



# 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 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. Fire & Safety Inspection. Fire drills will continue as required every month. It is important to make sure staff members and students follow appropriate procedures in case of emergencies. It is essential to be vigilant and proactive regarding safety and security expectations.
- Discipline. A discipline committee will be in place to define guidelines and action plan to address the behavioral expectations for students. The committee will include representatives from the different grade levels. The committee will meet regularly after school or on Saturdays. Members will be compensated.
- End of the Year celebrations. These events will take place by grade level. Teachers have the choice to hold a parent event or have the event in the classrooms with students only. Fifth grade will continue to work on the graduation ceremony.



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- Supplies. For next year, there is funding that can be used for school supplies or for technology. Some supplies are needed including copy paper. Other items to purchase include planners and agendas by grade level.
- Budget. ESSR Funds for next year may be available. The board will approve funding for specific positions for campuses such as librarian or media specialist, nurse, and counselor. There three positions that will probably be closed due to low enrollment.

Principal concluded the meeting with SDMC members present.



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