

**District Learner Advisory Committee
(DELAC)
March 30, 2022
Virtual Meeting - Zoom
Minutes**

ATTENDEES	
DISTRICT STAFF / ADMINISTRATORS	
Mrs. Esther Garcia, Coordinator English Learner K-12	Kristi Batchelder, Director IV, Curriculum & Assessment
Mrs. Deborah Soto Admin, Sec., Secondary Education	Mrs. Norma Barles, Admin. Sec. II, Curriculum and Assessment
Mr Luis Martinez, District Translator	Mrs. Sonia Barron-Rodriguez, District Translator
Dale Kinnear, RUSD Board	Dr. Jennifer De Anda, Director, Instructional Services
Aurora Garcia, special Education	Elsa Moran, Adult School
Neician Thaxton, Chief of Staff, Superintendent's Office	
ELEMENTARY SCHOOL REPRESENTATIVES	
Adams - Lari Dean, Principal	Lake Mathews - Candice Carmell, Asst. Principal, Kanwal Akbar
Alcott - Veronica Osorio, Community Assistant Bilingual	Liberty - Oscar Cisneros, Principal
Beatty -	Longfellow - Florencia Manzano(Gage, and North Cynthia Vazquez Vera
Bryant	Madison - Selene Garcia Huerta
Castleview - Gladys Ramirez (Gage MS), Elizabeth Mendez	Magnolia
Emerson - Dawn Brawley, Principal, Erin Conner, Asst. Principal,	Monroe - Matilda Gomez, Community Assistant Bilingual
Franklin -	Mt. View - Kathy Doubravsky, Principal, Patricia Oropeza, DELAC President, Claudia Leyva, Zita Alvarez,, Gabina Calvario
Fremont -	Pachappa - Erica Square, Principal
Harrison -	Rivera - Lisa Koss,

Hawthorne -	Sunshine -
Highgrove - Carolina Michel, Principal	Taft -
Highland -	Twain
Jackson - Princess Charles-Johnson, Assistant Principal,	Victoria -
Jefferson - Tiffany Farris, Principal, Rafaela Rodriguez,	Washington - Maritza Monfil, DELAC Vice President, Julia C. Salinas
Kennedy	Woodcrest
MIDDLE SCHOOL REPRESENTATIVES	
Central - Shani Dahl, Principal	Miller - Mary De Leon
Chemawa - Gerardo Arenas, Principal,	Sierra- Cherilynne Hollowell, Assist. Principal, Jenna Mcnees
Earhart - Amanda Chann, Principal	University Hts. Laura Castillo,
Gage - Gary Reller, Principal	Maya Weiss, RUSD Intern
HIGH SCHOOL REPRESENTATIVES	
Arlington - Michelle Galloway, Assistant Principal,	Poly - Maritza Monfil, DELAC Vice President, Laura Nelson, Asst. Principal
EOC -	Raincross
King -	Ramona - Luisa Diaz, Laura Monteverde, Annie Graham, Lindsay Chavez
Lincoln	Stem - Esperanza Mejia (RVS)
North - Jennifer Johnston	Virtual School - Israel Leon, Assist. Principal, Carly McCarty, Brenda Rosas, ELAC President
COMMUNITY MEMBERS / GUESTS / PARENTS	
Rafael Franco	Emilisa Diaz
Aurelia Jarquin	Francisca
Judith Alcantara	

<p>1. Meeting Called to Order and Welcome - Patricia Oropeza welcomed all attendees and called the meeting to order at 9:02am. Esther informed parents that the meeting will be recorded and that we do have an interpretation channel. She also shared the DELAC Advisory Responsibilities. Patricia gave attendees one minute to go over the agenda.</p>	<p>Patricia Oropezal, DELAC President Esther Garcia, Coordinated English Learner K-12</p>
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<p>2. Approval of Minutes - Maritza provided five minutes to review the minutes. After five minutes, she asked for approval. Brenda Rosas representing Riverside Virtual School, motioned to approve the minutes, Florencia Manzano, representing Longfellow, North, and Gage, second the motion. All agreed, minutes have been approved.</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Maritza Monfil, DELAC Vice President</p>
<p>3. Legacy - Patricia introduced Esther Garcia. Esther shared the names of all the students being recognized and celebrated by their schools for the month of March. She congratulated all the students that were celebrated today. Students recognized are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Poly High School <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Aneth Zacapala ● Riverside Virtual School <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Ericka De La Torre ○ Valeria Silva ● Arlington High School <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Gaspar Monejo Raymundo Abraham High School <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Wilsenia Alejandra ● Ramona <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Jose Duenas ○ Evelyn Garcia ● JW North High School <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Juan Castaneda <p>Mrs. Rochelle took some questions from parents regarding the Legacy program.</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Rochelle Kanatzar, Instructional Services Specialist</p>
<p>4. Transitional Kindergarten - Patricia Oropeza introduced Dr Jennifer De Anda. Dr De Anda stated she will be sharing two opportunities coming up for students. The first opportunity she would like to share is in transitional kindergarten. She continued to share what transitional kindergarten is and why it was implemented. Dr. De Anda covered the regulations and funding for the program. She shared the options parents have for their children. Dr. De Anda will be back next month to share on the second program. She took some parent questions.</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Dr. Jennifer De Anda, Director, Instructional Services</p>
<p>5. Nutritional Services - Esther introduced Ginkgo Lueder to share some information on nutritional services. Ms. Lueder shared programs offered through nutritional services. She shared that all the fresh produce is from local farmers. It allows RUSD to share different fruits and vegetables that students might not have tried before. Ms. Leuder shared about the CalFresh Healthy Living grant. She continued to share the different programs that are available to students. She took some parent questions and comments.</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Ginkgo Lueder</p>
<p>6. Teacher Certification - Patricia introduced Mr. Wilson Cuellar. Mr. Cuellar thanked DELAC for</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Wilson Cuellar Assist. Director, Certificated Personnel</p>

<p>allowing him to share. Mr. Cuellar shared the qualifications teachers need to teach English Learners including CLAD certification. He also shared the number of teachers in RUSD that are certified and the number of teachers with CLAD certification. He also shared that there are some teachers that do not have the certificate, and while they are earning the certificate they are still able to teach English learners. We also have teachers that teach in Spanish. We have some schools that teach Dual Language Immersion. These teachers have a different certificate, which is BCLAD. His office monitors that all certificates for either teacher are current. He took some parent questions and comments.</p>	
<p>7. EL Master Plan - Patricia introduced Esther Garcia. Mrs. Garcia will be presenting on the master plan for English learners. She explained the revision that occurred and the California English Learner Roadmap. She explained that the name was changed from EL Master to Plan to Guide for Educating English Learners. She discussed the mission and the RUSD Values. Mrs.Garcia shared the number of English Learners and the purpose of the guide for RUSD. She continued to share about the Master plan, including the curriculum used in the classroom. She explained the different titles. Mrs. Garcia asked the parents to share comments and suggestions for the EL Master Plan. Esther took some questions from the parents.</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Esther Garcia Coordinator English Learner K-12</p>
<p>8. Family Resource Center - Mrs. Patricia introduced Susana from the Family Resource Center. Susana shared different workshops and resources being offered through the family resource center this month.</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Susana Zamudio Coordinated Family Services Supervisor</p>
<p>9. Closing - Patricia thanked everyone for attending today's meeting and invited everyone to join us again next month, April 27 , 2022. Meeting adjourned at 11:02 am.</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Patricia Oropeza DELAC Vice President</p>