## SJAM SAC Agenda

Tuesday, Oct 15th, 2024 - 6:00-7:00 - Google Meets

#### **SAC GOALS**

Literacy: We will improve achievement in literacy for each of our students, with a specific focus on our students of African and/or Mi'kmaw/Indigenous ancestry.

Math: We will improve achievement in mathematics for each of our students, with a specific focus on our students of African and/or Mi'kmaw/Indigenous ancestry.

Well Being: We will improve well-being at our school for each of our students, with a specific focus on our students of African and/or Mi'kmaw/Indigenous ancestry.

SAC Websites:

https://www.hrce.ca/about-hrce/school-administration/school-advisory-councils

http://www.ednet.ns.ca/SAC

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#### -Call to Order & Welcome & Check In

- Welcome Alicia O'Leary. Welcome Claire Swinamer. Guest, Robyn Trail.

## -Approval of the Agenda and Review of September Minutes

■ SAC Meeting Minutes Sept 17 2024 SJAM.docx

### -7-10 minute presentation - Robyn Trail

"My name is Robyn Traill and I am the new music teacher at SJAM. I would like to acquire some musical equipment (amplifier, electronic piano, bass guitar etc) for the music program before too much time lapses this term and would like SAC's advice.

I'm thinking that there might be a few people/families that have some of these items languishing in their closets, and if I write up a request perhaps SAC can disseminate my request to the parent population and see what might be available."

### -School Life Report (Admin)

- New School Art Committee Meeting

### -Financial Report (Admin)

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#### -Round Table

- -Members' Input
  - -Water fountains in schools Ivy
  - -letter advocating for Equity consultants with a focus on gender diverse students to be sent the letter to the EECD (Ben) - SAC PD day.
  - -Innovation grant. Applications for the 2025-26 school year will open January/February 2025. SAC PD day.

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## -SAC Membership Development

- -23/24 SAC Membership
- -We still have 1 or 2 community member slots vacant. Mike Cuvellier?
- -BUT, new rule coming from EECD, guardians can make up 50% of the SAC!

# -Check Out

- -Something you hope to talk about at the next meeting?
- -Action plan
- -Next meeting: Tuesday November 19th 2024, 6pm
- meetings of the remainder of the 24/25 school year:

November 19

December 10

January 14

February 11

March 18

April 15

May 13

June 17