

Halifax West High School
SAC Agenda

January 31, 2023

Supporting Student Success

To improve student achievement through the use of instructional practices that are informed by knowledge of their students’ diverse backgrounds, experiences, perspectives, and learning styles.

- ❖ We will build a community of learners in the classroom where students feel connected to each other, the content, and their own learning Teachers will implement culturally relevant writing workshop lessons.
- ❖ We will provide students with skills, tools, and opportunities to create work that positively values the diversity of their own experiences and Canadian society.
- ❖ We will create opportunities for students to learn about the positive contributions of individuals from diverse cultural backgrounds to Canadian society and the global community.

To improve student achievement through planning and using formative and summative assessment strategies.

- ❖ We will provide a wide range of ways for students to demonstrate their learning, ensuring both academic rigour and a variety of resources that are accessible to each learner, with a particular focus on meeting the needs of New Canadian students
- ❖ We will provide students with regular descriptive feedback and teach them focused revision using this feedback.
- ❖ We will provide students with clear learning targets, written in student-friendly language, for every lesson.

Discussion Items	Minutes
Call to order	
Approval of agenda	
Approval of meeting minutes from November 15, 2022	
Business arising from the meeting minutes	
Principal’s Report	
Student Success Planning <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Review goals and strategies ➤ Teacher Learning – PD Dec. 2 ➤ Classroom observations – evidence of classroom instructional practices to support SSP strategies 	

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Share ways teachers assess, collect and use assessments for further instruction to support student achievement 1. EECD & Classroom Assessment: What does the data show? 2. Data 	
<p>Finance</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SAC Grants: Spent \$5000 + \$1 for every child 	
<p>Policy Input</p>	
<p>Special reports and/or presentations</p> <p>Student Reports</p>	
<p>Other</p> <p>School Trip</p> <p>Modular</p>	
<p>Next Meeting: February 28th, 2023</p> <p>Adjournment</p>	