



# Westmont Elementary School

## Visual and Performing Arts Academy

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Diana Bianco - Principal

## School Site Council Meeting #2 Minutes

October 15, 2024 - Library

### A. Call to Order

The SSC Meeting of October 15, 2024 was called to order by Diana Bianco at 2:22PM

### B. Roll Call

Members present: Diana Bianco, Rachel Partida, Allison Eadie, Zelyne Lane and Colette Lopez

### C. Welcome & Introductions

Diana Bianco welcomed all in attendance and introductions were made.

### D. Agenda Adoption -- Meeting of SSC October 15, 2024

The principal reviewed the meeting agenda. There were no questions. A motion by A. Eadie and seconded by A. Lane to approve as submitted. Voting: Yes   5   No   0  

### E. Minutes -- Approval of Minutes from last meeting September 26, 2024

The Committee reviewed the details of the meeting agenda.

A motion was made by R. Partida and seconded by A. Eadie to approve the meeting minutes as submitted.

Voting: Yes   5   No   0  

### F. Public Comment/Communication to SSC. No public Comments

### G. Reports

- a. SPSA Budget Update Title 1 budget is \$169,000. Most of our funding pays for our Reading Intervention Teacher. Our dance teacher is not funded by Title 1 funding this year, which means that we have more money to spend on other things. R. Partida asked if PE equipment can be purchased from Title 1 money. Mrs. Bianco reviewed how title 1 funding is to be spent. Money must be spent to support goals and strategies indicated in the SPSA.

### H. Old Business

There was no old business

## I. New Business

### a. SPSA Overview Development, Review, and Feedback

Principal Bianco shared the OVSD SPSA Overview that also explains the SPSA Development. Goals were shared.

### b. Comprehensive Needs Assessment

A Comprehensive Needs Assessment was completed with SSC members. Areas of focus include: In ELA Areas of Concern : Westmont's English language Learners, Hispanic, Socioeconomically Disadvantaged students and students with disabilities are an area of concern. They are in the Yellow collectively. (Dashboard 2023) and Westmont's white population is indicated in the orange. In Math areas of concern: Areas of Concern : Westmont's Hispanic, Socioeconomically disadvantaged and students with disabilities are an area of concern. It is in the Orange range.

iReady Data Concerns: 20% of English Learners are one grade level or below (iReady Diagnostic #3 compared to 93% Diagnostic #1) 65% of the Hispanic Population are one grade level or below (iReady Diagnostic #3 compared to 94% Diagnostic #1)

The next iReady Diagnostic window is in December and the new California School Dashboard results are also scheduled to be released in December of this year.

### c. Attendance

The OVSD attendance policies were shared as well as the importance of daily, on-time attendance and the impact attendance has on student achievement and students' social-emotional well-being. An explanation on when a child should stay home and come to school was provided. The importance of calling in absences each day, independent study practices, excused and unexcused absences. Attendance continues to be a struggle at Westmont. We are going to focus on attendance once again in the Single Plan for Student Achievement. We were not as successful last year as we had wanted to be with chronic absenteeism. . A discussion around the NO tardy parties was had and it was mentioned that instead of a party the staff should give out gold tickets to the class when all are here on time rather to align with our other rewards.

### d. Parent Education Opportunities

Parent and family nights will be held this year with a focus on educational opportunities. BTSN had a different focus this year as well.

## J. Roundtable/Discussion.

Next Meeting November 14, 2024

## K. Adjournment

A motion to adjourn at 3:05 was made by R.Partida and seconded by A. Eadie

Voting: Yes   5   No   0