SIT Meeting Minutes 2/10/10

In Attendance: Mr. Miller, Ms. Christensen, Mr. Hardy, Ms. Cochran, Ms. Janicki, Dr. Henage, Mr and Mrs. Dailey, Mr. Orr, Dr. Jones, Treva Shaffer

- Mr. Miller presented the SIT members with a printed copy of the academic probation agreement, which will take effect in the Fall of 2010. The final draft, which includes an intervention plan for students falling below a 77 in their academy classes, was approved and will be followed.
- Comparison of EOC scores from 2008-2009 to 2009-2010: Results are still coming in as retesting is finished. The first retest will count as part of our initial score this year. Mr. Miller will be using the data to drive decisions as to what courses teachers will teach.

Good news from Dr. Davis:

- Dr. Davis has pledged to give us a 2nd scoreboard for our gym and the funding to have two mural painted in our school gym.
- If the Capital Improvement Project is funded we will get bathroom facilities and storage for our athletic fields so we can house our own softball games, and two more tennis courts

Other Issues:

- Other schools in the county are coming under scrutiny for the amount of money found in the school's fund balance. The amount we need to keep in the account is around \$60,000. Our account is close to the target range, while other schools are having issues with having excessive amounts of money tied up in the fund balance. Mr. Miller stressed that we may need to decide as a committee how to spend some of the money to keep us in the target range. The idea of a marquee sign for our school was discussed as a possibility.
- Media Assistant Position-Mrs. Ko is leaving and Dr. Clarke would like ideas from us as to how to fill the position. There is currently an over allotment of clerical staff and he mentioned to Mr. Miller the possibility of us hiring someone who would otherwise lose their job. This person would fill our position through the end of the year and then position would be posted next school year. Ms. Christensen stated that Mrs. Ko's role is one that is heavily technologically based and her replacement would need to have a similar skill set and he/she should be technologically savvy. Mr. Hardy suggested we generate or use a skills based test to fill the position. Mrs. Cochran asked if we may be forced to keep the clerical person if we take that route. The consensus was that the person hired needs to have the skills set to handle Moodle accounts, PowerPoints and other duties Mrs. Ko currently performs