



Vessels Elementary Schoolsite Council (SSC) Meeting Notes

I. Meeting called to order 2/10/26 3:05 p.m.

II. Attending

1. Stacy Burke
2. Mark Holman
3. Michael Lasky
4. Charissa McCord
5. Annika Miyashiro-Ruiz
6. Felix Pham
7. Melinda Rowley
8. Karrie Takeuchi
9. John Tosh (absent)

III. Announcements

- Approved meeting notes from 12/09/25.

IV. Discussion

Takeuchi did not have an update to the District English Learner Advisory Committee (DELAC).

Holman discussed a concern about attendance and recommended a website <https://caschooldashboard.org/reports/30664806027833/2025> for school statistics. The chronic absenteeism is the most concerning, but made a slight improvement this school year.

Holman shared about the recent California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress (CAASPP) and the English Language Proficiency Assessments for California (ELPAC) improvement in test scores for grades 3rd-6th. ELA gained 2.93% and MATH 1.73%.

Holman reviewed upcoming PTA events and holidays.

Miyashiro-Ruiz requested more information about district policies regarding / creating an Independent Studies Program which would help improve absences and keep students on track with studies while away on vacation. Holman noted and will discuss in a future meeting.

Pham wanted to learn more about the absentee patterns and if they correlate to holidays or other neighboring schools days off. He asked Holman to learn more about the Calendar Committee and how non-student days are selected.

Open to incentive suggestions to help encourage better attendance. Please email ideas to mholman@cypsd.org.

V. Summary

Pham adjourned the meeting at 3:37 p.m. Next meeting set for Tuesday, May 19, 2026 at 3:05 pm. via Zoom.