Taken By: [Emily Galloway Khalid]

Position: [Secretary]

Date Approved: []