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# School Site Council Thursday,October 19, 2023 Meeting Agenda 3:30 p.m.

- 1. Welcome and Introductions / Bienvenida y Presentaciones
- Call to Order / Orden de Llamada Motion to open Meeting Roxanne Allessandro Trent Speier
- 3. Attendance / Asistencia
- 4. Approval of Agenda / Aprobación de la agenda
- 5. SSC Position Selections/Posision para elecciones
  - Laura Munoz-Chairperson: facilitate the meeting/lead discussion and move through agenda. Traditionally the leader is a student at Vista.
  - Armando Florez- Vice chair: If chair cannot attend, the vice chair attends.
  - Sarah Ramirez Secretary: Takes the minutes (notes) and preserves them. Leads attendance and approval of minutes from the previous meeting. Reviewed for accuracy.
  - Zoila Lubin Parliamentarian
- 6. SSC By-Laws/Por Ley

Review recommendations for improvement of the Single Plan for Student Achievement

(SPSA) from the School English Learner Advisory Committee.

Develop and approve the SPSA and related expenditures in accordance with all District, state and federal laws and regulations.

Recommend the plan and expenditures to the VCPS Board of Education for approval. Provide ongoing review of the implementation of the plan with the principal, teachers, school staff members and other stakeholders.



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Make modifications to the plan whenever the need arises. Submit the modified plan to VCPS Board of Education for approval whenever a material change is made in planned activities or related expenditures. Annually, or at each semester, by assessing data, evaluate the progress made toward school goals to raise the academic achievement of all students. Develop the comprehensive safe school plan. Carry out all other duties assigned to the School Site Council by the VCPS Board of Education and by state law.

- Meeting Dates / Fechas de reuniones Agreed on Tuesdays Second Tuesday of each month at 3:30pm (Once a month) Every month an email will be sent as a reminder of the meeting.
- 8. Principal's Reports / Reporte del Director
  - Condor & Heritage-Mrs.Alessandro
  - 331 students in Condor
  - 316 students in Heritage
  - Working hard on attendance to make sure students are in school learning and helps with our budget
  - On Nov. 2nd Thursday 4:30-7:00 pm we have our Harvest Festival/Dia De Los Muertos There will be games and food
  - Second quarter has started for Heritage and Student-Led Conferences are next week
  - Students and staff are excited about the conferences
  - Admin and Staff went to a global school in San Antonio, Texas
  - They learned a lot and are excited to bring it to Vista Condor, Heritage, & Meridian
  - Next week on Thursday there is coffee with the principals at 8:30am
  - Commander of the police department is going to be a guest at the meeting to talk about safety
  - Meridian-Mr. Speier
  - Updates where Meridian is and where they are going
  - Dual enrollment program- college and high school classes <sup>1</sup>/<sub>3</sub>
  - Students also took them over the summer.
  - Students haven't received grades yet



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- Students and families saved 14,000 dollars in tuition
- Great relationships were formed with Costa Mesa city and the mayor about high school being built
- PD out of the state for Meridian staff (How to improve Global)
- 9. English Learner Update / Actualización de principiantes de inglés
  - Initial ELPAC
  - There are two versions of the test (Initial/Yearly) explanation of both.
  - In Meridian there is not too much of the initial except for new students to the country.
  - When registered into school and you click the box that says spanish they will be classified as an english learner.
- 10. New Business/ Asuntos Nuevos
  - N/A
- 11. Public Comments/Comentarios Público
  - Parent asked about information regarding the high school student with a weapon near campus
    - -Admin said student is no longer on campus
  - Parent asked if coffee with the principal can be at a different time (working parents) -a survey will be sent out
- Teacher asked families to sign google consent form on parent square or they will print out packets for parents to sign
- Parent asked if google will be monitored for high school students -Admin said yes we use Hapara to monitor students.
  - Mayor said to use Report to Santa Ana
  - Gang related activity (clothing, whistles) -a meeting for parents about gang related activity to inform them
  - Is the dress code enforced?
  - Admin responded that dress code is recorded and phone calls home are made
  - For the Fall Festival the Police Department will be here giving out information
  - Make-up picture day is tomorrow Friday October 19th

## 12. Adjournment

- Armando Flores
- Amanda Gomez adjourned the meeting at 4:39pm.

