

Principal Report from Ms. Booker, Principal Intern, PCES

November 16, 2015

We had a terrific Open House on Monday, October 12. We had over 150 parents in attendance. That morning, parents met in the media center to have a data dialogue with Cindy. In the afternoon, we hosted two “Walk and Talks” with parents. Parents toured the school and visited classrooms with administration.

- October 14 we had our first joint ESOL Family Night . The MKES and PCES ESOL Teams held a wonderful family night with over 45 families in attendance. Both schools worked collaboratively to create an environment where our ESOL parents felt included, heard, and taken care of. Families started their evening with a pizza dinner, and then engaged in activities that provided them with information about the ESOL program and gave them resources to help their children at home.
- October 19 we had our monthly Leadership Meeting and had 4 PTA parents that attended the meeting and provided feedback on our SIP.
- PCES A.R.T.S. Day 2015 was held on November 6. We had about 25 artist who visited our school and many staff members who helped to make this day another wonderful experience for our students. Students were excited and engaged as they were able to explore many different art forms. A special thank you to Madeline Taylor, our ESOL teacher who after 8 years has continued to facilitate this one of a kind program for our students as a result of her own love for the arts. Students will be writing thank you notes to the artists that they were exposed to during their rotations.
- Parent Conferences are scheduled for November 11 and 12. We have an interpreter from the county and Linkages to Learning will also be helping us on those two days. Parents will be asked to complete a survey in order to provide us with feedback on their parent conference experience. We also want to thank Ms. Davis and Mrs. Parent for working together to create a Parent Conference Video.