

## **School Action Team for Partnership**

## Agenda October 17th, 2023

\*\*All attendees, please sign in on the attendance sheet.\*\*

I.	Welcome & Introductions	Shivan Persad Yvette Velez- Torres Mariah Jackson Christina Inyang
II.	Purpose of School Action Team	District Information See below
III.	Meeting Dates	October 17, 2023 November 14, 2023 December 19, 2023 January 16, 2024 March 19, 2024 April 16, 2024 May 21, 2023
IV.	Goals	Diversity, Equity, & Inclusion (DEI): Continued work with Shana Pyatt -Planning stages for 2023-2024 Sustainable Schools NJ - Outdoor Classroom/Garden: Recruitment:
V.	Good of the Order	

VI.	Next Meeting:	November 14, 2023

## II. Purpose of School Action Team

- A. The district has adopted the School Action Teams for Partnership model to replace School Review. The model was developed by Johns Hopkins' researcher, Dr. Joyce Epstein, who has identified six types of involvement that make school-family-community partnerships successful:
  - 1. Supporting the whole child through academic achievement and social emotional learning;
  - 2. Effective family advocacy, communication, and engagement;
  - 3. Ensuring a welcoming school environment;
  - 4. Offering volunteer opportunities for family and community engagement;
  - 5. Educating families to support learning at home; and
  - 6. Collaborating with Montclair Community Partners.