



District Advisory Council (DAC)
Central Union School District Presentation Center
May 30, 2019
8:30 – 10:30 am

Please note the DAC meeting will be held at Central Union School District located at 15783 Eighteenth Avenue Lemoore, CA. The district telephone number is 559-924-3405. When you arrive at the district please check in at the main office and they will direct you to the meeting room.

- i. Call the meeting to Order
 - ✓ Welcome and Introductions

Ms. Williams-Lozano called the meeting to order at 8:33 am. Attendees introduced themselves.

The following individuals were in attendance: Elizabethe Williams-Lozano, Darin Denney, Nancy Davis, Courtney Kirchman, Christina Gonzales, Joshua Norris, Martha Maciel, Nataly Llamas, Danny Llamas, Margaret Gladders, John Raven and Steve Tashima.

Council Members absent: Mayra Figueroa-Alvarado and Azucena Mendez.

- ii. Approval or Correction of the Minutes
 - ✓ January 31, 2019 DAC meeting

Motion made to accept the minutes with the correction of adding the attendance record to the minutes by Mr. Llamas. Motion seconded by Mr. Norris. All in favor.

- iii. Committee Reports

Ms. Williams-Lozano shared where the District is going, what the plans are for next year and how that aligns with the over-arching goals set by the District. Ms. Williams-Lozano gave a short presentation of what a Multi-Tier System of Support is, the tiers, how that fits in with assessments/screeners and what is going on both at the District Administration level and with the teachers on campus.

- ✓ Understanding a Multi-Tier System of Support (EL)

This philosophy focuses on the whole student; academics, behavior and social emotional. Ms. Williams-Lozano reviewed the MTSS tool box; School Programs, Best Practices, Trainings and Assessments.

1. Tier 1 - Universal Access
 - Core Curriculum and Connectiveness Plan – Applies to all students*
2. Tier II – Targeted Interventions
 - Falls slightly below grade level proficiency – Applies to some students*
3. Tier III – Intensive Intervention
 - Falls well below grade level proficiency – Applies to few students*

Ms. Williams-Lozano shared next year's focus will be the RTI and Taking Action concepts. This will be implemented at the Administration level and passed down to the teaching staff.

Ms. Williams-Lozano explained the assessment/screener process and the information provided by the screeners.

Ms. Williams-Lozano introduced Mr. John Raven.

✓ Special Education (JR)

1. What is it?

Mr. Raven briefly explained what Special Education means and the services provided by Central Union School District. Mr. Raven encouraged the use of the District website as a parent resource for student services. Mr. Raven shared the District currently employs 1 psychologist and 2 counselors. Ms. Williams-Lozano went over the schedules of the psychologist and 2 counselors and how this scheduling will best serve the student population.

2. How are services provided?

Mr. Raven explained the special education process and services available. Ms. Gladders asked about how the process may vary when a student is coming from a different state and has an existing IEP in place. Mr. Raven explained that process. That services can be provided as stated in the existing plan or the District will do an assessment and determine eligibility and services needed.

3. What should I know as a parent?

Mr. Raven went over the processes within the Special Education umbrella, the resources available and Central Union School District's commitment to the success of all students.

iv. Questions or Concerns

Ms. Williams-Lozano went over the proposed DAC meeting dates for the 2019-2020 year.

Ms. Williams-Lozano announced Ms. Davis' retirement and thanked her for her service.

v. Future DAC Meeting Dates 8:30 am

✓ 2019 – 2020

October 17, 2019

February 20, 2020

April 23, 2020

Ms. Kirchman made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 9:36am. Ms. Gladders seconded the motion. All in favor. The meeting was adjourned at 9:36am.