



De Zavala Elementary School

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SDMC Minutes
February 12, 2020

Welcome

De Zavala Meeting Norms:

Stay Focused
Stay Reflective
Stay Positive
Stay Involved

MISSION STATEMENT

De Zavala Elementary School provides a challenging learning environment and encourages high expectations for success. We seek the development of appropriate and rigorous instruction that is differentiated to meet all of our students' needs. Our school promotes the development of a well-rounded student through a rigorous academic curriculum and opportunities to learn and enhance new skills in our after-school clubs. We proudly foster high parent, teacher, and community member involvement in the goal to create life-long learning members of society.

VISION STATEMENT

De Zavala Elementary encourages and aims in providing equitable opportunities and equal access to an effective and individualized education in a safe and caring environment. We believe in addressing the "whole child" and that all children can and will learn if given the proper resources. Our students will develop the foundation of becoming critical thinkers and problem solvers; they will know and understand how to be successful in a global society.

Safety and Security:

Our SDMC Committee will address safety and security concerns and will be part of De Zavala's Safety Committee. Tentative upcoming fire-drill dates are 2/14, 3/10, 4/13 and 5/19. Some fire drills will be obstructed and followed by shelter-in place or lockdown. We will continue to implement our safety procedures; all visitors will have to present their id and sign-in to receive access into campus. All classroom teachers should have an orange emergency bucket. For the safety and security of our students two adults must always monitor the cafeteria. Chemical inventory will have to be done soon. Teachers will receive directions on how to download Emergency Procedures App (My EOP – red book).

School Events:

- Daddy Daughter Dance 2/13/2020. Parents would like for us to include more family and mom/daughter, etc. events after school.
- Spring Festival is scheduled for April 24. Grade level/Clubs will sign up for activities.
- No visitors will be allowed during TELPAS/STAAR Testing to ensure testing security.



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- End of Year Activities: Cinco de Mayo will be scheduled during day and a \$3.00 donation per ticket will be requested.

Budget:

- Spring Camp will be offered for 3rd – 5th grade.
- CLI will be determined based on Kinder – 3rd grade teacher input.
- A wish list of resources will be created by teachers.
- Mr. Velez will ask PTO Cabinet members for funds to purchase 6-10 iPads.

Other topics of discussion:

Our school needs to address the technology/internet access issues. It is recommended that we inform the help desk when we have issues. Share with teachers the upcoming events.

SDMC Members Present:

Ms. Sanchez
Mrs. Saavedra
Mrs. Jordan
Mr. Perez
Mr. Velez
Mrs. Orozco-Martinez

Meeting Adjourn: 3:58 p.m.



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