



January 28, 2021
3:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.
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James Monroe Elementary School Site Council

Mission Statement:

Our mission is to teach students and make sure they are learning so that they can achieve grade level proficiency or above. We want to offer each child an equal chance to gain a quality education and provide them the basic foundation to achieve academically and become lifelong learners and productive citizens in their community. We, along with the school board, believe that the futures of children are driven by their aspirations.

Facilitator: Mr. L. Perez, Principal

Attendees: Leonard Perez (Principal), Cynthia Amezola (teacher), Catherine Jones (teacher), Aimee Connolly (teacher), Frank Espinosa (other), Jessica Santana (Parent), Ana Giron (Parent), Ana Hernandez (Parent), Erika Ramos (Parent), Dinora Preciado (Parent)

All parents and community members are encouraged to participate in our School Site Council. The School Site Council helps monitor the implementation of our Single Plan for Student Achievement (SPSA), helps evaluate the effectiveness of the allocation of resources, and provides additional input in the modification of the SPSA.

AGENDA ITEMS

1. **Welcome and Introductions - Establish A Quorum**
2. **Call to Order**
3. **Adoption of the Agenda: Add or Deletion of the Agenda (motion needed)**
4. **Public Input**

Public Input is for visitors who wish to speak on a subject not on the board agenda. Ten minutes of this portion of the meeting are reserved for members of the public to address the School Site Council on items not listed on the agenda and within the jurisdiction of the School Site Council. Speakers are limited to two (2) minutes. The School Site Council is prohibited by law from taking action on matters discussed that are not on the Agenda, and no adverse conclusions should be drawn if the School Council does not respond to public comment at this time. If you wish to address the Board, please state your name and address.

5. **Approval of Previous Minutes – November 12, 2020 (motion needed)**
6. **New Business**
 - a. **Title 1 Account Summary**
 - b. **Discuss/suggest what to spend monies/Title 1 balance on (need a vote)**
 - c. **Discuss/suggest Parent Education Funds (need a vote)**
7. **Reports**
 - a. **Data Quality Index Report: Aug.-A; Sept.-C; Oct.-A; Nov.-A; Dec.-A**
 - b. **Parent Square Participation - MUSD is at 97%**
James Monroe increased from 93% to 97% participation - Decreased from 39 to 12 family records to reach 100%
8. **Announcements**
 - a. **Monroe implemented the Great Kindness Challenge at the school. This is a world-wide movement, and the school was excited to partake. Staff provided students with activities, videos, dress up/theme days, and suggestions for acts of kindness and what it means. Raffle prizes will be given for student participation in the theme days.**

- b. Monroe continues to provide one student from each class the Student of the Month Award. Different students are chosen each month. Along with the award and recognition, a “goodie bag” is also provided for the students.**
- c. Monroe continues to implement “Spirit Day” each Friday, where staff and students are encouraged to wear Monroe “gear” or something red.**
- d. Next month, Monroe will partake in Black History Month, where staff will have various lessons and activities that recognize important and influential African-Americans from our country’s history.**
- e. Monroe has hired a new site counselor. Her name is Alyx Duarte. She began on 1/11/21.**
- f. No school on 2/8/21 in observance of Lincoln’s Day**
- g. No school on 2/15/21 in observance of President’s Day**

9. Next Meetings (Tentative Dates & Times)

- March 18, 2021 at 3:00**
- May 20, 2021 at 3:00**

10. Adjournment (motion needed)

