



Mission: YESS Will provide a safe, respectful, and nurturing environment where youth, in the custody of the state of Utah, will develop academic, technological and social skills in preparation for college and career/vocational readiness for an ever-changing 21<sup>st</sup> century workforce.

## LAC/Community Council November 29, 2023

### **Attendees:**

Jason Rosvall  
Brenda Monson  
Ann Jones  
Cory Ybarra  
Erica Reeves

Trina Cotterman  
Andre Carter  
Cindy Willis  
Darcie Peterson  
Jared Reynolds

### ***Welcome & Introductions:***

- Review of YESS sites

### ***Trust Land & TSSA Monies:***

- Trust Funds this year: \$24,113
- TSSA Funds this year: \$2,821
- We have used these monies in the past for paraeducator salaries
- We will vote at our next meeting on the 2024-25 funds

### ***School Start and End Times:***

- We are aligned with the Jr. High schedule
- 7:45 am to 2:45 pm M-TH; Friday early release and staff PLC & professional development time
- 20-30 minutes before or after these times
- Equity and professional agreements require that we adhere to these times. Class schedules at sites are built with this in mind

### ***Emergency Lessons and Delayed Start Times:***

- 3 types: Snow Day, Delayed Start, Distance Learning
- Delayed Start, and Distance Learning are the two that will be used most frequently
- Delayed Start would be a cancellation in our T1 & T2 Transition Units
- Delayed Start would be 9:45 am
- Granite leadership will strive to notify school administration by 5am the status for schooling that day
- All teachers are required to have an emergency lesson plan. Check with Site Facilitator for site specific protocols

***Mentoring Updates:***

- Numbers of DCFS students are increasing
- No Mentoring services at AIM or DT. Decker has an ETCA
- Purpose and goal of Transition Units discussed
- Please help us get IEPs before a student is enrolled
- We are willing to go train workers if DCFS or DJJS would like the training

***YESS Happenings:***

- See blog
- Graduation dates are on our website

***Site Time (Discussion):***

- Kadya is doing great work at DSI/Gemstone
- Pantry is a great resource and blessing to our students and is encouraging student attendance
- YESS graduation rates have improved each year for the past three years
- Support for our delivery of special education instruction at Decker was emphasized

***Remaining Meeting Schedule for this year:***

- February 21, 2024
- April 17, 2024

Meeting adjourned