

Coral Springs Middle School
 School Advisory Council & School Advisory Forum
 Agenda for the meeting held on
 November 19th, 2025
 5:00 PM in room 181
 in Room 181 and on Microsoft TEAMS

1. Call to Order and Attendance: Betty Opthof motioned, and Marielle Hilmers seconded the motion. Members in attendance are the following: Nicole Beaney (SAC Secretary), Melanie Borisoff (I-Zone Representative), Emily Connor (ESE Parent) * Via TEAMS, Venus Diedrick (SAF Co-Chair), Marielle Hilmers (Teacher), Abba Locke (BTU Steward), Bettania Opthof (SAC Chair), Jessika Pacheco (ESOL Parent), Jennifer Paras Pappas (Parent), Lindsey Potts (Gifted Parent), Sherdean Rhule-Rheaume (Community/Business Representative), Jill Slesinski (Principal)

2. Review of October 22, 2025, Minutes: Mrs. Potts motioned to approve, and Mrs. Pappas seconded the motion. The minutes were ratified.

3. School Improvement Plan (SIP) & Stakeholder Feedback: Nicole Beaney

- **PM2 Testing-** 12/2- 6th ELA, 12/3- 7th/8th ELA, 12/4- 6th grade Math, 12/9- 7th/8th Math

2025-2026 TESTING DATES

FAST/EOC/Science	Access / FSAA, & Final Exams
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>PM2</u> 12/1 6th grade ELA, 12/2 6th grade Math 12/3 7th/8th ELA, 12/4 7th/8th Math *All students hold in testing locations* <u>FAST Writing- 3/31</u> Makeups – 4/1 & 4/2</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>PM3</u> 5/11 6th grade ELA, 5/12 6th grade Math 5/13 7th/8th grade ELA 5/14- Math 7th/8th, Alg/Geo EOC 5/15 Makeups 5/19 7th grade GEARS science 5/20 Civics/Biology EOC, 8th grade Physical Science 5/21 -5/29 Makeups</p> <p style="text-align: center;">BSA TBA</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">NAEP: TBA 8th grade only ACCESS (ELL) window: 1/12-3/12 FSAA (SVE) window- 2/23-4/10</p> <p>DQE: Q1- 10/6-10/10 – Algebra, Civics, Bio, Science, Geom Q2- 12/18 – 12/19 - Algebra, Civics, Bio, Science, Geom Q3- 3/2-3/12 - Algebra, Civics, Bio, Science, Geom *All TBD as dates get closer</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin: 10px auto; width: 80%;"> <p style="text-align: center;">Mid-term exams High School courses: 12/16-12/19 Final Exams: Window-5/29-6/3 EOC retakes: Summer 7/14-7/17</p> </div>

4. School Accountability Funds: current balance- \$4,908.75

- a. No pending requests

5. Annual Library Media Collection Development Plan: Charles Dadas- There is a book collection underway. The average number of books should be two thousand three. The State of Florida requires ten books per student enrolled in the school, of which 40% should be nonfiction and 29% fiction. Resources can be found under the media center tab on the website. All updates are shown on the website, including the breakdown of the media center layout.

6. New Business:

- School Recognition Funds (A+ Award): Betty Opthof- Presented the proposed ballot (shown below). Ms. Opthof presented the information provided by the District regarding the allocation and distributions of funds, including: timelines, the total amount of funds awarded to the school, eligibility for voting and receiving the bonus, as well as who does not qualify, and fringe deductions. Avi Locke wanted the record to reflect his objection to the deduction and questioned why such a deduction was made. Mrs. Beaney explained that it is used for the costs the employer incurs for payroll taxes and other fringe benefits. With quorum met, a roll call vote was held. The twelve committee members in attendance voted in favor of approving the ballot. The following members voted on favor of the ballot: N. Beaney, M. Borisoff, E. Connor * Via TEAMS, V. Diedrick, M. Hilmers, A. Locke, B. Opthof, J. Pacheco, J. Paras Pappas, L. Potts, S. Rhule-Rheaume, J. Slesinski. The motion passed with a unanimous vote. Therefore, the school will move on to advertising the date for voting on the bonus.

SIP Coral Springs Middle School

Florida School Recognition Program Ballot

Approximate Funds to be Allocated to SIP Coral Springs Middle School: **\$75,293.00**

Voting will take place on Nov _____

ONLY Vote for 1 of the Options

____ Option 1:

- 100% of the funds will be used for a one-time bonus to be divided amongst all the faculty and staff on the 2024-2025 Staff Roster. Staff must have worked at least 99 days or 55% of the 2024-2025 school year. All faculty and staff on the 2025-2026 Staff Roster who were not employed at Coral Springs Middle School during the 2024-2025 school year will receive a one-time bonus of \$100.
 - o Any leftover A+ Finds will be used for nonrecurring expenditures for educational equipment and materials.

____ Option 2:

- None of the above

7. School Advisory Forum (SAF): Venus Diedrick- There will be more information upon returning from the break. There are no current updates.

8. PTA Report: Jennifer Pappas- The Glow-a-thon will take place on Thursday and Friday this week. 12/10-12 – The Holiday pop-up shop will be open from December 10th- 12th. Students will be allowed to use their behavior bucks. The Sweets and Treats and Christmas Candy Land for the staff will be on December 16th, 2025. We will also be donating gift cards for the HRC Toy Drive.

9. Safety, SESIR, and Attendance: David Argent

SAC Attendance and Discipline Report
October 21, 2025 – November 19, 2025

Attendance:

Average Daily Attendance	Last Month	This Month	
6 th	95.35	96.35	
7 th	94.22	94.85	
8 th	94.06	95.26	
School Total	94.58	95.55	
Total for the Year	95.49	95.42	

Discipline:

	Highest Frequency Infractions
	Cell Phone Violation
	Unruly Disruptive
	Tardiness

SCHOOL ENVIRONMENTAL SAFETY INCIDENT REPORTING (SESIR):
8/11/25 – 10/01/2025

	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	March	April
Disruption on Campus									
Drug Possession		1							
Bullying/ Harassment									
Fighting									
Physical Attack									
Threat/Intimidation									
Tobacco Possession	3								
Unsubstantiated Bullying									
Weapons Pos									
Sexual Harassment									
Other		2							

Level I - Most Serious: Aggravated Battery* Arson, Homicide, Kidnapping, Sexual Battery
Level II Burglary* Drug Sale/Distribution, Physical Attack, Robbery, Weapons Possession, * Sexual Assault*
Level III Disruption On Campus, Drug Use/Possession, Hazing, Fighting, Larceny/Theft, Sexual Harassment* Sexual Offenses (Other) Threat/Intimidation* Trespassing, Vandalism, Other Major Offenses

10. Principal’s Report: Jill Slesinski- I would like to give a huge thank you to our PTA. As we know, we lost Title one, which funded things like tutoring and programs, and PTA is compensating for the loss. Their commitment and energy are amazing.

- **In sports**, we had a 3rd place golf winner. The cross-country boys and girls placed 2nd. The boys' soccer team championship earned them 1st place for the first time

ever! The girls made the playoffs. In basketball, the boys and girls had great records. Girls did not make the playoffs. Boys will play at home in the playoffs the week after Thanksgiving break.

- **PM2 Testing-** We take it very seriously. Students need to take the adaptive testing very seriously as well. We are working through data huddles, RTI, the lowest quartile, behavior, and attendance. Our counselors are meeting with students and providing support.
- **Redefining schools-** The conversation is still happening. The District is in debt and is looking at repurposing schools to bring students back and give more options for kids. They are listening to the CSMS community and working on having more programs for students.
- **Cambridge Event-** Around 470 families were in attendance. It was an amazing event for families in the area that are not necessarily zoned to our school. We are striving to give the best customer service we can.
- **7 Period Schedule-** The Superintendent dropped the conversation and is no longer considering these options.
- **Upcoming Events-** December 9th – BCPS Showcase will take place on December 9th, 2025 at the Amerant Arena. The Dual Language Extravaganza will be on December 11th, 2025. Stallion Round-Up will be on December 17th, 2025.
- **Drama-** Drama earned straight superior for their performance.
- **PBIS-** Coral Springs Middle School was one of the Florida Model Schools for our Positive Behavior Interventions & Supports program for this school year.

11. Announcement: Next Meeting January 28th, 2026, at 8:00 am

12. Motion to adjourn- Betty Opthof made the motion. It was seconded by Charles Dadas.