

SIC 3-6-19

- Mr. Homer went over projected number of teachers and tentative assignments for the 2019-2020 school year.
- Mr. Homer shared that fourth grade will not be departmentalized because fourth grade teachers would like to build deep relationships with students and their families.
- PTO Update- Amanda Genest shared:
 - \$2600 raised for mother/father dance
 - Boys/Mother dance will be changed the following school year. Sports theme night is an idea. (Mom vs Boys in sports events).
 - Booster-thon- April 2nd Kick Off day.
 - Goals is to raise \$25,000- used for library furniture, Carolina Room furniture, special area classes have asked for funds, and to purchase inflatables.
- Mr. Homer briefly shared the new writing curriculum that will be used during the 2019/2020 school year. Mr. Homer is attending a training at Burgess Elementary.
- Homework: Mr. Homer provided two articles on what research states about the effectiveness of homework on student achievement on the elementary level. He also provided a copy of Waterway Elementary school's homework plan. There will be a discussion on homework during the April meeting.