



**Bard LSAT Meeting Minutes**  
**November 16, 2020 5:00-7:00pm**

Zoom Meeting

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Meeting ID:

Passcode: 942248

**LSAT Member Attendees:** Nakisha Winston (Parent Co-Chair), Ellen Armstead (Parent Co-chair), Michael Sigrist (WTU Building Rep), Sharona Robinson (DCPS), Brandon Dailey, Dr. Hany, Dr. Cass, Dr. Kim, Manika Morgan, Sherita Wallace-Reid

Principal Anderson, AP Chisolm, AP Gloor, Clara Botstein, Tonya Hawkins (Staff), Lindsay Raymond (Secretary), Chenine Dyston (Faculty), Michael Horka (Faculty), Alessandra Romano Berg (Faculty), Victoria Bampoh (Faculty), Malcolm Battle (AD), Sharon Shanklin Browne, Elizabeth Reddick

LSAT Chair, Nakisha Winston called the meeting to order at 5:05pm

**1. Welcome and Introductions**

- Updates from Student Government Association

SGA held its first executive cabinet meeting on Wednesday, November 4. SGA's first general student body meeting of the year is on Wednesday, November 18, 2020 at 2:30pm-3:30pm. This meeting is open to all students. They will be presenting an idea for periodic, schoolwide mental health days, spirit week, and also gathering ideas from students about what they want to see happen this year.
- Updates from WTU

The District and the Union came to a tentative MOA. Main outcomes: No teacher is going to be required to return during Team 2 if they feel unsafe. Terms 3 and 4 will depend in part on demand, but the WTU will continue to have a voice in negotiations. LSAT will have a role with signing on the conditions on safety checklist having been met.
- Updates from PTA

Upcoming school community events will be posted on social media.

## **2. Principal Updates on LSAT target areas**

- Recruitment/Enrollment
  - ❑ Held two open houses
  - ❑ Next open houses are planned for 11/23 and 12/10
  - ❑ Ed Fest is on Dec 12th (it will be virtual)
  - ❑ Higher Achievements High School Fair
  - ❑ Jefferson Academy High School Night is on 11/17
  - ❑ Early College campaign with Coolidge EC Academy
  
- Student Engagement
  - ❑ Attendance is about 99%.
  - ❑ Approximately 20% actively engaged in clubs or athletics
  - ❑ SGA has been elected
  - ❑ Planning Term 1 Assembly for the last week of November or first week of December
  
- Family Engagement
  - ❑ Nov 4th - Coffee with Principal (10 parents in attendance)
  - ❑ FLOCS meeting on 11/18
  
- Faculty Support
  - ❑ Weekly SEL meetings with Faculty continue on Wednesday's at 2:30pm
  
- SIT
  - ❑ First meeting Wednesday, 12/2
  - ❑ Pre- meeting with school-level staff is on Thursday 11/19

## **3. FY 2021 Budget Updates**

- DCPS enrollment projections webinar questions or comments on general enrollment projections, special education projections or budget process.
- Discussion on how we plan to review and comment on Bard's enrollment projections if it's released before our next meeting.
- Discussion on whether we want to register to provide testimony at DCPS' annual Public Budget Hearing on Monday, November 23rd.

## **4. Update on Facilities Readiness for reopening**

- Reopening the building on 11/18
  - About 18 students in 2 shifts; 10am-1pm and 11am-2pm
- Update on Student Support Center
  - Will be staffed mainly by V. Anderson, B. Gloor, L. Chisholm, M. Battle, and D. Bardach, P. Harhai

- Scheduling of operations walkthrough
- WTU Building Inspection Checklist Agreement (will be discussed at a future meeting)
- Building Readiness Checklist

**5. Public Comment**

- Student Term 1 academic accomplishments recognized
- There will be faculty meeting time will be dedicated to working on student support plans for struggling students
- Ebony Rose Thompson has a seat on the school board
- Discussion about 1:1 technology for 2021-2022 school year

Meeting adjourned at 7:00pm.

**Remaining 2020-2021 Meetings:**

<b>Date</b>	<b>Time</b>
December 21st	TBD
January 25th (school closed on the 18th)	TBD
February 22nd (school closed on the 15th)	TBD
March 15th	TBD
April 19th	TBD
May 17th	TBD
June 21st	TBD