

**Atlanta Area School for The Deaf
CIT Meeting Agenda
September 3, 2020**

Attendees: John Serrano, Dr. Cassandra Matthews, Ron Fuss

<p>SIP Update:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2020-2021 SIP has been uploaded and approved by district • District has update the Plan of Support for AASD and shared with SES and DES • At this time, 162 students are currently on roll. This is down from 183 last year due to graduation and some students returning to home districts for in-person support. The school will share reopening plans with districts so that those families know options to return. 	<p>Next Steps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SES will review SIP and work with Superintendent to update the first nine-week short-term action plan. • The Superintendent scheduled the next meeting for September 22, 2020 at 9:00 AM.
<p>Leadership Team:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Leadership team will begin meeting in October. The team has not met due to shutdown and focus of work on remote learning. • The Superintendent is considering new members for the Leadership Team. He will communicate with staff to invite teachers and possibly a paraprofessional to become new members. • 	<p>Next Steps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SES will attend LT meetings as they resume in October and will assist in developing the short-term action plan for the second nine weeks.
<p>Remote Learning:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Staff and families have been positive about experiences in digital classrooms. Teachers are focusing on work with individual students based on IEP needs and goals. • Family communication has been a strength for AASD staff • The Superintendent is forming an advisory committee from within the staff to work on possible learning options for second nine weeks. These may include a return to in-person instruction focusing on early grades and phasing in upper grades as data supports it. The superintendent is in communication with districts and local authorities 	<p>Next Steps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Superintendent will share updates as the reopening plan is set and dates are available.



<p>to monitor data and plan for possible return of students.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The school is to be commended for its work with electronic devices and hotspots to ensure families have access and support for remote learning • The administrative team is monitoring student engagement and contacting families as needed to keep students engaged and learning. This has improved for the 2020-2021 school year as compared to spring 2020. 	
<p>Fall ILC:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SES shared information and link with Superintendent and district. SES will follow up to make sure registration information is sent to State Schools office. 	<p>Next Steps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SES will follow up with Superintendent and district to review registrations as that information is available.
<p>Professional Learning:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The district presented planned professional learning in July and will continue to support AASD with requested PL. • The school is researching a possible PL opportunity with Metro RESA for Culturally Responsive Teaching. • The Superintendent is considering a book study with the administrative team using the book <i>Culturally Responsive School Leadership</i>. 	<p>Next Steps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The district will follow up on PL opportunity with Metro RESA and advise school on registration as it can be approved by State Schools.