



De Zavala Elementary School

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SDMC Minutes
November 15, 2023

Welcome: 4:25 p.m.

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.

Academic Goals:

1. All students will be proficient in reading by third grade.
2. All students will demonstrate proficiency in the core subjects before advancing to the next level (if attendance meets expectations).
3. All students will leave our school prepared for middle school, high school, college, and a year 2035 workplace.

Reviewed the School Improvement Plan 2023-2024. SIP will need to be updated to express the correct language of number and percentage of Multiple Response Strategies and assessments. Revisit Resources available for data tracking.

Safety and Security: Lockdown Drill score card will be provided by HISD Police Friday or Monday and will be shared with faculty and staff. All exterior and interior doors need to be locked. If an exterior door is unlocked, make sure we lock it. An invitation to join GroupMe will be sent out again to everyone to support clear communication in case of an emergency. All doors need window covered. Communication is the key to safety. A meeting will be scheduled with Austin's principal to discuss secondary shelter.



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Upcoming Events: Report Cards, Christmas Program, Clubs/Academic Support

We will have a Christmas Program date to be announced. Clubs and Academic Support started this week and bus transportation is being provided. Report cards go out on Friday.

Other: Fundraising for clubs consideration: Movie Night, donations for Christmas Program.

Adjourned: 5:30 p.m.



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