

## DEAC Meeting Minutes

February 25, 2015

Orange Board of Education

**Present: Ronald Lee, Paula Howard, Belinda Scott-Smiley, Teresa Russo, Denise Davis, Erika Hackett, Linda Siddiq, Mary Karriem, Minette Salmon, Mr. Armstrong, Patrick Linfante, William Nussbaum**

**Not Present: Anita Hicks, David Wright, Denise White, Faith Alcantara, Jose Valdez, Patricia Arthur, Pramawattie Springer, Tyrina Vaughan, Shelly Harper, Ekua Sutton**

\*SGO's (Student growth objective) A Student Growth Objective is a long-term

Academic goal that teachers set for groups of students and must be:

Specific and measureable,

Aligned to New Jersey's curriculum standards

Based on available prior student learning data

A measure of what a student has learned between two points in time

Ambitious and achievable

\* Scoring, weighting, evidence

What is the difference with Data & Evidence? Evidence is extremely important; this could be unit test, quizzes and projects etc. Weighting is making sure that they are adding up correctly.

SGO's-Achieve NJ is the law, so that means so are SGO's. There is a legal process that needs to occur if you tamper with them and it can lead to job termination!

Please address SGO's and the importance of grades and grade book(Genesis). Also talk about the consequences that will occur if your SGO's are not a reflection of your grading and or grade book. Making sure that they are adding up correctly with your SGO

\*Dr. Russo introduced a program call Linkit.

Linkit - A comprehensive solutions for assessment creation, delivery, scoring and reporting.

Link it links with Genesis , you can create & send your own assessments , and the PARCC like question's

Mentors- Think of creative ways to get mentors

Extra time during the day

Next Meeting we will discuss new ideas for mentors