

Parent Meeting Minutes

September 15, 2021

3:30 – 4:30 p.m.

Jonesville Jilly Beans (upper room)



1. Order drinks/sign-in/parent networking (4-4:15)
2. Parent Coffee Hour explained
 - Discussion was had regarding new structure. The Parent Meetings will now be ran without a parent education piece. The parent education opportunities will still be held but at a different time.
 - Meeting dates
 - Discussion was had and the Parent Meetings will be held the Wednesday before the GSC meetings. A meeting schedule will be sent out following the meeting.
3. Levels of Parent Involvement
 - 3 levels of parent involvement were discussed. See page 2 for more details.
4. Great Start Collaborative
 - Subcommittee update: Parent leader
 - The 'Great Start Collaborative' and 'Subcommittee update' agenda item will be a standing agenda item for all future meetings.
5. Community Presentation (parent education)
 - How many per year
 - Topics of interest
 - Tabled to October meeting
6. Social Media
 - Dedicated page?
 - The GSC Facebook page has a main focus of parent audience. No need to have a different page. We will continue our social media discussion as an ongoing item, knowing that not all parents/caregivers utilize Facebook.
7. Wrap-up & questions (4:45-5)
 - Send out group text for meeting reminders.

Next Parent Coffee Hour Meeting – October 13, 2021

The Great Start Collaborative Outcomes

- ★ Children are born healthy.
- ★ Children are healthy, thriving and developmentally on track from birth to third grade.
- ★ Children are developmentally ready to succeed in school at time of school entry.
- ★ Children are prepared to succeed in fourth grade and beyond by reading proficiently by the end of third grade.



3 Levels of Parent Involvement

Parent Leader:

- Attend and actively participate Great Start Collaborative Meetings and/or Subcommittee Meetings
- Attend and actively participate Parent Coffee Hour Meetings (giving an occasional update from subcommittee work)
- Attends Events that Interest them

Involved Parent:

- Attend and actively participate in Parent Coffee Hour Meetings
- Attends Events that Interest them

Parent:

- Attends Events that Interest them