

School Improvement Advisory Committee Agenda and Meeting Notes
October 5, 2011
High School Media Center
7:00 p.m.

- Welcome new members

There were several new members in attendance.

- Introductions
- Review purpose of SIAC Committee - required by the Code of Iowa, section 280.12 The SIAC gives input and makes recommendations to the school board. SIAC in itself is not a decision-making body.

Two sub-committees were formed and members signed up to be part of one or both.

Safe and Drug Free Schools (SDFS) Committee:

Penny Lenz

Tom Anderson

Amy Peterson

Katie Nelson

Amy Simpson

Jan Nelson

Deb Mefferd

Angie Judd

Vocational Committee:

Pam Anderson

Jan Miller

Amy Peterson

Jan Nelson

Christine Sturgeon

Angie Judd

Connie Johnson

- Finances

Mr Egli gave a summary of the financial status of the district. He noted we have many more students who open-enroll in as opposed to those who open enroll out.

- Data from 10-11 school year

Laura Horan gave a brief data review from the past school year. There were additional comments about technology. Those comments included:

- implementation, college prep, the future
- value of tech
- social skills
- tech and learning
- on task behavior
- writing
- digital citizenship
- student achievement goals for 11-12

Motion was made by Jan Nelson and seconded by Amy Simpson to recommend the 2011-2012 student achievement goals to the school board.

- Another meeting for SIAC will be set in November. It will be important to have representatives from all parts of the whole school community. In addition, members who signed up to be part of the two sub-committees, SDFS and Vocational, will be notified when a meeting has been set.