

KMS School Community Council Meeting
January 18, 2022
1:50 in Mr. Fox's room at KMS

1. Welcome and Attendance - Jessica Banks welcomed those in attendance. In attendance were Jessica Banks, Amber Bowman, Mason Fox, and Principal Bateman. Desiree Felish and Kelly Stubbs were excused due to sickness.
2. Review of November Meeting Minutes – Jessica Banks. Amber motioned for approval of minutes and Mr. Bateman seconded.
3. Discussed district/school traffic safety concerns. One concern brought up by Amber was the students crossing at the three way stop at the end of the day. Students sometimes run across the street and drivers have to be very aware during these times. Principal Bateman said he would bring it up in the district safety meeting with the officers and the high school principal at his next meeting to brainstorm some ideas. Principal Bateman brought up the changes of having the SRO, Officer Smith, parking his police truck during the daytime at the three way to help the high school students slow down as they drive to the shop class. This seems to be going better.
4. Principal Bateman presented a review of Kanab Middle School's Read180 data since most of the school trusts lands is used for this purpose. Almost all students enrolled in this course has already grown an average year's growth in the Lexile scores just in the first semester of school. Many students have excelled even higher. The data shows the intervention is working.
5. The council reviewed the current school trust lands plan and brainstormed ideas for this year's plan. All council members were in favor of keeping the Read180 funding since the intervention is seeing such high results. Council members voiced keeping the funds for similar purposes of the previous plan, including having the aides available for support within classrooms.
6. Reviewed upcoming calendar items:
 - Feb 1-Makeup Hour
 - Feb 3-3rd Quarter Midterm
 - Feb 14-Valentine's Day Dance-5th period
 - Feb 15-Community Council Meeting
7. Other - No other items were brought for discussion.
8. Adjourn – Jessica Banks motioned to adjourn the meeting. Mason Fox seconded. The meeting was adjourned by unanimous vote.

Followup for next meeting: Discussed the use of social media among youth. Read a [KSL.com](http://ksl.com) article on teen girl suicide connected to excessive social media use, a BYU study. Discussed putting together a list of websites and resources for parents that will be put together by Desiree Felish.