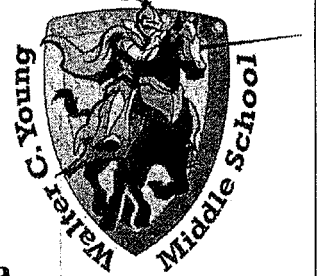


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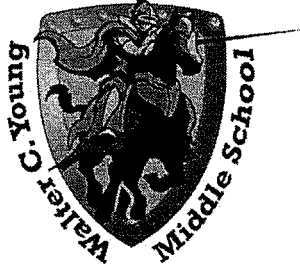
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School Advisory Council and Forum Agenda
Tuesday, February 24, 2026

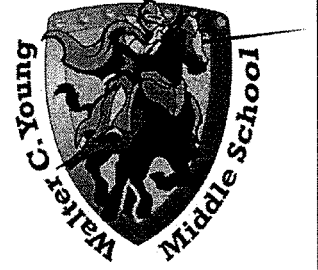
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- III. Principal's Report**
- IV. Our school funds are as follows:**
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- VI. School Recognition Fund**
- VII. Supplies-\$6,264.12**
- VIII. Bonuses-\$52,754.00**
- IX. 2026-27 School Schedule –Dr. Barsony**
- X. SAF Presentation**
- XI. For the Good of the Group**

Remaining SAC Meeting dates for 2025-2026 School year
are: 3/31, 4/28, 5/26

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Walter C. Young Middle School

School Advisory Council Minutes

Tuesday, February 24, 2026

- I. **Welcome** - "Good afternoon, everyone. I call this School

Advisory Council meeting to order at **4:07.**"

- II. **Approval of Previous Minutes**

- III. **Chair:**

"The minutes from our previous meeting on **January 27, 2026 Minutes** are located next to the sign in sheet. Please grab one if you have not done so already. Please review and let me know if there are any corrections. (*Pause for corrections.*) Are there any corrections?"

- IV. **Chair:**

"Hearing no corrections, the minutes stand approved as presented." (If corrections: "The minutes stand approved as corrected.")

*It was proposed by Dr. Barsony that we should maintain Walter C. Young on the Flanagan Campus instead of merging. A point that can be brought up in the redefining meeting.

*Dr. Barsony also brought up concern over the straight 6 schedule effect on the dual language students. It was addressed by Ms. Doval , who stated that we have had this schedule longer that we have been on block and we will make it work

XI. Announcements:

Our SAF Chair Miguel Suarez attended the last district meeting and provided the minutes , also available in the back. A few highlights are the Abilities night will be held at 1/29/2026 at the Quest Center in Hollywood

Also several changes are coming to the Food and Nutrition menu for the new school year.

The District is also introducing a Entrepreneur Initiative which gives students several opportunities to learn about entrepreneurship.

XII. **Chair:**

"I move to adjourn the meeting."

XIII. **Miss Bennett:** "Second."

V. **Principal's Report-We'll now invite Mr. Henderson to present the Principal's report**

VI. Thank You, Mr. Henderson

VII. Our school funds are as follows:

VIII. Accountability Fund = \$1180.00

IX. School Recognition Fund

X. Supplies-\$6,264.12

XI. Bonuses-\$52,754.00

XII. We'll now invite Dr. Barsony to come up **and address the 2026-27 School Schedule –Dr. Barsony**

XIII. -SAF Presentation-Ms. Suarez , are there any SAF updates that you would like to share?

**All SAF Updates have been attached*

XIV. **For the Good of the Group**

XV. A few Announcements for the good of the group :

XVI. *Are there any additional items for the good of the group?"*

XVII. *(Continue until no further comments.)*

XVIII.

XIX. 3. Closing the Segment

XX. Chair:

XXI. Member:

"I move to adjourn the meeting."

XXII. Another Member:

"Second."

XXIII. Chair:

"The motion carries." Thank you so much for being here . We will see you on
March 31st

**SAC Meeting dates for remainder of 2025-2026
3/31, 4/28, 5/26**

☆ SAC Sign in Sheet for Young, Walter C. MS (3001)

Date: <u>2/24/26</u>		Time: <u>4:00</u>			
#	SAC Member Full Name	Position	SBBC Employee	Parent of Student	Sign Here
1	Barsony, ^{Idiko} Idika	Gifted Parent of a student at the school	No	Yes	
2	Bennett, Gabrielle	BTU Steward (or designee)	Yes	No	
3	Fernandez, Tania	Parent	No	Yes	
4	Henderson, Mark	Principal	<u>Yes</u>	No	
5	Jones, Garland	ESE Parent of a student at the school	No	Yes	
6	Menendez, Ximena	SAC Secretary	Yes	No	
7	Perez, Xavier	Community / Business Representatives	No	No	
8	Rodney-Hillaire, Renee	SAC Chair	Yes	No	
9	Sol, Gina	ESOL Parent of a student at the school	No	Yes	
10	Suarez, Lily	I-Zone Representative (must be a parent)	No	Yes	
11	Suarez, Miguel	SAF Chair (or designee) Parent of a student at the school	No	Yes	
12	Zara, Kristen	Teacher	<u>Yes</u>	No	
	Ibrahim, Nichole	Parent Gifted		Yes	

☆ SAC Sign in Sheet for Young, Walter C. MS (3001)

Date: _____

Time: _____

#	Full Name	SBBC Employee	Parent of Student	Community/Business	Sign Here
1	Kristin Zava	✓			<i>Kristin Zava</i>
2	Ildiko Barsony		✓		<i>Ildiko Barsony</i>
3	Nichole Ibrahim		✓		<i>Nichole Ibrahim</i>
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SAF Sign In Sheet

2/24/2026

1. Nichole Ibrahim

2. Gabrielle Bennett

3. Ildiko Barsomy

4. Ximena Menendez.

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SAC Meeting – Principal's Report

2.24.2026



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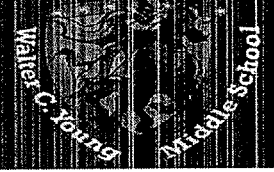
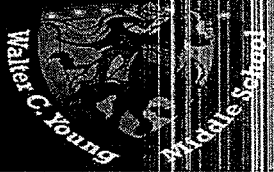
2 Testing/Event Dates - on website, live document changing constantly.

3 Boundary Update - here - assumption will go to silver trail
Current 6+7th Reaching out to see intention. If so
School Choice w/ transportation - 43 or 44 about 23 plan

4 26-27 Schedule Update - to Return Dozen undecided

meeting this morning - Rotations - How can we add more electives. Have good possibilities w/ additional options we didn't think we had.

5 Extended Learning Opportunities - started few weeks ago
schedule on canvas, will go through testing.



End of Year Testing/Events

March 23 rd , 2026	4 th Quarter Begins 📅
March 31 st , 2026	BEST Writing Test 📝
April 3 rd , 2026	No School 🏠
April 6 th , 2026	Employee Planning Day 📅
April 7 th , 2026	3 rd Quarter Report Cards 📄
April 10, 2026	3 rd Quarter Honor Roll Assembly 🏆
April 28 th , 2026	Interim Report 📄
May 4 th , 2026	Teacher Appreciation Week 🙏
May 5 th , 2026	FAST PMI 3- ELA/Reading 📄
May 12 th , 2026	FAST PMI 3- Math, Algebra EOC, Geometry EOC ➗
May 15 th , 2026	7 th Grade End of Year Field Trip- Extreme Action Park 🏞️
May 19 th , 2026	8 th Grade Science Test and Biology EOC 📝
May 20 th , 2026	Civics EOC 📄
May 22 nd , 2026	8 th Grade EOY Field Trip- Islands of Adventure/ Early Release Day
May 25 th , 2026	No School 🏠
May 27 th , 2026	6 th and 7 th Grade Academic Awards 🏆
May 28 th , 2026	8 th Grade Academic Awards 🏆
May 29 th , 2026	Athletic Awards 🏆
June 2 nd , 2026	8 th Grade Dance 🎉
June 3 rd , 2026	Last Day of School/ Early Release Day 🏠 🕒 📅

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Walter C. Young Middle School School Advisory Forum (SAF) January 26, 2026

Welcome

Info from last Mtgs. 1/21/26

Called to order: 4:00pm

Quest Abilities Awareness Night (1/29/26)

Event being hosted with valuable resources and information for kids with special needs. Some community organizations may include:

- Joe Dimaggio Children's Hospital
- Special Olympics
- CARD- Center for Autism and Related Disabilities
- Best Buddies
- FDLRS
- Broward Gold Coast Downs Syndrome Association
- And more...

Signature Programs (Entrepreneurship Initiative)

- NEX Gen
- Beyond Con
- Nex Gen Builder
- Shop with a Boss (Dec 1 every year)
- [Nominate students for 18 under 18 award]

Food and Nutrition Service

- Vegan options
- 100% beef meals
- Kids have asked for more culture diversity in meals which is being incorporated into schools
- Meals are USDA regulated
- Overall most meals are nutritious and without any harmful or unhealthy ingredients
- Condiments are also being introduced schools (healthy)
- Healthier milk options for kids mentioned
- Gluten-free option have to encompass a medical need for it (not everyone can be accommodated)

Meal Benefits

- Breakfast is FREE
- Lunch- Must apply to see if household qualifies

Meal Prices:

Elementary	\$3.00
Middle	\$3.35
High School	\$3.50

Open to attendees and or Mr. Fatout and Mrs. Jack for any updated information

The next School Advisory General Meeting will be at 9:30 am on Wednesday, February 18, 2026, at Pines Collegiate Academy (former Pines Middle School).

Mtg. Adjourned at 4:30pm

School Advisory Council (SAC) Meeting Minutes

Date: Tuesday, February 24, 2026

Time: 4:07 p.m.

Location: Walter C. Young Middle School

1. Call to Order

The School Advisory Council meeting was called to order by the Chair at **4:07 p.m.** The Chair welcomed all members and attendees to the meeting.

2. Approval of Previous Minutes

The Chair informed the council that the minutes from the **January 27, 2026** SAC meeting were available next to the sign-in sheet for review. Members were asked to review the minutes and note any corrections.

After a brief pause, the Chair asked if there were any corrections to the minutes. Hearing none, the Chair stated that the minutes from January 27, 2026, stood **approved as presented**.

3. Principal's Report

The Chair invited **Mr. Mark Henderson, Principal**, to present the Principal's Report.

Mr. Henderson provided a financial update to the council, reporting the following balances:

- **Accountability Fund:** \$1,180.00
- **School Recognition Fund:**
 - Supplies: \$6,264.12
 - Bonuses: \$52,754.00

The Chair thanked Mr. Henderson for his report.

4. 2026–2027 School Schedule Presentation

The Chair invited **Dr. Barsony** to address the council regarding the **2026–2027 School Schedule**.

Dr. Barsony explained that the school is considering moving from the current **block schedule** to a **straight six-period schedule** for the upcoming school year. During this discussion, concerns were raised by council members and parents regarding the lack of parent input prior to the announcement of the proposed schedule change. Several members expressed concern that families were not given the opportunity to provide feedback before the proposal was shared.

Dr. Barsony acknowledged these concerns and clarified that the information shared was part of a preliminary discussion and that no final decision had been made.

Mr. Henderson further addressed the council by stating that any change to the school's instructional schedule must follow **district guidelines** and requires a **formal vote by the school community**, including appropriate stakeholder input. He emphasized that parental feedback is an important part of the decision-making process and that the required procedures would be followed before any schedule change is finalized.

5. School Advisory Forum (SAF) Updates

The Chair called on **Ms. Suarez** to share any School Advisory Forum (SAF) updates.

Ms. Suarez indicated that all SAF updates had been **attached** for council members to review. No additional SAF updates were presented at this time.

6. For the Good of the Group

The Chair opened the floor for announcements and comments for the good of the group. Several general announcements were shared. After allowing time for additional comments, the Chair asked if there were any further items for discussion. Hearing none, this segment was closed.

7. Adjournment

A motion to adjourn the meeting was made by a council member and seconded by another member. The Chair called for the vote, and the motion carried unanimously.

The meeting was adjourned. The Chair thanked all members for their attendance and participation and stated that the next SAC meeting would be held on **March 31, 2026**.