I. Welcome

II. PARCC Information

- “ESBR” (evidence-based selected response) instead of “multiple choice”
  - Part A and Part B questions that connect to one another
  - Students must get Part A correct to get any credit
  - Part A correct, Part B incorrect = half credit
  - Part A incorrect, Part B correct = no credit
  - Part A and Part B correct = full credit
- “PCR” (prose constructed response) instead of “open response”
- Students will have separate answer booklet
- Level I/II ELL students have Math Test read aloud
- Special Education Students and ELL Students have the full day to test if necessary

III. Parent Involvement

- How can they become more involved?
- Dr. Tutwiler suggestion: “World Café”
  - 5 questions written down on butcher block paper for parents to carousel around and answer without having to speak in front of a group/crowd
  - Possible questions to ask:
    - Do you feel comfortable getting involved in school?
    - What is the best way for you to get informed?
    - What are the 3 most important aspects of school for your child?
    - What activities do you enjoy doing with your children?
  - Maybe start this on the first day of school after parents drop off or the first open house to maximize parent participation

IV. Next Meeting: Tuesday, May 3, 2016