

## School Site Council Meeting Minutes 12/4/2025

- Meeting was called to order by Principal Julianne Ettinger at 2:38 PM
- Members are now to look over today's SSC agenda of date December 4, 2025
- Dayrl Santos motions to pass minutes from October 2nd SSC meeting
- Ashley Modiano seconds to pass minutes from October 2nd SSC meeting
- Principal Ettinger is now to go over Hermosa's School Safety Plan
- The School Safety Plan needs to be passed and signed by a Principal, Classified, Credentialed and President; Principal Ettinger, SSA Gisselle Ortiz, Teacher Daryl Santos and Amy Dudich
- School Safety Plan is sent to the district office as it is shown as evidence to how Hermosa keeps our school safe which is due in March/2026 but is to be started to work on now in December/2025
- Safe School Action (long) plan will be studied by our parents then will also go through the Safe School Action (short) plan for better grasping at a different extent
- About 5 minutes are given to our committee members to go through the short Safe School Action Plan
- There is a lot of input of importance of SEL just as much as the physical health
- Daryl inputted to add Rising Stars into our Safe School Action Plan— Ettinger agreed would be an amazing asset to include
- Daryl also shared that teachers send out Sunday messages just like Principal Ettinger does— Ettinger will add that to the Parent communication portion
- Dona inputted that Kindness Club has been such a hit for the students and teachers/office staff are seeing that be a difference
- Kindness Club is so important as we want Hermosa to be known as a school that drives kindness in all aspects while being in school
- Amy asked how Kindness Club is only for upper grades— Ettinger answered that the upper graders are just promoting the club and creating the projects while the primary students can still be involved for the school wide projects!
- Ettinger shared how there have been so many projects already being worked on depending on the season and the ideas the students create (I'm thankful for poster in front of the school by SSA Gisselle greeting)
- Jenny shares how important the kindness aspect is here and how evident it is in our students "Every snowflake is unique, just like our students"
- Ettinger asked committee members if they would be willing to still sign the school safety plan today (12/4/2025) knowing that there are a few things to add in there (what we stated up there) Committee said yes, they are in agreeance
- Principal Ettinger had Teachers; Dona Miller, Corina Brewster, Daryl Santos and President Amy Dudich signed the approval of the Safe School Action Plan

- Principal Ettinger and SSA Ortiz went ahead and shared more about OC Grip, parent workshops, Hazel Health, Daybreak, other resources shared in the safe school action plan
- Short and Long Safe School Action Plan was motioned and approved by Corina Brewster
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- According to the CA school dashboard– Hermosa has improved in attendance/chronic absenteeism from yellow to green!
- Suspension rate went from green to yellow, not exactly where we want to be however there could have been just one suspension made this year compared to last year to have had made that difference (not where we want to focus and alter the most, there are other subgroups we would like to see improve as suspension is done when there is no other way of consequence)
- EL progress has no performance color as we did not have enough students to group up as English Learning
- ELA is in the green and has been maintained which is amazing to see, we would like to see student growth at all times... GO teachers!!!
- Science is in the blue which is amazing, again thank you fifth grade teachers as this data represents what that grade has been taught in that subject
- We are proud of our great scores but as we shared before, every student is unique and there are different ways to target growth and continually look at their progress
- There is no color like we stated for the EL progress it is something we are still going to work towards to improve on
- Amy asked if home visits are still being done if students attendance are not improving– Ettinger answered YES, SSA Gisselle works with the Community Liaisons, SRO (Student resource officers), office staff to conduct one if necessary
- Principal Ettinger is moving next SSC meeting from January to possibly February
- Meeting adjourned at 3:30 PM