



BENJAMIN FRANKLIN ELEMENTARY

Home of the Jaguars



SDMC Meeting February 20, 2023

Agenda

- Review School Calendar Activities:
- STAAR incentives
- 5th grade graduation ceremony
- Future fundraiser ideas
- Miscellaneous

Minutes

- Mr. Alarcón went over the school calendar and reviewed the upcoming events for the rest of the year. The events that were reviewed include: TELPAS practice tests, TELPAS real tests, spring break, TEA interim assessments, dates of the real STAAR assessments, numbers of weeks for the Rocking Review prior to the STAAR- test, and the Austin High School marching band and cheerleaders participating in the STAAR pep rally.
- We will continue with providing McDonalds as incentives for those students who do well on the District Formative Assessments (DFA). Students will have a chance to enjoy their McDonald's box outside for a picnic. After students take the TEA interim assessments, students will participate in the "Glow in the Dark" dance on April 06 where students will be provided with pizza and beverages. After students take the real STAAR, they will go on a field trip to Kemah Boardwalk (dates to be determined).
- We discussed the possibility of having our 5th grade students graduate with caps and gowns, and for their ceremony to include a guest speaker and a musician. We will look at the possibility to purchase the caps and gowns to be reused for future ceremonies or the possibility to rent them. Dates for the end of year ceremonies and rehearsals are pending due to pending confirmation of the dates for the math Eureka training at the end of May.
- Spring Student Dance on March 10 to fundraise money.