

MPSD QUALITY REVIEW STEERING COMMITTEE CRITERIA

Minimum Member Requirements:

- 1. Has principal residence or works in Milton Public School District
- 2. Willing and able to make a 2-year commitment starting in March 2021
- 3. Willing and able to attend a 2-day orientation and training retreat
- 4. Willing and able to attend monthly steering committee meetings
- 5. Willing and able to invest 6-8 hours of work each month in-between meetings (e.g., reading plan drafts, data dives, community outreach, etc...)
- 6. Willing and able to attend monthly workshops about planning and related issues
- 7. Agree to follow meeting norms and operating principles as developed
- 8. Agree to the committee Roles and Responsibilities

Member Values:

- 1. Believes all learners can learn and thrive given the right supports
- 2. Passion for providing ALL learners equitable access to education
- 3. Appreciate and open to participation and perspectives of all community stakeholders
- 4. Approach membership on the committee in the spirit of growth and service to the community

Rubric:

The "what"

Institutional Knowledge of MPS:

Applicant can:

- Articulate the mission, vision, and goals, (8)
- Identify 1 to 2 barriers of reaching MPS mission, vision, and goals, (3)
- Demonstrate understanding of the Diverse make-up and needs of MPS, (8)
- Understand the basic governance structures and jurisdiction and appreciation for the strengths and limitations of the school district, (4)

Equity:

Applicant can:

- Demonstrate understanding of systemic and institutional racism, and (15)
- Demonstrate understanding of existing intellectual (academic, social-emotional, behavioral, and cultural) gaps. (15)

Approach:

Applicants can: (3 points each)

- Dedicated to the mission, vision, and purpose rather than self-interest,
- Participate in new and evolving community planning process and willing to be open minded about the process,
- Enter all spaces from a learner's lens,
- Actively seek input from community groups and individuals,
- Demonstrate optimism moderated by realism,
- Be open-minded when considering strength and weaknesses of "old", "existing", and new approaches and strategies,
- Demonstrate that the "process" is just as important as the "task" and the "outcome",
- Demonstrate understanding that Milton has diverse and sometimes competing priorities,
- Respect and appreciate other experiences in addition to their own

<u>Skills:</u>

Applicants can and/or willing to LEARN how to:

- Work collaboratively as a "team player" on complex, controversial issues, (3)
- Outreach to get community members involved, (3)
- Actively listen to achieve greater understanding, (3)
- Express thoughts in writing and orally, (3)
- See the "big picture" and the common good (3)
- Facilitator difficult conversations around equity and systemic change (5)

If you want to move this work, please apply here (application link).