October 22 SIP Meeting Minutes:

Establishing Norms: review of staff meeting norms, be true to time, confidentiality (be aware of it), be open-minded to possibilities, don't throw people under the bus, be transparent, speak your truth, speak about things while you are in the meeting (as opposed to afterwards in the parking lot for example). No meeting after the meeting. Will revisit these the next time we meet.

Upcoming Events at Sayre:

See Sayre SIP Team Agenda for these

SIP Meeting Schedule:

11/26: Next Meeting
12/17: Possible meeting only if needed
1/28
2/25
3/25
4/22
5/20

Budget:

- **Copy Machine:** PTO has previously paid 3 payments of $5000 for the two newer copy machines. The last payment was just made last year. C Hall will be getting newest copy machine above all other halls based on how old their copy machine is. Two newest ones are the one in the office and the B hall.
- Sue will check on laminator for next budget item. Will add this to the agenda for next SIP meeting.
- **Walkies:** We currently have 6 that function. These are not highly reliable either. Very sensitive. We really need 6 more in addition to this. One permanent one in the lunchroom would be ideal. Para's need one per person, teachers who need para's need a walkie as well. They have to be the same brand as the ones we have now in order to be on the same frequency. 12 total is the ideal number.
- **Guided Reading Tables:** All upper el needs to be have kidney tables Currently only a few teachers have them. Will need at least five tables. Approximately $350/table.
- **Lunchroom Tables:** We are in need of more seats to replace the ones that are broken in the lunchroom. We have been told that there are no more seats available from the building and the District. Mike just ordered 25 circular tops to help this. Some of the latches are broken on the tables as well. Two new tables would be needed to replace the ones where the latches are bad. Tables are about $2000/table. Going to see if we can try to fix it first before we buy a new one. Will look to see if there is any information about how much Mike has put in to fix it time and money-wise.

School Improvement/NCA

IRIPs and NWEA Testing:

- Students below the 59th percentile are on IRIPs.
- All students are in guided reading groups that are on IRIPs no matter what the grade level.
- Sue will bring back to the group what percentage of our kids are on IRIPs for the next meeting.
- Read alouds are a focus in the district this year and will be used to incorporate minilessons and focus on where kids' needs are according to NWEA test scores.

New Business:

- **Sayre Strong Updates:** Pizza lunch will be different day (Thursday), Laurie is working on staff shout outs with Eleni, Sayre Strong Shout Outs (Stacey Mahe: Restorative Practice person), medals will continue soon.
- **PBIS Team/Sayre Squads:** working on getting our Sayre Strong committee (PBIS Team) back together. Check in, check out system going to be put into place. Sayre Squad: JK-5th graders all together through their entire journey here ar Sayre with one teacher approx. once/month.
- **PTO Updates:** Boo Bash is this Friday. FAQ's doc made by Laurie. If you have any students that want to come but can't, please let Laurie know.
- **Teacher Updates:** Lynn: Halloween costumes in the future?, quote painted on the wall/bathroom stalls, National Parent Involvement Day (revisit next time we have a SIP meeting).
- **Support Staff Updates:** we need a new walkie for our para's.

Old Business:

- **5th grade camp:** Can go to Copeneconic and Storer. Limit to three days/two nights per District directive. Last year teachers voted against camp overnight because they are on the clock 24/7 while there. Teachers felt that there was too much burden on teachers to be able to want to do overnight again. With the two choices the teachers had, they did not believe those camps would be a good choice. We will look into this and evaluate more. Sue will find out the parameters from the District. Joe will communicate with 5th grade teachers about what they are looking for into the future

Plus: everyone contributed and was honest

Delta: went over time, Lindy didn't ask grade level what they want her to bring up (sorry guys!) :), agenda ahead of time.

Adjournment