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Education and Assessment Services

District English Learner Advisory Committee (DELAC) Minutes

Tuesday, January 21, 2020 6:00 pm - 7:45 pm Education Center - Board Room

Attendees: Steve Zamora, Director of Educational Services; Anna López, District Community Liaison; Veronica Lew, Recorder; Members: See sign-in sheet.

I. Welcome

Ms. Susana Calderon and Ms. Anna López welcomed attendees and provided an overview of today's meeting.

Approve December Minutes: Ms. Elena Navarro proposed a motion to approve the minutes and Ms. Ramona Lopez seconded the motion. The minutes were approved unanimously.

II. Unfinished Business

Local Control Accountability Plan (LCAP): Mr. Zamora provided an overview of the LCAP and explained that it is the District plan that is created from stakeholder feedback collected through a Districtwide survey. After the needs assessment, the District develops goals and actions that detail spending related to goals. He also explained that student performance data is used when the District Advisory Committee (DAC) meets to determine areas of focus when developing the stakeholder survey. Mr. Zamora explained that the LCAP is always a three-year plan and that the State has recently updated the template for the LCAP with the intention of shortening the plan.

Parent input/comments/suggestions:

A parent asked if it is possible for a district to change the assessment method in math because the results for the district are low. She added that maybe there is something missing from the ALEKS curriculum if many students are low-performing.

A parent encouraged all members to study the LCAP and take and active involvement.

A parent shared that in previous years and other districts, the information related to the LCAP can be overwhelming and technical with not much explanation.

Facilitator response:

Mr. Zamora responded that the data reported on the dashboard is from State CAASPP results. He shared about the use of ALEKS in foundational math classes and the ability to customize learning. Mr. Zamora clarified that ALEKS is not all the curriculum being taught and that for students that are at a lower level than algebra, the District has purchased an additional supplementary program. He also added that teachers have been meeting regularly to work at ensuring the curriculum is aligned with the State assessments.

III. New Business

California State Dashboard: Mr. Zamora explained the purpose of the Dashboard and the data available. He explained that it looks at six State performance indicators: academic performance, English Learner progress, chronic absenteeism, suspension rates, college/career readiness, and graduation rates. The District also uses five local performance measures: basic conditions, implementation of academic standards, school climate surveys, parent involvement and engagement, and access to courses. He gave members a brief overview of how to access data in the dashboard.

IV. Announcements

Ms. Lopez shared the dates for parent ELPAC informational nights at various school sites and explained that parents are welcome to attend any school that they're able.

V. Adjournment

The next meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, February 25, 2020, at 6:00 pm. The meeting adjourned at 7:53 pm.