

SCHOOL: _____
English Learner Advisory Committee (ELAC)
Needs Assessment Survey – 2025-26

You are receiving this survey because your student is identified as an English learner in the Vista Unified School District (VUSD) and they are not yet proficient in academic English. Your opinion is very important to improve services for English learners.

Please answer each statement by selecting one option:

1. I feel informed about the state-mandated assessment ELPAC and how it impacts my student's education.

Strongly Agree Agree Disagree Strongly Disagree

2. I feel informed about reclassification and its impact on my student's education.

Strongly Agree Agree Disagree Strongly Disagree

3. I feel informed about English Language Development (ELD) and support provided.

Strongly Agree Agree Disagree Strongly Disagree

4. I feel informed about the language development programs for English Learners in the district.

Strongly Agree Agree Disagree Strongly Disagree

5. I feel accepted and welcomed when I visit the school.

Strongly Agree Agree Disagree Strongly Disagree

6. I know who to contact at the school if I need help.

Strongly Agree Agree Disagree Strongly Disagree

7. I feel the school values and respects my family's culture and language.

Strongly Agree Agree Disagree Strongly Disagree

8. I feel informed about how funds for English Learner programs are used.

Strongly Agree Agree Disagree Strongly Disagree

9. I feel informed about the importance of regular school attendance and the impact on student learning.

Strongly Agree Agree Disagree Strongly Disagree

10. I know the purpose of ELAC (English Learner Advisory Committee) and its responsibilities.

Strongly Agree Agree Disagree Strongly Disagree

11. What impedes your participation in ELAC?

- I already participate in the committee
- Lack of time
- Job
- Transportation
- Meeting schedule
- I don't know what ELAC is
- I do not receive information regarding the committee
- Other: _____

12. What suggestions do you have for improving communication with the school?

13. Would you like someone from the school to contact you to give you more information or support?

- No
- Yes: Name: _____ Phone Number _____

Topic: Select all that apply

- Reclassification
- ELPAC English exam
- ELAC Committee (English Learner Advisory Committee)
- Learning strategies to use at home
- Homework Help (Grades 6-12)
- English language acquisition programs
- Other: _____

14. What workshops would you be interested in learning about the English development program?

Topic: Select all that apply

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