

CSC Meeting Minutes 4/13/21

13 April 2021 / 4:00 PM / ROOM Online via ZOOM

Committee Members Present: Dr. Anthony McWright, Kevin Fox, Deronn Turner, Caron Blanke, Sarah Barber McCurdy, Andre Rodriguez, Tatiana Muñoz, Rachel Kelly, Paola Cesarini, Jadeyn Dugger, Marie Antoinette Banks, Daniel Hettleman

Committee Members Absent: Marty Loftus

Guests Present: Lynn Kutner

AGENDA

1. Welcome and Introductions
2. Review the Denver School of the Arts UIP
3. School updates from Dr. McWright

New Business

- Dr. McWright shared the current UIP (not currently a public document) and walked the committee through its contents.
 - UIP includes school's mission statement. Dr. McWright would like the CSC to be charged with evolving this mission statement, with input from all stakeholders, next year.
- Mr. Fox and Dr. McWright acknowledged new scheduling challenges for teachers needing to connect with students for IEP, 504s, and/or Incomplete Credit makeup check-ins due to the new in-person schedule.
 - Discussion ensued around mental health and equity as relates to this.
 - Mr. Fox. will bring this to teachers' attention.
- Student updates:

- Marie Antoinette: Black History Month streaming show will be out May 7 and May 8.
 - Kudos to Jadeyn for earning the Boettcher Scholarship
- Dr. Tony Smith is facilitating staff professional development in Bias Training. This will continue into next year.
- Dr. McWright gave an update the on the most current (but still changing) status of graduation, continuation, prom, potential schedules for next year, & Johnson & Wales campus expansion.

Old Business

- Discussion surrounding revisiting reading/discussion of “How to Be an Anti-Racist.”
 - Dr. McWright proposed committee reading book over the summer.

ACTION ITEMS

1. Review UIP for clarity.
2. Respond to minutes with additions, deletions, or corrections AND submit proposed agenda items for May meeting to Sarah within one week.
3. Plan to celebrate our seniors at our final meeting next month.

Meeting adjourned at 5:50pm