

☆ SAC Sign in Sheet for Apollo MS (1791)

Date: 10/22/25

Time: 5:00pm

#	SAC Member Full Name	Position	SBBC Employee	Parent of Student	Sign Here
1	Diaz, Maria	Non-Instructional Support Employees	Yes	No	
2	Fernandez , Ashley	I-Zone Representative (must be a parent)	No	Yes	<i>ashley fernandez</i>
3	Flynt, Katie	Parent	No	Yes	<i>Katie Flynt</i>
4	Gristan, Galina	Parent	No	Yes	<i>Galina Gristan</i>
5	Job, Renee	Parent	Yes	Yes	<i>Renee Job</i>
6	Jones, Tywon	Community / Business Representatives	No	No	<i>NATASHA DEJESUS</i>
7	Kushner, Louis	Principal	Yes	No	
8	Lainerdy, Dyamond	Parent	No	Yes	
9	Million, Gwendolyn	ESE Parent of a student at the school	No	Yes	
10	Morris, Claudine	SAC Secretary	Yes	No	<i>C Morris</i>
11	Palmison, Maria	ESOL Parent of a student at the school	No	Yes	
12	Perez, Danairy	SAC Co-Chair	Yes	Yes	<i>Danairy Perez</i>
13	Pigan, Daniel	Teacher	Yes	No	<i>Daniel Pigan</i>
14	Poliard, Lyudmyla	Gifted Parent of a student at the school	No	Yes	
15	Sainvil, Fenoune	SAC Co-Chair	Yes	No	<i>Fenoune Sainvil</i>

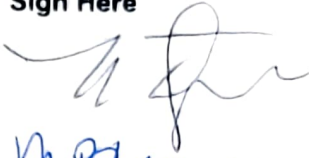

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1	Natasha Dejesus		BG CBC		
2	Martin Blanco no		yes		
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APOLLO MIDDLE SCHOOL

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School Advisory Council (SAC) & School Advisory Forum (SAF) 2024-2025

October 22, 2025, 5:00PM - 6:00PM

Location: Media Center

Dr. Louis Kushner, Principal

Mr. Damon Martin, SAC Liaison

Mrs. Danairey Perez and Mrs. Fenoune Sainvil, SAC Co-Chairs

AGENDA

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| 1. Welcome | Mrs. Sainvil |
| 2. Approval of SAC Meeting Minutes | Mrs. Sainvil |
| a. September 24, 2025 | |
| 3. New Business for School Advisory Council | Mrs. Sainvil |
| a. The McArthur Zone: Family Engagement - Apollo will host a Family Engagement Session on Monday, October 27, 2025, at 8:15 a.m. | |
| b. School Improvement Plan Update | |
| c. Accountability funds | |
| a. Color Guard Fund Request | |
| b. Civics Fund Request | |
| 4. Principal Updates | Dr. Kushner |
| 5. Annual collection development plan | Mrs. Van Lenten |
| 6. Title One updates | Dr. Morris |
| a. Review of SIP and Addendum | |
| 7. SAF Update | Ms. Fernandez |
| 8. Open Discussion | Mrs. Sainvil |
| 9.. Meeting Adjourned | Mrs. Sainvil |

Next SAC meeting: November 19, 2025

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Future SAC/ SAF Meetings 25-26

November 19, 2025*

December 17, 2025*

January 28, 2026

February 25, 2026

March 25, 2026

April 22, 2026

May 27, 2026

Contact Information:

Danairy Perez: Danairy.perez@browardschools.com

Fenoune Sainvil: Fenoune.sainvil@browardschools.com

*Date of School Advisory Council meeting was moved up 1 week due to holiday break



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Minutes

1. Welcome

Mrs. Sainvil

Welcome was extended by Mrs. Sainvil and a motion to start the meeting was brought up by Mrs. Fernandez at 5:06.

2. Approval of SAC Meeting Minutes

Mrs. Sainvil

a. September 24, 2025

The minutes were read. Mrs. Fernandez moved for approval.

3. New Business for School Advisory Council

Mrs. Sainvil

a. The McArthur Zone: Family Engagement - Apollo will host a Family Engagement Session on Monday, October 27, 2025, at 8:15 a.m. Everyone is invited to the i-Zone meeting here at Apollo Middle School on October 27th in room 120.

b. School Improvement Plan Update

c. Accountability funds:

1. Color Guard Fund Request:

Mrs. Niebla (re)presented a plan for:

i. A floor mover (a flat-bed cart that fits through doorways) with shipping and handling-\$293

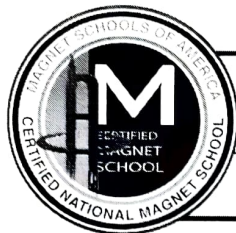
ii. 20 personal equipment bags-\$875.24
\$1169.24

SAC had already approved the funds however the vendor has changed therefore the vote was again necessary. The vote was unanimous

2. Civics Fund Request

Mrs. Sainvil presented a plan for Civics. The Social Studies department is proposing friendly competition among the classes to increase motivation and engagement, and proficiency. The amount being asked for is \$2,500.00 for the school year is the. Ms. Flynt motioned for a vote, approved unanimously.

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3. Dr. Kushner is asking for \$7,500.00 for beautification projects with the gym being a priority. The decision was made to table the motion until further details regarding price and designs are ready.

4. Principal Updates

Dr. Kushner

- a. We hired a new teacher for ELA.
- b. We are going to have more ELA changes in student schedules.
- c. SESIR: 14 so far this school year (October's report is not yet ready).

5. Annual collection development plan

Mrs. Van Lenten

Mrs. Van Lenten will present the collection plan at the next SAC meeting.

6. Title One updates

Dr. Morris

- a. Review of SIP and Addendum:
We reviewed the School Improvement Plan and Mrs. Perez mentioned that in addition the ELA department is helping with reading strategies across the curriculum.

The Family and Community Engagement plan has been given a space in the front office. This means when a parent or family needs help, there is a computer to help and staff to offer that help. A parent queried about the availability of Spanish speakers in the front office. There are three. No other suggestions were offered regarding the School Improvement Plan.

The 2025-2026 Title 1 addendum was read by the attendees. No suggestions were offered.

7. SAF Update

Ms. Fernandez

- a. The main items discussed at the District SAF meeting involve discussing counseling services that Broward District has. Those students who are labeled as ESE, have IEPs or 504 plans are eligible for homebound lessons and services if for whatever reason they are absent for an extended period; the same applies to hospital stays. Joe DiMaggio is partnering with the district to offer services to those who are homebound or have extended hospital stays (Baker Acts exempted).
- b. Mental health and college readiness were two areas of emphasis. There is a mental health team that deals with mental health issues. Dr. Shapiro was at the meeting to participate in the discussion. November 3rd is the start of school choice.



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8. Open Discussion

Mrs. Sainvil

Mr. Pigan mentioned that he is now in the 9th year of being the Debate Coach here at Apollo Middle. He is requesting help with procuring judges for the debates. Congratulations were given to him for his dedication to the program and successes gained. He went on to give details about what a judging session would entail.

Apollo's Magnet Showcase and Science Night will be on November 6th. Please spread the word.

9. Meeting Adjourned

Mrs. Sainvil

Mr. Pigan motioned for the meeting to be adjourned at 5:55 p.m.

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