

OUR MISSION

The Alamo Heights Independent School District, the heart of our community whose passion is excellence, will educate and empower every student to excel academically as a confident, compassionate citizen with impeccable character and a global perspective through engaging, personally challenging, and relevant experiences that inspire learning for life.

BELIEFS

- All individuals have inherent value.
- All individuals have immeasurable potential.
- All individuals have a responsibility to themselves and others.
- All individuals have an inner desire to learn.
- Diversity enhances life.
- The home environment establishes the foundation for learning.
- Building supportive relationships impacts individual growth.
- Responsible choices are key to a healthy, balanced life.
- High expectations and challenge, combined with a strong work ethic, are essential to learning.

OBJECTIVES

- Each student will graduate with a competitive edge from a personally challenging academic program prepared to positively impact the world.
- Each student will be a good citizen with impeccable character who demonstrates a deep understanding of the world and the importance of contributing to local, national, and world communities.
- Each student will be physically fit and have a healthy mind and soul.
- Each student will cultivate an awe, wonder, and thirst for learning, discovery, and the beauty of the world.
- Each student will pursue individual dreams and boldly challenge the impossible.

PARAMETERS

- We will base all decisions on what is best for our students.
- We will not confine our thinking to the limits of our existing organization.
- We will not accept mediocrity in students or staff.
- We will treat all people with dignity and respect.
- We will not compromise excellence.

District Education Advisory Council

Agenda: 11:30 AM Wednesday, September 18, 2019

I. Lunch, Welcome & Introductions (15 minutes)

II. Overview of Roles & Responsibilities of DEAC (5 minutes)

III. Business & Planning (30 minutes)

A. DEAC Calendar Subcommittee Meeting (elem & sec teacher; parents)

Monday, October 14th - 4:30-5:30 PM in the Board Room at Central Office

B. Bond Update

C. HS Commons Update

D. Legislative Updates

E. Revisiting our Strategic Direction

F. Federal Programs Overview (Dr. Walker)

G. Federal Programs subgroup

Monday, May 11th - 4:30-5:30 PM in the Board Room at Central Office

IV. Learning Time (20 minutes)

A. Community-Based Accountability System - Dr. Jimmie Walker

V. Rotations (20 minutes)

A. Wellness Plan SHAC Annual Evaluation - Dr. Frank Alfaro

B. Grading - Dr. Jimmie Walker

C. AHISD Character Education update - Dr. Kristen Ascencao

VI. Next Meeting: Wednesday, November 13, 2019