



DELAC

District English Learner Advisory Committee
Comité Distrital para Aprendices del Idioma Inglés

MINUTES

Date: Thursday, October 9, 2025

Jueves 9 de octubre, 2025

Time: 6:00-7:30

TOPIC	PRESENTER	Minutes
Welcome and Introductions <i>Bienvenida e Introducciones</i>	Cecilia Pérez <i>Discussion/Discusión</i>	
Review Agenda <i>Revisar la Agenda</i>	Cecilia Pérez <i>Discussion/Discusión</i>	First approved by Pilar
Site Reports <i>Informes de cada escuela</i>	Parent Reps	BV-Cristina-1st ELAC meeting in 2 weeks. We are preparing for our cultural fairs, we are having our Reading Festival on 10/31-we will have reading initiatives. GL-Nicole-We are having ELAC in the Canal by the end of October. If you need photos printed for Day of the Dead altars, I can help. LD-Verónica Duarte & Pilar-12/12 we're having our first DELAC meeting with our Charla cafe, where we'll talk about math and the importance of attendance. At 5:30 p.m. we'll work on our altar to honor our loved ones. SP-Merlin Mazariegos-Next week is conference week, and we're also hosting the book fair. In September, we had our cultural night, and it was beautiful. SV-Rosita-This Wednesday was our walk and roll event. The students were very happy to receive an award. Yesterday we had our PTO meeting with the Davidson principal. We had ELAC and talked about the reclassification process and the importance of attendance. Next week is conference week, which is a good time to ask teachers questions about our children's progress. We're having movie night, and on 10/29 we're having breakfast for the teachers. 11/4-We're having our Multicultural Night (last year we had 22 countries). 11/22-We're having a cafecito con el director and working on our Altar of the Dead. VV-Mari-this Friday we're having our first movie night. Yesterday we had Walk and Roll Day. Today is math night. And we're having a book fair next week. On 10/10, we're having our Second Cafecito con el director! at 9 a.m. On October 13-17, we have conference week. On October 21, we have ELAC and a book exchange field trip. On October 31, we have a Halloween party and a movie for students who can't participate. DMS-Norma Salina-Last Friday we had a Charla cafe. Yesterday was our 2nd ELAC and we talked about attendance and reclassification, and how to help our children reach the 4 points.

		10/15-Hispanic Heritage 10/24-8th grade reunion for those going to SRHS. To help with the Hispanic Heritage event, please call the Family Center.
Community Forum - Introduction to the District Budget Advisory Committee with Deputy Superintendent, Bob Marcucci Foro Comunitario - <i>Introducción al Comité Asesor del Presupuesto del Distrito con el Sub Superintendente Bob Marcucci</i>	Bob Marcucci <i>Information/Información</i>	Rosita: I want to thank Bob for the information, and it's chilling, this is the reality of the district. How can we support it, and how will it affect our students, community liaisons, and after-school programs? Hopefully at the next meeting we can hear good news. Estela: Thanks, Bob, for the information. It's very important. 1. The district loses 90 dollars per day for each student who is absent, and it affects learning. 2. Every budget is different. 3. There are 90 representatives here who can share this information with other parents. Cristina-This is very important information about the budget. How can we inform parents who don't attend school meetings? Is there a way to let them know the importance? Can we send a flyer letting them know how this budget will affect students? For example, send it through ParentSquare so all families know? Pilar: Parents receive many messages; they have children in different schools, and they don't read them. If a video message were sent, it would be better. When children miss school, they lose wisdom and the day they learn. Nicole- It's important that parents use this meeting and others to give their input on this budget. Angelica-Bob can make a video and explain it like he did just now. It caught my attention. We have to remember where we come from. The support of the school is important. My children came one day with a backpack with colors, and it helped me a lot because I didn't have to buy them. We need to unite; this administration makes us feel attacked. As parents, we have school supplies; we have to talk to our children. They have to take their computer home, practice on iReady, and explain the benefits of knowing English. If we go back to our country, we'll already know how to speak native English.
DELAC Topic: Accessing and Understanding Your Child's Summative ELPAC Report & Reclassification Criteria Tema de DELAC: Acceso y comprensión del informe sumativo del ELPAC de su hijo(a) y los criterios de reclasificación	Cecilia Pérez <i>Discussion/Discusión</i>	Esperanza-My daughter received a 4 on ELPAC but hasn't been reclassified? I've already asked the school, and they tell me she's doing well. How can I help my daughter get reclassified next school year? Estela: I've noticed that students come to school without breakfast or sleep when they're about to take tests. They're unaware of the importance of the tests. The I-Ready test is given at the beginning of the school year; it's a system that tracks each child's learning progress in reading and math. Hipolita Paxtor: While Cecilia is here, my son was reclassified when he was in third grade, but he wasn't given any recognition. They did confirm that he was reclassified, but I don't have a formal letter or proof that he was reclassified. Alexander Gonzalez: My son never took the exams. I went to ask, and they told me he didn't have to take them. When he moved up to 6th grade at Davidson, they only gave him one elective and one more English class. Why does he have an elective if he's reclassified? Beatriz: Have your children practice on Iready before bed. They'll learn the information better at that time.
Adjournment Clausura	Cecilia Pérez	