

Andrew Jackson Language Academy
Principal Report to the
Local School Council

November 9, 2020

AGENDA

- I. Acknowledgement
- II. Staff Updates
- III. 2nd Quarter Updates
- IV. CIWP Updates
- V. Building Updates
- VI. Budget Report
- VII. Parent Engagement



MR. SADOFF!

*5 YEARS OF SERVICE TO LSC 2015-2020

REMOTE LEARNING SURVEY RESPONSES

What is working?

- Everything! AJLA teachers are amazing!
- Schedule & consistency
- Class organization
- Routines & structures
- Teacher flexibility, patience
- Teacher availability daily
- Ongoing feedback from teachers
- Weekly communication
- Teacher websites
- Google Meet and Google Classroom
- Weekly summaries from Google Classroom
- Small group, breakout rooms
- Synchronous time
- No homework, using asynchronous time to complete assignments

2ND QUARTER REMOTE LEARNING UPDATES

How can we improve?	Opportunities:
<ul style="list-style-type: none">-Amount of emails for my child regarding missing assignments-Screen time-5 minute break between classes, brain breaks-More work requiring writing, hands on approach-Not having assignments due on the same day-Not having assessments on the same day-Class participation by all rather than same few-Same expectations for Google Meet school-wide-Social contact-Asynchronous time schedule	<p>Opportunities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">-Teachers will collaborate so not all assessments are on the same day-Infusing instructional strategies such as culturally relevant practices, breakout rooms, community building, etc. to increase student engagement-Asynchronous schedule-Room Parents meeting to discuss opportunities for students to socialize virtually

2ND QUARTER REMOTE LEARNING UPDATES

What support do I need?	Opportunities:
<ul style="list-style-type: none">-Better internet access-Tutoring-Less online-Google Suite/ Tech training-Communicating on how child is doing vs. what is missing-Offer social activities-Extending due dates-Longer math/reading-Supplemental or enrichment at home work-Email the curriculum night presentation-Typing lessons-Balancing work and my child's school-Motivating my child	<p>Opportunities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">-Room Parents meeting to organize virtual social activities-Read books (Scholastic Book Fair), journaling, online resources assigned by teacher-Please reach out to your child's teacher for the Curriculum Night presentation-Typing site:-SEL Parent Workshop on helping parents cope with remote learning at home and ways to support their child

2ND QUARTER REMOTE LEARNING UPDATES

- 2nd quarter begins remotely November 9, 2020
- Schedule updates
- Asynchronous time utilized for small group instruction
- Grading deadlines: December 9 and February 3

CIWP ACTION STEPS UPDATE

- ILT meeting to discuss 2nd quarter PoP, focus, and action steps
- Math: Focus on framework for implementing standards based teaching and developing rich tasks to actively engage students.
- SEL: Reflection on what students need right now (daily community building) and focus on our SEL developed scope and sequence and resources
- Equity: Focus on infusing instructional content that is culturally relevant in teaching and learning in order to motivate and engage students (professional text as resource)

BUILDING UPDATES

- Water quality testing

Round 1 - SY2016-SY2018

Round 2 - SY2019-SY2022

- Ventilation assessment completed
- Indoor air quality completed
- Detailed ventilation and indoor air quality report for our school is available at cps.edu/airquality

BUDGET

- Internal Accounts early report not available (will be shared in December meeting)
- Received funds due to 10th day enrollment adjustment
- Several teachers increase in both lane and step

DON'T FORGET!

- November 9 - 20 Scholastic Book Fair begins,
- November 13 - Virtual High School Fair 1:30-2:30 PM
- November 16 - Principal Coffee Day 5:00 PM
- November 18 - No school - Parent-Teacher-Student Conference Day, All School Forms are due, Local School Council Election
- November 19 - Family Reading Night 5:00 PM (turkey giveaway & more)
- November 20 - Virtual High School Fair 1:30-2:30 PM
- November 23 - Virtual Open House 5:00 PM
- November 25-27 - No school, Thanksgiving Holiday

PARENT ENGAGEMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Principal Coffee Day on Monday, November 16 at 5:00 PM

Join Zoom Meeting: <https://zoom.us/j/99771127033?pwd=RnZwYzY2aDR0SmhPeDlDUitpVIIIQT09>

Meeting ID: 997 7112 7033 Passcode: KiSB1U

Dial by your location: +1 312 626 6799 US (Chicago)

Meeting ID: 997 7112 7033 Passcode: 996254

Renaming School Community Meeting on Thursday, November 30 at 5:00 PM

Join Zoom Meeting: <https://zoom.us/j/97503047972?pwd=dUtCdExWN1pHbFZiRXRrSm1KMHgoQTog>

Meeting ID: 975 0304 7972 Passcode: FLy4A3

Dial by your location: +1 312 626 6799 US (Chicago)

Meeting ID: 975 0304 7972 Passcode: 580447

Parents Council Meeting on Wednesday, December 16 at 8:00 AM

Join Zoom Meeting: <https://zoom.us/j/94766097473?pwd=bnpsMy84cTRRUE1tS1pZMXINSCtMdz09>

Meeting ID: 947 6609 7473 Passcode: 4HZtNZ

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