



FMHS PSSC Meeting Summary

Date: February 9, 2026

Time: 6:30 PM

Location: FMHS Learning Commons

Attendance

Present: Rebecca, Tyler, Stephanie, Sadie, Holly, Kathleen, Shane

Regrets: Donna, Darlene, Jennifer, **Sophia**

Approval of Previous Minutes

- Minutes from **December 1, 2025** meeting were **approved**.
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School Update

- The school community recently experienced the **passing of a student** last week.
- **Student supports and counselling services** have been put in place for students and staff.

Principal's Report

School Improvement Plan (SIP) Review

- Core leadership team reviewing SIP priorities and updates.

Key focus areas

- Ensuring **every student has a team-based support approach.**
- Developing **personalized strategies for behaviour and responsibility.**
- Aligning **academic expectations and grading practices** across staff.
- Implementation of **curriculum planning for new teachers.**

Educational Services Support Team (ESST)

- Continued work with the Educational Services team to provide appropriate **resources and support for students.**
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Success Centre Update (Tyler)

- Program focused on **reducing barriers to student success.**
 - Students must be **referred and determined to be a good program fit.**
 - **8 current participants**, including **4 recently added.**
 - **Students repeating Grade 9** are a primary focus group.
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School Culture Initiatives

Goal: **Create a welcoming and supportive school environment**

Current initiatives include:

- **Hallway beautification**
- **Transition talks** between elementary schools and FMHS administration
- **Food bank support**
- **Multicultural association involvement**
- **Big Brothers Big Sisters partnership**
- **5–6 exchange students**
- Expansion of **student clubs**
- **Music activities**
- **Civics field trip for Grades 10–11**
- **Monthly meetings and engagement activities**

Student Activities & Programs

- **Unified Basketball**
- **Annual Holiday Cup**
- **Mayor's visit to Civics class**

- Ski trip
- Nature's Backpack program for middle school
- Turnaround Day activities
- Hip-hop dance program

Quebec Trip

- **Dates:** April 22–25
- **Grades:** 10–12
- **Participants:** Approximately **50 students**

PSSC Support

- **Banner/poster approved**
- **PSSC contribution:** approximately **\$1,200**

Student Representative Update

- Valentine's Day flower sales
- School dance
- Assembly reported as successful

GALA Committee

- **First meeting held**
- **Looking for parent involvement** to join the committee alongside teachers.

Other Discussion

- Idea proposed to invite **FMHS alumni as guest speakers.**

Next Meeting

Monday, April 13, 2026

6:30 PM

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