



James H. Law Elementary

Dual Language Spanish/English School

SDMC Meeting

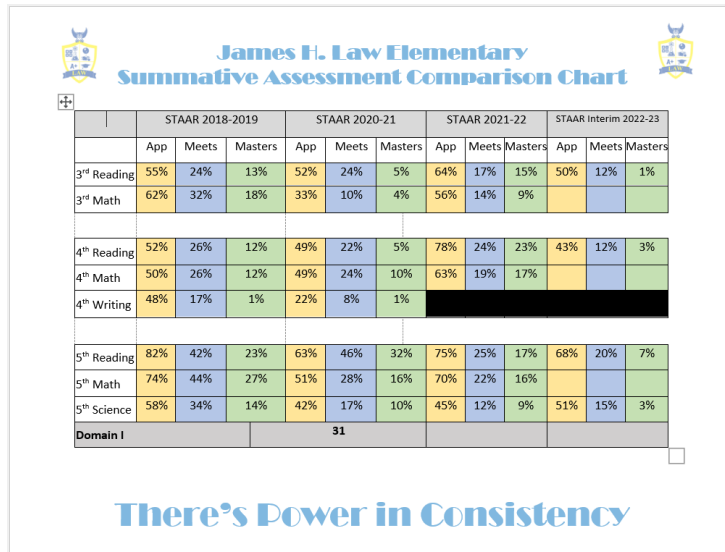
DATE 3/29/2024

SCHEDULE

Activity	Presenter/Time	
Introductions	Whole Team 5 min	Ice Breaker
Prior SDMC Suggestions		<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Suggested purchasing resources for bilingual students-Estellita and Lunita• Committee asked about re-inclusion of <i>5 de Mayo</i>.• Replacing marquee in front of school• Replacing flags on flag poles in front• Raising money by putting “Happy Birthday” on marquee• Outside pavilion available for parents to lunch with their students• Beautify the wooden platform stage located in the back of the building to be used for future musical and art events.• Resources for Special Education classroom• Committee asked about potential participation in “School Dance.”• Committee asked for clarification on use of interventionists.• Committee brought up the teachers parking lot gate where there is currently no lock.• Committee member asked for clarification about safety locked door policy in classrooms.

Data/ Upcoming Assessments

STAAR Growth



Upcoming assessments

- STAAR Dates
 - 3rd-5th grade Reading- Wednesday, April 17, 2024
 - 5th grade Science-Wednesday, April 24, 2024
 - 3rd-5th grade Math-Tuesday, April 30, 2024
 - Training Date: April 4, 2024
- STAAR ALT-2
 - April 2nd – April 19th
- Feedback, Thoughts, Questions
 - Teachers were asked to fill out the JHL Data Reflection Form
 - Will we meet goal by end if we continue to progress at this rate?
 - Families were talking about other assessments besides STAAR. What other assessments do we use?
 - Ms. Watson brought up to Ms. IJ about an interest in meeting with grade levels to exchange STAAR strategies since both are ELAR. They were exploring what other methods can be used to measure students' progress.
 - Ms. Johnson brought up that her daughter excelled in Reading Interim STAAR practice and won the MLK Oratory

		<p>competence. She also shared that her son has benefited from getting Dual instruction in English and Spanish.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ There was a discussion of our ELL students classified as MYT2 and their possible exiting of bilingual education.
<p>Safety</p>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Flooding debrief <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Specific locations to go for severe weather ○ Teacher brought up that during power outages, we must be equipped with functioning flashlights and walkie talkies ○ Ms. Wigfall asked whether we could get a .pdf of the document above the fax machine ○ Protocol needed for when these things take place near dismissal and there are parents/buses out front. ○ We should practice more lockdown procedures ● Use of Secure recently ● Check-in procedures explained ● Passed intruder drill ● Ms. Angelica’s weekly door checks ● Gate near pre-K playground now locked ● Concern over lawn mowers leaving gate open ● Remaining drills <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ One more lockdown ● Feedback, Thoughts, Questions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Ms. Carter had questions about visitors entering the school without badges ○ If a person is on campus and loses their sticker badge, should they have to go get a new one? ○ Question over door being propped as custodians take out trash and/or teachers take their classes to recess <p>Question about renovating our basketball goals.</p>
<p>Planned Events</p>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 5 de Mayo Festival-5/5 ● Graduation Ceremonies- <ul style="list-style-type: none"> May 22 – Kinder May 23 – 1st May 24 – 2nd May 25 – 3rd

		<p>May 26 – 4th May 30 – PreK May 31 – 5th</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Field Day- 05/15 • Multicultural Dy-5/20 • Feedback, Thoughts, Questions <p>Will there be parents' volunteers for Field Day</p>
Law Vision Setting		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What tools are we providing our 5th grade students in order to become lifelong learners, critical thinkers, and problem solvers as they exit Law ES?
Other Questions/Concerns		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • We need a functional PA System for the outside playground area. We are unable to hear important announcements in case of emergencies. • The roof along the outside walkways leaks during rainstorms. • PLC/PTO room not enough chairs. Can we purchase more?