

# Margate STEM Magnet Middle School

## SAC Minutes - 1/20/2026

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### Attendance:

Ms. K Harrison, Ms. K. Coke, Ms. R. Shaw, Ms. K. Bennett, Ms. Phillips, Ms. Castrillion, Mr. Castrillion, Ms. Anderson, Ms. Boswell, Mr. Span

### Call to Order:

A meeting of Margate Middle School's School Advisory Council was held in the Media Center on 1/20/2026. Chair Kristal Bennett called the meeting to order at 6:10 PM. Kenyetta Harrison recorded minutes for this meeting.

### Minutes:

Ms. Sardine motioned to approve the minutes, and Ms. Harrison seconded the motion to approve the minutes of 12/16/2026

### Principal Updates- Ms. Phillips

- School accountability funds: \$18,620.85
- School Renovation Updates-SMART bond construction
  - Restrooms are still being renovated in **Mundy Hall**
  - Restrooms in the main hallway are waiting for inspection and will be opened before renovations start on the two restrooms near the media center.
  - All the students are back in the building
  - The south side of the building is under construction
- Upcoming Events
  - Sports
    - Flag Football
      - 5 Home Games
      - Last game January 16<sup>th</sup> - Won
      - Next game Thursday, January 22, 2026
  - Literacy Week - 250 years of Literacy
    - January 26-30, 2026
    - Literacy Night and Spelling Bee- Tuesday, January 27, 2026
    - Book Fair - January 26 - January 30
  - 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Activities
    - May 15 - Grad Adventure
    - May 22 - Dance
    - May 28 - End of Year Awards
    - May 29 - High School Rally
    - TBA - Promotion Ceremony
  - No Place for Hate
    - Monday, January 26, 2026, and Tuesday, January 27, 2026
  - Elementary Matriculation
    - Will begin in February - Margate Elementary, Liberty Elementary, and Atlantic West Elementary
- Data Chats/School-Wide Incentives
  - Teacher/Student Data Chats
    - Remediation (cover standards that need to be retaught)
    - Crunch Time (whole class remediation and test prep)
    - School-wide incentives - 5 power levels of prizes for PM testing

- Vote for IDEA Conference
  - IDEA Conference - Vote to send 6 teachers to the conference (\$50 each) for a total of \$300.
  - Motion posed by Ms. Sardine and seconded by Ms. JaRae. Members voted unanimously to pass the vote.

Security Update - Ms. Shaw

- School Uniforms - students should wear the unified dress code every day. Unified dress code: shirts in yellow, blue, white, or black; shorts in khaki, black, or navy.
- ID badges are being given out. Replacement badges and lanyards can be purchased on the school website.

**Next Meeting Date & Time:**

The next meeting will be held on Tuesday, February 24, 2026, at 9:30 AM in the cafeteria.

**Meeting Adjournment:**

Motion: Ms. Anderson moved to adjourn the meeting at 6:47 PM. Ms. Phillips motioned to second, and it was seconded unanimously.

Submitted by,  
Kristal Bennett,  
School Advisory Chair  
Approval Date: \_\_\_\_\_