SAC Meeting November 15th

* Recognition Funds Voting Result– Plan #1 was chosen
* Staff are set to receive bonuses on (tentative) December 8th
* Our math coach Sarah S. discusses our new program Eureka.
* Eureka promotes flexible thinking while upping the rigor of the curriculum.
* Part of a Lesson:

1. Fluency Practice
2. Application Problem (students are presented a word problem typically reviewing the previous day’s lesson)
3. Concept Development (Introducing new knowledge by building on past knowledge)
4. Problem Set (applying)
5. Debrief (making connections)
6. Exit Ticket (what the students are walking away with)
7. Homework

* Manipulatives / strategies used will build on each other across grade levels
* Importance of not teaching children the “short-cuts” at home; need to build a deep understanding
* Parent resources on linked on website/ Great Minds
* Celebrations: Fall Festival success, Recycle Challenge Winner – school will receive a bench
* Questions/Concerns: 100 steps/Reading Log
* Upcoming: The Tampa Bay Lightning visit, Winter Wonderland, STAR diner/Science Workshop