

Perry School Improvement Advisory Committee (SIAC)
January 30, 2020



Meeting Minutes

Attendance: Clark Wicks, Anthony Ketelsen, Jill Ketelsen, Shaun Kruger, Brad Snowgren, Dan Marburger, Ned Menke, Stephanie Heitman, Ryan Marzen, Kevin Vidergar

- I. What are the purpose and responsibilities of the Perry School Improvement Advisory Committee or SIAC?
 - The committee reviewed the purpose and responsibilities of the SIAC. There were no questions about this.

- II. What are some of the ways Perry is investing in our students' futures?
 - District and school administrators each shared one way that Perry CSD is investing in our students' futures. Examples include Mr. Wicks sharing about the ongoing facilities project, Mr. Marburger sharing about the renovations in the Industrial Technology area, Mr. Kruger shared about Capturing Kids Hearts (a district-wide initiative to continue strengthening relationships among students and staff) and the new STEM course in the middle school, and Mr. Menke shared about creating a new 'makerspace' and the Computer Science is Elementary Award received by the elementary.

- III. Assist with district-wide needs assessment.
 - The committee reviewed and finalized the questions that will appear on the district-wide needs assessment. This needs assessment will be open for parents to complete during parent/teacher conferences in early March.

- IV. When will we meet again?
 - The committee will meet next on April 23, 2020 from 5:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

 - Topics will include:
 1. Review results from the district-wide needs assessment.
 2. Develop recommendations to the school board about the following items:
 - Major educational needs;
 - Student learning goals;
 - Long-range goals that include, but are not limited to, the state indicators that address reading, mathematics, and science achievement; and
 - Harassment or bullying prevention goals, programs, training, and other initiatives