

Districtwide Improvement Committee Minutes

May 20, 2004

David Gibbs and Ron Bolin discussed the use of Title II, Part D (Technology) monies for the 2004-2005 school year with the committee (teachers, administrators and parents) as well as paraprofessional representatives, Karen Chapman and Mary Lou Clarke. Ron noted that the technology personnel will be available for TTCC tutorials and netSupport Schools training. There will be a week available during the 2005 summer for additional technology training for the staff as well. Input for this training will be gathered by the technology department prior to next summer so that they can provide the training needed by the staff.

Rita Polen reviewed the Title II (Migrant) identification process with the DWIC. Each year parents complete an information sheet on migrant students. Because RFISD serves students of military personnel, there are no migrant students in our schools. This information is collected each year and kept on file at each campus for the current school year.

The Title V Innovative program is a means of supporting teachers as they develop their skills to enhance student learning. RFISD is a member of the ESC, Region 20, cooperative. This allows our teachers to participate in staff development at Region 20 with no additional cost for the teachers.

At the beginning of this school year the Districtwide Improvement Committee developed a template to be used by each campus when they wrote their Campus Improvement Committee Report to the DWIC. The identification of Target Goals was not included on the template, and this oversight needs to be corrected prior to each campus writing their report for the DWIC. The administrators on each campus will make the necessary adjustments and gather the information on Target Goals so that they can report this information next fall.

The committee reviewed the tentative schedule for DWIC meetings next year. Adjustments will be made as needed.

Next scheduled meeting: Wednesday August 25, 2004
Randolph High School
Room 21
4:00 PM