

# School Community Council Minutes: December 11, 2012

Attending: Salonna Thomas, Sandi Downs, Joy Alldredge, Michelle Schirmer, Carla Merrill, Suzanne Evanson, Kristen Eberting, Lychelle Day, Melanie Westcott

Welcome: Salonna Thomas

## WESTFIELD PROGRESS: UCAS

### UCAS-Utah Comprehensive Accountability System REPORT

- Discussed
  1. Westfield's outstanding success
  2. Raw scores, value added scores, grade level scores
  3. What 6<sup>th</sup> grade is doing to succeed
  4. Use of small group time
  5. New Core: LA and MATH
    - a. 6<sup>th</sup> grade take on new math program—Is it aggressive enough?
    - b. Sandi-Yes! Great program-more life applicable.

Mike Maddos—send teachers to a workshop for LA—new core, improve literacy

- \$Funding? Increase class sizes for all teachers to attend?
- Eliminate a specialty—music?
- Upper grades eliminate music and attend, while lower grades keep music and not attend

STAR READING: Kristen Eberting (See Handout)

Kindles (RAZ kids using A-Z on Kindles)

- Problems are passwords
- More Kindles?