Minutes of School Council Meeting #4: 2017-2018

Tucker Elementary School Council

The Tucker Elementary School Council met in regular session on March 19, 2018 at 1300 Tucker Road in the media center.

School Council Members Present: Carey Bassett, Megan Merrell, Kim Halstead

School Council Members Absent: Coby Sandefur, Brooke Temple, Brittani Yingling, Abbie Stembridge

3 members were present, representing a quorum.

The following visitors attended the meeting: Kayla Shumway and Dani Fuller (Fifth Grade Teachers)

- 1. Call to Order KHalstead
- 2. Pledge of Allegiance KHalstead
- 3. Recognition of Visitors KHalstead
- 4. New Business

Upcoming Meetings: TBD for 2018 – 2019

Staff Update: Brandon Hall, APD

Upcoming elections to be held in August

Kayla Shumway and Dani Fuller, fifth grade teachers, presented DBQ packet being used in fifth grade. DBQs or Document-Based Questions are questions that guide thinking regarding primary sources such as articles, letters, reports, or other passages.

Kayla and Dani shared quality work produced by a student who gives an opinion he has developed from the reading of the DBQ packet as well as support for this opinion. They shared examples of high engagement and transfer of the skills the students gain from these experiences.

The fifth grade teachers shared how DBQs are presented for different ability levels. The teachers stated that they hope for more DBQ resources to be available soon for them to utilize with their students.

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