

Alta Vista Innovation English Learner Advisory Committee (ELAC)

Thursday October 24th, 2024, from 5:00 pm – 7:00 pm

Location: Spruce St. Learning Center

1695 Spruce St. Suite #110 Riverside, CA 92507

Meeting Minutes

- Meeting Starts:
- Welcome/Introductions: Introductions, Kendra Ambriz Learning Center Coordinator, Raquel Goyenaga Parent Engagement Liaison, Giovanni Gonzalez ELD Lead, Francisco Vasquez Administrative Assistant.
- Approval of Q2 Meeting Minutes. Colin gave a motion to approve the meeting minutes, Kendra Ambriz seconds this motion.
- California State Requirements for RFEP – Giovanni Gonzalez
 - RFEP is the reclassification from Limited English proficient to Fluent English Proficient
 - This follows students after they have reclassified for four years at the end of each semester. This is to ensure continuous academic growth and provide any necessary assistance.
 - There are 4 requirements
 - English Language Proficiency Assessment: achieving a score of 4 on the ELPAC assessment.
 - Basic Skills assessment: NWEA local assessment with a RIT score of 209+ or Lexile score of 850+
 - Teacher Evaluation: 5 Credits of ELA/ELD completion
 - Parent Consultation: In person or over the phone
- Congratulations to the following AVI students who have been reclassified of are 1 requirement away from reclassification
 - Isabella Wang (Reclassified & Graduated)

- Adrian Ramirez (Reclassified)
 - Melanie Castaneda (NWEA Local Assessment with a RIT score of 209+)
 - Flora Lopez (Needs 3 ELA/ELD credits with C or better)
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- Washington D.C/Shaver Lake & Upcoming Trips
 - Earlier this year we had the privilege of taking 40 students to Washington D.C
 - Last month we took 20 students on a trip to Shaver Lake
 - These trips are a great opportunity for our students to get experiences they may not get during school.
 - We are hoping this opens the door for future trips. We hope to have the support from principals & parents alike.
 - RCC Campus Tour was a huge success. We had 15 students attend and each one left with so much knowledge of their options after high school.
 - Next trip is 11/7/2024 to Medieval Times to learn about Chivalry in Action. Please contact Martha Vasquez (VN) or Wilson Hartsock (AVI) if interested in attending.
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- LCAP Updates – Colin Ospeth
 - LCAP is designed for schools to help explain how we will support students in the school year.
 - We submit LCAP once per year to our school board for their approval.
 - This year our school has 13.5 million dollars we are using to help support our unhoused youth & struggling students.
 - LCAP is available on our website, but we can also provide a printed copy in both English & Spanish

- Our school is a Title 1 School. Which means we accept money from our federal government to use to support our students who need extra help.
 - One measurement in if our school is approved for this is based of off our NWEA scores.
 - We found with an increase in tutoring support for our students NWEA scores went up about 10%.
 - Additionally, we track our parent & student survey each year and we are happy to report students & parents feel very safe at our school.
 - Lastly thank you for participating in the meeting you are always welcome to suggest or recommend anything you need for your students.
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- Community Schools – Raquel Goyenaga
 - As a school you have the availability to find support with Raquel Goyenaga and Christina Laster to help support parent engagement and to find any resources your family may be in need of.
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- Next Meeting: January 23rd 2025
 - Meeting Adjourned: 5:23 pm