



Kate Bell Elementary School

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Kizzy Luke, Principal

SDMC

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Minutes

Staff updates- HB1 Visa Ms. Puente to begin January 9, 2023. Ms. Smith (Kinder sub) will transition to TREK dedicated sub upon arrival of Ms. Puente. TREK vacancy, 1 applicant. The applicant requires an HB1 Visa. HISD is no longer issuing HB1 Visas for this school term. Teaching Assistant shortage. ESO 1 has 39 TA vacancies. Bell has 4 TA vacancies- PALS, SLL, PK, and General .

Budget updates- 23 students short on enrollment. ~ 100,000 will be taken from the budget. K. Luke budget meeting is 12/19 at 8:00am. Bilingual budget has ~\$26,000.00. Need approved vendors to purchase resources from.

ESSER budget has ~ \$60,000.

Title 1 budget has ~ \$80,000.

Teachers and staff to look for professional development, materials, etc.

STAAR Interim Test feedback- Not technically difficult. Students need more work space. Will have more testing rooms to have smaller test groups.

Q & A- What are the needs? What "grumbles" are you hearing?

Teacher Lounge needs- replace supplies, people are taking them. Color copier broken today.

Will we have a Spring Festival? YES, on a Saturday and longer possibly 10-2pm

Cougar P.R.I.D.E.