

Ridgecliff Middle School
SAC Agenda: Oct 23, 2025

Supporting Student Success

Literacy Goal: To Improve Student Achievement in Literacy
Math Goal: To improve student achievement in mathematics.
Well-Being Goal: We will improve student well-being at our school

Members in Attendance: Mr. G. White, Mrs. O. Lowe, , Sarah Harvey, Cameron Debaie, Brian Wolfe, Amy Richardson, Allana Loder Student Representatives: Chloe Sabourin, Haley Richardson, Aayushi Patil, Abby MacKenzie, Rayah Currie, and Allison Zhou(regret)	
Discussion Items	Minutes
Call to order	5:05pm
SAC Membership and Expressions of Interest for Election of positions	• Revisit next meeting- actively seeking a chair - would be open to a one year term.
Principal's report and Student Success Planning	RWM Results: • When looking at the data, comparisons were made between last year's grade 8 results and the grade 6 results of the same students. Reading: Although we are still 3% below board average, Reading results have increased by 4%. Writing: 2% below to 2% above. Math: 4.5 % below to 7% above.

School Steering Committee for new school in our community	• SAC chair will be part of the steering committee for the Maple Grove school location.
SAC Conference dates	• SAC chair will be invited to the Nov 28th at the Halifax Convention Centre.
Student Success Planning	Literacy - Fluency - working on students reading aloud in a variety of ways Math - Problem Solving Well Being - Connections - Micro Survey -to gauge how students feel in the school community
Policy review	• Code of Conduct: launched September 2025. ○ Preventative Action through our values and vision statements & the matrix of expectations. ○ Goal to Increase the visibility of these expectations in the school. Mr. White is in the process of getting a quote for pillars to be wrapped in vinyl visuals. ○ Plan to send the values and vision statements to parents.
Principal's Report Mr. White	Current Enrollment: 650 4 portable classrooms 3 Teachers on carts <u>Coming Up</u> November 5: TOKTWD Grade 9 November 10: Remembrance Day Assembly November 17: Immunization Clinic November 21: Assessment and Evaluation Day November 28: SAC Conference December 4: PT conferences afternoon and evening December 10: Holiday Concert December 19: Last Day for Students December 22: Last Day for staff January 5: First Day Back

	<u>Professional Development Days and Teacher Learning</u> Holocaust Education, First Aid, Leadership Development, Provincial Conference Day, Wellness day for students- planned May 8 <u>Terry Fox - 4000+ and incredible work from students</u> <u>Assessment Results:</u> Growth from Grade 6 to Grade 8 (improvement in all areas) but.....we are continuing to work on improving. IE- Literacy coaches, Math coaches, <u>Athletics</u> Volleyball – season starts next week Basketball soon <u>Funding</u> : 5000 plus 650 (one dollar per student) Activity box (balls, etc) <u>Emergency Management Plan</u> 1. Hold and secure and lockdown drills completed, 3rd fire drill coming in November 2. <u>NS Lunch Program</u> Day 2: 280 meals/day Garbage: ordered 9 receptacles- to be placed outside during the day to help with liter. Work order for painting main lobby
Next Meeting: Adjournment	December 4th, 2025 @5:00pm 6:00

