

School Council Meeting Minutes
October 21, 2015
7:45 a.m.-8:45 a.m.

Members of the Council present at meeting:	<p>Lisa Desjarlais: Pelham School principal Sarah Frenette: Pelham School parent Doreen Reid: Pelham School parent Ron Mannino: Community volunteer Teachers are not present today- it is parent conference week</p>
School Improvement Plan	<p>Draft was presented to School Committee School climate survey- only 37 responses UChicago Impact: family engagement survey</p>
	<p>MCAS, PARCC, MCAS 2.0: What will be used this year? What features of PARCC do kids like? technology, set end time Rating scale different for each test.</p> <p>Website updates needed: Add curriculum (overview at each grade level, similar to the pamphlets from curriculum night) Add specialists lists Add new people to the staff</p> <p>Before School in winter during snow delays: We will open at 9:15</p> <p>3 School Committee members came to PTO meeting to discuss Regionalization and November 4th forum from 6:30-8:00. All towns are having forums and we are nearing a vote. We really want people to be aware of the forum and to attend. What are the implications for Pelham?</p>
Future Agenda Items	<p>School Improvement Plan</p>
Upcoming Meetings	<p>The School Council will meet on the first Wednesday of each month at 7:45 a.m. (1-6, 2-3, 3-2, 4-6, 5-4, 6-1) The next meeting will take place December 2, 2015.</p>

Respectfully submitted by Sarah Frenette