

Nova Middle School
3602 College Ave,
Davie, FL 33314
Joint School Advisory Council (SAC)
School Advisory Forum (SAF) Minutes
Location: LTR (Rm.701)
Tuesday December 2nd, 2025
5:00pm

I. Welcome/Call to Order

- Mr. González called the meeting to order at 5:07pm.

II. Introduction

- Mr. González requested that the minutes from last month be read and approved
- A motion was made by Ms. Mondesir and seconded by Ms. Buchanan
- The minutes were approved by a unanimous vote.

III. Principal's Report

- Mr. Garranchan began his report with this week's PM2 state testing. Today was the 6th grade reading exam. Tomorrow will be the 6th grade math. On Thursday, the 7th & 8th graders will be taking the reading exam and on Friday they will be taking the math portion for the exception of the Algebra and Geometry students.
- Nova is striving to test at least 97% of the student population.
- Nova will also be having a "Why to Nova Tour". This tour will show parents and students why they would love to choose Nova as their next school.
- A weeks later, Nova will then have a "New to Nova Night" for parents and students who are coming up from the two elementary schools to see what Nova Middle School offers.

IV. New Business

- a. New ESOL Parent Vote
 - Nova's SAC found an ESOL parent, Ms. Natacha Sinvil, and a motion was made by Mr. Garranchan and seconded by Mrs. Hartmann de Barros to vote Ms. Sinvil to SAC. Ms. Sinvil became the ESOL parent designee with unanimous approval.
- b. SIP Plan
 - No update on with the SIP because this week Nova was administering the State PM2 reading and math exams.

- After the exams, the data will be disseminated and discussed in January during the Mid-year SIP report.

c. A+ Funds

Option 1:

1. School allocation \$4,767.80
2. Administrative allocation \$500 (4 administrators) = \$2,000
3. Non-Instructional Staff \$768.98 (22 members) = \$16,917.64
4. Cafeteria Workers \$100 (13 members) = \$1,300
5. Teachers who left \$500 (12 teachers) = \$6,000
6. Faculty allocation \$1,187.20 (57 teachers) = \$67,670.56

Option 2:

1. School allocation \$4,000
2. Administrative allocation \$1,000 (4 administrators) = \$2,000
3. Cafeteria Workers \$200 (13 members) = \$2,600
4. Teachers who left \$500 (12 teachers) = \$6,000
5. Non-Instructional Staff \$745.96 (22 members) = \$16,411.20
6. Faculty allocation \$1,151.66 (57 teachers) = \$65,644.80

Mr. González put both options up for a vote with a motion being made by Ms. Alls and seconded by Ms. Garcia. Both proposals were approved unanimously with 11 ayes and 0 nays. SAC asked that only option 1 be put in the ballot and if option 1 does not pass with staff members, then in January SAC would put option 2 on the ballot for the staff members to vote on.

The following SAC members voted:

1. Donnina All
2. Basma Andre
3. Sharmane Buchanan
4. Stephanie Garcia
5. Rayner Garranhan

6. Javier Gonzalez
7. Melissa de Barros
8. Michelliah McCraney
9. Natlie Mondesir
10. Tiffany Novembre
11. Natacha Sinvil

d. SESIR Report

- The SESIR was not updated as of the day of the meeting. The district website still only had August and September of this year available.

e. Accountability Funds

- Mr. Garranchan does not have plans as of yet to use the accountability funds.
- He will see what the school might need when we come back from winter vacation.

f. Q & A

g. SAF portion

- Mr. González spoke for Mrs. Hartmann de Barros regarding the Phoenix Declaration and how all Florida School Districts are required to conform to the curriculum to the Phoenix Declaration, which is a set of guiding principles for K-12 education.
- Starting August 2026, students (public, charter, private, homeschool) will have to pass exams on Phoenix Declaration compliant curriculum.
- District is still encouraging parents to complete meal benefits application.
- Changes to the school block schedule have been put on hold at this time.

V. Community Announcements

- a. Volunteer Community Partners with Dr. Wilson – None for this meeting

VI. Announcements

- a. Next meeting date – Tuesday January 6th, 2026

VII. Adjournment

- A motion was made by Ms. November and seconded by Ms. Garcia to adjourn the meeting at 6:40pm.

Accountability Funds

24 – 25 School Accountability Funds Amount - \$14,409.65