

**Freedom High School**  
**School Advisory Council (SAC) Meeting Minutes**  
**Monthly SAC Meeting**  
**FHS Media Center**  
**January 9, 2023**

**Attendance:**

Bret Caffery, Ruth Caffery, Cathy Davis, Deisamar De Soto, Alicia Duarte, Turita Dudhnath, Audra Fresoli, Cheryl Neely, Taye Valdez

**Call to Order:**

FHS SAC Meeting was called to order at 6:06 pm

**Approval of Previous Minutes:**

Approved by Bret Caffery, seconded by Ruth Caffery

**SGA Update:**

- Taste of Freedom is happening on January 17
  - Rising 9<sup>th</sup> graders come to FHS, view school offerings in Courtyard area
- Long Wednesday on January 18 - Anything but a Backpack Day
- Beautification Bash – spruce up FHS. 5 spots are left – counts toward Volunteer hours
- Hoodies are on sale - \$30 for a hoodie, \$5 to add a name, \$5 to add a year

**Senior Update:**

- Cap & Gown/Senior Assembly on January 12
  - Period 3 – Last Names A – L
  - Period 4 – Last Names M – Z
- Senior Update Site: <https://freedomhs.ocps.net/>
- Graduation will be Thursday, May 25 @ UCF Arena
- Senior Walk Out – May 12, 2023

**Emergent Bilinguals Update**

- For Seniors, Alternate Pathways for 29 current Seniors – 1<sup>st</sup> Attempt of STAR
  - STAR test only given 3 times a year. Only criteria for taking STAR testing:
    - Lived less than 2 years in the state of Florida
    - 1<sup>st</sup> time attending school after May 2021

**Principal's Report - (Announcements/HR & Budget Updates)**

- Progress Reports for Quarter 3 due February 1
- Course request will continue throughout January. Must be submitted by January 28
- Media Center – 1669 laptop cases have been distributed, 705 remain to be distributed
- There will be a Town Hall Meeting with Dr. Vazquez (OCPS Superintendent) on January 23
  - 5:00 – 6:00 with Teachers
  - 6:30 – 8:00 with community members
- Stakeholder Survey runs from January 17 – March 10
- Grade Distribution through end of Semester 1

2022-2023 Grade Distribution					
	PR1	RC1	PR2	RC2	S1
A	52%	46%	35%	36%	40%
B	20%	24%	22%	25%	27%
C	13%	17%	17%	19%	19%
D	7%	8%	11%	9%	9%
F	8%	5%	14%	8%	5%

- **PMA 1 by Subgroup**

<b>% Proficient</b>	<b>ELA 9</b>	<b>ELA 10</b>	<b>ALG 1</b>	<b>Geometry</b>	<b>Biology</b>	<b>US History</b>
Overall	34%	34%	27%	48%	76%	76%
ELL	3%	6%	19%	25%	48%	55%
FRL	31%	28%	27%	45%	77%	75%
SWD	11%	14%	18%	28%	63%	58%
Asian	60%	64%	25%	61%	89%	85%
Black	34%	30%	24%	45%	68%	73%
Hispanic	26%	28%	25%	45%	74%	71%
White	53%	47%	34%	60%	88%	99%

- **PMA 2 by Subgroup**

<b>% Proficient</b>	<b>ELA 9</b>	<b>ELA 10</b>	<b>ALG 1</b>	<b>Geometry</b>	<b>Biology</b>	<b>US History</b>
Overall	34%	34%	37%	49%	77%	75%
ELL	5%	5%	23%	27%	51%	49%
FRL			37%	47%	77%	76%
SWD	15%	9%	24%	30%	51%	66%
Asian	60%	80%	33%	68%	97%	64%
Black	33%	23%	41%	33%	73%	79%
Hispanic	27%	28%	35%	47%	72%	70%
White	48%	44%	45%	66%	91%	93%

**Other Business**

- Scheduling – how does Dual Enrollment work?
  - PERT for Dual Enrollment will be offered in February/March at FHS
  - April 1 is the deadline for Valencia
- Follow up from SAFE from the Holiday Drive – all kids were “adopted” and received everything they wanted

**Meeting Adjournment:**

Meeting was adjourned at 7:03 pm  
 Motioned by Bret Caffery, seconded by Audra Fresoli

**Next Meeting Date, Time, and Location:**

2/13/23 @ 6:00 – Community SAC Meeting, FHS Cafeteria

**Submitted by:** Ruth A. Caffery, SAC Secretary