

Jim C. Bailey Library Advisory Council Members, Agenda, and Minutes (notes)

Committee Members:

Ms. Palasciano - Principal Absent
Ms. Butler - Teacher Present
Ms. Breaux - Teacher Present
Mr. Tubley - Teacher Present
Ms. Baney - Teacher Present
Mrs. Patton - Media Present
Mrs. Hyde - Community Absent
Mrs. Nicholls - Parent Present
Dr. Wetzel - Media Specialist Present

Date: 09/18/24

Time: 08.45 am

Place: Library/ Innovation Center

Email **Dr. Wetzel** by **two days before the meeting** with comments or concerns if unable to attend the meeting.

Present: As Above

Topics: Dr Wetzel told all attendees where to find library reports on focus. These contain lists of any student not allowed to check out books or any limitations on subjects they are not allowed to read set by the student's parents.

All district approved books are listed and all books not approved or not yet approved are also listed.

Dr Wetzel is working on the Collection Development Plan. It will be sent to all LAC members via email when completed.

The recommended percentage of book content for the Library is 50% fiction and 50% nonfiction. Our current percentages are 48% fiction and 52% nonfiction.

The 'weeding' process for making sure our copyright dates for our collection of fiction and nonfiction are acceptable levels is ongoing. Weeding is the process of removing books from our inventory and is used when they are outdated or damaged.

All weeded books that are in good condition are donated to a non profit book shop Open Books located in Pensacola. Damaged books are discarded. Average copyright dates of our library at the moment are Fiction 2010, Nonfiction 2008.

There were no further questions.