**P.S. 176 The Ovington School**

**School Leadership Team Meeting**

**November 6, 2020**

**Agenda**

**Attendees:** Elizabeth Culkin, Chrissy Giannopoulos, Lily Tang, Victor Melendez, Debra Means West, Greta Villacis, Deborah Francisco, Marilyn Murphy, Suzanne Kelly, Marylou Sorenson, Alejandra Mendoza

**Call to Order**

Minutes of last meeting Accepted Suzanne Kelly

Seconded Greta Villacis

**New Business:**

Introduction of SLT members: all new members welcomed and acknowledged.

SLT Elections:

Chairperson: Lily Tang

Recording Secretary: Debra Means-West

Financial Officer: Marilyn Murphy

Grading Policy: update provided from Ms. Culkin on how district 20 has its own grading policy. This year DOE has not used a grading policy but instead has indicated that schools can select a grading scale that best fits the needs of students. Grading will now weight areas as follows: homework: 45%, participation: 30%, and homework: 25%. Ms. Culkin advised that the revised grading policy will be sent to SLT.

SLT General Information: SLT general information document shared with the SLT.

SLT bylaws: Update provided in SLT bylaws. Ms Culkin advised that copy of bylaws to be sent to SLT for review. Next meeting will be space for SLT to provided comments – if any.

**Committee Reports**:

Attendance: 98% attendance reported.   
Note: no update provided regarding % students switching learning methods (in-person, hybrid) as of the time of this meeting.

PTA Report new PTA members announced. Fundraising update provided: Middle Farms and Aunt Butchies

**Other Business:** Deborah provided an update that the district will be hosting workshops on the following topics: mental health, COVID, and ADHD. More details for these workshops will be shared the week of Nov. 10th

**Meeting adjourned:** Friday, November 6th 10:30am

Respectfully submitted,

Debra Means-West, Recording Secretary