



De Zavala Elementary School

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SDMC Minutes
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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: Reminders regarding safety and security are stated.

- It is important to differentiate expectations and behaviors for lockdowns (intruder and drill intruder lockdown). Every time there is a drill, staff and students will be reminded about safety procedures. Review procedures for lockdown will be communicated to teachers and staff. Flipcharts will be replaced. Keys for every room are required. Workorders are in place for rooms that need keys. All classroom doors should always be locked. Students must always be monitored by an adult.
- After Spring break, the maximum capacity for school events will be fifty people. The school will not have visitors until April 9, 2020 as a safety measure. Indoor events are a concern. District employees and parents will have to complete a survey when returning to school. World Health Organization called the COVID-19 a Pandemic. Houston Rodeo was cancelled. School will wait for direction from the district about how to proceed regarding the health situation.
- Deep cleaning over the holidays.

School Events:

- 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.
- March 23 – April 3 Parents will receive a communication of the testing schedule via call out and letter.

Budget:

- Spring Camp will be offered for 3rd – 5th grade.
- CLI will be determined based on Kinder – 3rd grade teacher input. Most of our K-3rd Reading teachers feel that CLI is not needed. Some of the considerations include (coaching quality and consistency).



One Community, One Mission: Student Excellence.