

# Discovery Charter School

## ELAC Meeting/Junta de ELAC

December 1, 2022/1 de diciembre 2022

### Agenda

1. Meeting called to order/Llamar a la junta
  - Mrs. Alamo called the meeting to order at 8:30am
2. Welcome/Bienvenidos
  - Mr. MacGaffey welcomed everyone and thanked them for their attendance
3. New Business/Asuntos nuevos
  - a. Reclassification of English Learners/Reclasificación de estudiantes de aprendizaje de inglés
    - o Ms. Ulloa shared we reclassified 24 students (7-6<sup>th</sup> and 4-8<sup>th</sup>), which is the highest amount we've ever had. She explained the importance of 6<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> graders being reclassified
  - b. Upcoming ELPAC/Proximo ELPAC
    - o Ms. Ulloa shared the testing dates and explained that teachers will be offering tutoring to students to help prepare them for the assessment. They will send home more information at the end of the quarter
  - c. How to support your child with homework/Como ayudar a su hijo con tarea
    - o Mr. MacGaffey explained the difference in importance of homework in primary vs upper grades. If your child gets frustrated, stop. Students should not reach frustration level and parents should not have to be watching YouTube videos to learn how to do the math so they can teach it to their child. Homework should be a review or extra practice. Parents are encouraged to contact the teacher if their child is struggling.
  - d. Supporting literacy and language at home/Apoyando lengua y literatura en casa
    - o Mrs. Alamo presented on supporting with listening, speaking, reading, and writing at home. She gave examples of easy and fun ways parents can encourage their children to practice speaking and listening skills. She said the PowerPoint would be posted on the school's website for parents to refer to
4. Public Announcements/Anuncios públicos
  - a. DELAC Report/Reporte de DELAC
    - o Ms. Matsubara and Ms. Villa Bueno shared that Dr. McLaren spoke about B-LAC and encouraged to get the word out to the community about the meetings. What was most impactful was the attendance presentation from Ms. Forehand. They didn't realize how much student attendance would impact schools and how much money the district is losing
5. Meeting Adjournment/Cerrar la session
6. Next meeting January 31/La próxima reunion será el 31 de enero