

Hello hello welcome it is 12:01 so we're just going to wait a couple more minutes to see if any other caretakers join but thank you so much for being here today. First I will share in the chat our agenda for today and I'll just make sure that the slides are viewable as well and here are the slides in case you want to follow along and welcome. Miss Marisol, thank you for being here today! Happy Thursday before the long weekend you've got Memorial Day weekend this weekend. I know everyone's looking forward to that all right. Well, we have our English learner advisory committee meeting today so thank you again for being here. I've put the agenda in the chat as well as the slides for today we also have our calendar this is our last elac meeting of the whole year so thank you for being here to help us round out the year so we are here on our last meeting of the year we will continue next year as well but you can see all of the tasks and topics that we have talked about all year this year and we'll go ahead and get started so just some notes on participating using Zoom if you have any questions feel free to drop them in the chat and then we also have the captions going there should be a captions button if you're not seeing it on your end you can turn that on with this button and here's the button for the chat if there's anything you'd like to share and my co-pilot message so our host for today we have our lead coordinator of the English language development department which is Leticia barcenas thank you for being here with me today and we also have our Elite and EL coordinator Powell she is the EL teacher for 11th and 12th grade high school students and my name is Taylor Moreno and I'm the High School EL coordinator teacher for 9th and 10th grade the bear welcome first of all we are just going to approve the minutes and our agenda from our last meeting review we're going to present some information today about our graduation rate from 2022 to 2023 school year same with the suspension rate and will also go over reclassification criteria in other words when students graduate out of the ELD program and discuss some points on EL monitoring how we support students after they requestify and we have some resources for you so are you like beating purpose all parents of all students on all School sites have a voice this is the site's responsibility to provide opportunities for all parents to advise the school on services for their students so we would love your feedback and I'm going to show some modalities some options for you to provide your feedback one of which of course is the chat and the padlet which the link is in the chat there and are you like meetings are scheduled to provide time to discuss evaluate and advocate for improved services for English Learners to assist in the development of El Cap including budget recommendation with and then also being able to report that information back so that we can advocate for more resources and funding for our students so I would like to put forth the approval of minutes from our February 8th meeting we have the links here in the presentation also translated in Spanish so you are welcome to address any questions concerns regarding our English learner program or if you have any comments you can place it on the collaboration board may I have a second to approve our minutes thank you all right and here is our parent collaboration board so you can provide any notes here just click the plus button and this will be recorded in the parent collaboration board so that parents maybe who weren't able to attend the meeting today you can add this during our meeting today or if you have thoughts later on down the road you can save this link and add it here we will come back to check your

questions concerns and suggestions and incorporate that into our practice going forward we also have our bylaws which I will go over our bylaws just provide the structure for our elac committee so we do have our name we also have the opportunity for officers and the roles of officers next year we will have an open opportunity for parents to nominate themselves or nominate another parent to serve in these roles of officers and so you can look forward to that next year and of course our elac responsibilities we are responsible for the following tasks advise the plan to our advisory committee for consideration assisting in the development of school-wide needs ways to make parents aware of important and regular School attendance and each election have nominated officer elections this year we did not have anyone nominated but next year we are looking forward to having that structure as well and I will pass it to miss to discuss graduation rates Ms Taylor I'm going to go ahead and discuss the graduation rate if you can go ahead and take a look basically the graduation rate is based on the number of high school students who graduate with a regular high school diploma in either four or five years so back in 2022 our graduation rate was 86.3% and for 2023 our graduation rate is at 78.4% so it did decline working very hard with their students to go ahead and increase that graduation rate by having progress monitoring meetings with their students meeting with them individually just to get them to pass their courses and of course we always we also have a project success that can go ahead and take any that can take credit recovery courses okay go to the next slide and that just kind of indicates the different subgroups and that was from based on 2022 and if you can go ahead and go to the next slide please Taylor okay the colors so that's why you see the red and the orange but those are the basically we're looking at really looking at the student that the areas or the groups that are in red okay so we have all students of the social economically disadvantage in the Hispanic group okay next So based on the suspension rate if you can go ahead and notice both for 2022 and 2023 we are at 0%, which is where we want our school to be at so we're doing really well on that category hey can you go ahead and go on and this is again the different subgroups and of course ever been suspended and if we go to 2023 we're doing great wearing blue that's where we want to be if you want to be in blue in all those subgroups okay let's go ahead and let's move on before we move on do you have any questions on the suspension rate or the graduation rate pitch perfect thank you okay so I'm going to go ahead and move on and we're going to go ahead and go into the reconstitution criteria now this is this is a criteria that is set by the state of California and we have the follow it so there are four items here that the student must meet the first one is the assessment the Alpac assessment and your student needs to receive an overall the second criteria is a teacher evaluation basically we cut we look at the academic performance especially in the in the English language arts area and they do need to get a seat or better and the third component is a basic skills relative to English proficiency they do need to get exceeded or met standard in that area or we also can look at the I ready and they do need to be at grade level for that okay and then the last component is of course getting our parent approval right we need that parent approval to go ahead and move forward with those four me or the ELD teacher and congratulating you that your student has met the criteria to requestify okay Taylor Taylor criteria okay thank you so the high school and middle school reclassification criteria is

very similar to what was just explained but in step three at the middle school and high school level students on the smarter balanced Ela assessment can have exceeded met standard or nearly met standard so there's a little bit more wiggle room in that qualification there but same eating a c or better in their English language arts course showing that they exceeded met standard or nearly met standard on the smarter balanced or we can also use their scores from the map assessments which all high school students take three times a year so they have three opportunities throughout the year to earn a strong score there so they can request and then of course step 4 is Consulting with the parent to celebrate their achievement of every classifying out of the ELD program now what happens after students graduate out of the ELD program we don't just send them off without any support they are monitored by our ELD teachers for 4 years to ensure that they have the support that they need to maintain that see or better in their English language arts course and so we have many students who go on to honors English courses AP English courses so we keep an eye on them and make sure that they receive the support needed even after they graduate so we do two calls with the student per year and we get a feedback from their English language arts teacher and set up an action plan if the student needs any additional support we're there to catch them before they fall and this year something new that we're doing that we're very excited about is the reclassification celebrations so we really wanted to take some time for students to celebrate the awesome achievement of becoming a fluent multilingual academic scholar and so we do have the elementary middle school and high school classification celebrations funny virtually that as many students who can attend are able to show and so if you have an elementary school student that will be on June 6th at 12:00 your student should have received a Webmail invitation and it'll be added to their planner if they reclassified this year same with middle school students except theirs is on May 31st at 2:30 and the high school level we are doing ours on May 30th at 1:00 so you can contact any of these teachers if you have questions about it but if your student requested this year we're excited to celebrate their achievement or even going to be sending home some school swag so they can wear that with pride as they go forward in their Journey and as I mentioned earlier this is our last committee meeting so we just wanted to put out this flyer that we will be continuing these meetings next year we hope that they grow we're going to be expanding it to include parents from all of our school locations and so if you know any other parents who have students at our school and are in our English language development program we will continue having our elac committee and we also promised some resources that you can take into the summer to support your student to kind of battle that summer slide you know over those two months where students are not receiving instruction a lot of times they're they're reading skills May kind of slide back a little bit so we have some of these summer reading programs at local library found from a Southern California regions so if you have a public library near you or you're close to one of these on the list they do have a summer reading program that your student can participate in so they so that they keep their reading skills sharp over the summer okay and we're really excited to announce additional resources for the parent Region online enrollment process so we are switching enrollment system we have some resources here we have a guide here first for you to create your parent Square

account parent square is going to be our new notification system what's really cool about parent Square you can have it on your desktop you can also download an app to your phone so anytime the school has a new announcement you'll get a notification on your phone or you can log in on your computer anytime to check the notifications if you would like the Spire translated when you open this link all you have to do is Click these three dots in the upper right hand corner select translate and then you can pick your language so there I just translated it to Russian but you can pick any language you can choose another language here click the drop down and select a different language here too okay and you can scan this QR code with your phone just give it a quick scan with your camera and it will guide you in setting up your account now one of the tasks or one of the announcements and parent square is to complete your reg online application for enrollment next year so we have guides in English Spanish Arabic and Russian here I'll go ahead and drop the link but you also have the link to the slides if anyone needs any other languages here these are the written instructions with screenshots yes go ahead sorry about that I have a question I just don't know my kids on December I already had a parent Square app and account but I do receive the the messages from California Public Schools but somehow they still send me from the other old school messages and I don't know if the cow I don't know Collide or I don't know what happened but they're like kind of giving me message from both sides and I was wondering because when I tried to do the enrollment with a link and I said I returning student it just went through a link where I had a like do all over again so I'm like I wasn't and I have two students it's a first grader with special education one and a third grader and on both the same thing so I'm like I was wondering if I need to like re-enroll like all submit all the paperwork by bee and all this stuff that's a great question I'm glad that you brought that up because we're switching systems we have to have your information like newly input under new student and that's part of what this guide will guide like show you in doing however you do not have to upload new documents there is a field there where the system is going to make you upload something we have talked with our enrollment team just last week you can upload like a blank document I know it feels a little weird but the system just requires that you upload something but we do have your files on file with us in our previous system and so with the enrollment team will do is once you fill out everything your application might still say that it's incomplete but once you start the application our enrollment team is notified and they'll go in view your application and Market complete for you so those details are updated here in the guide and then we also have on the next slide here someone from our enrollment team recorded a video walking you through the process so you know exactly what you have to submit and the things that you don't have to submit because we did get some feedback from parents that is a little confusing it looked like you had to start all over again but we're going to match your application with the documents and information that we already have on file from when you enrolled your student in December I'm ready did you have anything to add to that or did I maybe we should show the video and we can go over it that way perfect okay so here's the video link and let me grab the passcode here so when you watch the video you just want to make sure you include that little star and watch recording and you should be able to hear the sound let me know for some reason the sounds not

working hello my name is Rachel and I am a general enrollment coordinator here at California online Public School the purpose of this video is to walk you through how to create an intend to return application in our Region online system it is a 20 minute video so should I perhaps like skip through certain parts or can you tell us like we're specifically you you're stuck at so we can help you right there yeah when I click that returning student well it maybe it's because I did it through my cell phone maybe it needs to be done like through a laptop and other device that it could expand all the information cuz I got stuck for the school of residences that supposed to be like the school that used to be like a normal school district before or cuz I got stuck in there I'm like okay if he's an online school then should I put the one that used to go like around here the home school the residential one or Northern California is that the one Marisol like it's it tells you which you have to pick there's six schools no no noise just tell me a blank about what's the school residential so I'm like okay so it's not telling which one is the home one or or the one that he's supposed to go but because I switched them online school I don't know that's why I got confused and I stopped doing the the process because I did it I got stuck in there did I hear you mention you enrolled your student just this last December right yes both of them on December yeah they started on December with a school year online okay and this is one of the things that we're trying to clarify cuz it is a little confusing on our part so we apologize just cuz we're switching systems but if your student was not enrolled last year then when you submit your application you're actually going to select new student application rather than returning to return and that's confusing but we're here to clarify that and help here so you would select new student application and then this drop-down I don't know if you can see cuz it's kind of small but we do have the guides linked for whenever you want to complete this you'll do intent to return registration window 2024-2025 and then fill out the basic information for the student when finished save new student record then continue filling out all the information so I'll scroll down you will list California online Public Schools as your students most recent school of attendance not the school they attended prior to enrolling with our program so does that help with that question so as as they make the change as the name as California online Public Schools I'm going to put that as the most recent but like before it was the California Connection Academy so we're not going to put that anymore instead the California line right yes yeah thank you and that's such a helpful question cuz any parents who weren't able to attend today are likely having a similar question and so they'll be able to have this resource in the recording so thank you so much yeah and then you would continue with the guide here it looks like you would just continue filling out the student record information you don't have to submit any documents and then you can sign and put your digital signature there and then on our slides we do have that video so if you want to watch the video and follow along with the steps you can do that too so and then I also added on the padlet I'm going to look into this question of how you can disconnect parent Square notifications from previous school so that you aren't getting them from our school and your students previous schools so before I move on any go ahead yes any questions no no at the moment thank you so much okay my pleasure yes absolutely thank you all right so let me just get this on the big screen again okay that was perfect yes we got to dive into

the enrollment process and our enrollment team has promised us it's just a little weird this year since we are transferring systems but next year the enrollment process is going to be so much easier it will be a breeze and we have been assured and just in case there is a if you get stuck you can reach out to us but we do have the enrollment help at California so this email right here you can send an email to receive help you can also send a request ticket for someone to call you and then if you want to just give them a direct call there's also this 800 number here where we have Representatives who are happy to help you with any questions so just in case is a backup we're here to support if you have any additional questions for us and I make sure there are no other questions I don't think there were but if there are any last questions well I just have two students enrolled by the school but I do have two older kids which are in high school another school not this school I anytime of the year the school year they could do that reclassification again for that ELD or no cuz I was wondering they always get it every year and my older kid is always like straight A's and I was wondering she only has a plan for for a special foundation for him but I was wondering like is this reclassification going on like all the year round or it's just only this specific time of the school year it is usually it happens at the beginning of the school year in in your you said that money so that that your students attend another school so sometimes it's at the beginning of the school year and also right before they begin testing for the elpac so like in February being on saying ELD they have an overall four and they do have the grade did you say that your your student has an IEP no the older kid because he said okay goes like through the testing but lately because both kids one is 9th grader the other ones 10th grader they send me a link an email I'm sorry from the school saying that I could read classify my student but they were not specific clothes student or if I could do both it's just very like a couple of weeks a social media where they did this thing for celebration you were talking about same thing but on a weekend so I was wondering like okay so maybe I passed it or I stupid contact the school and let them know but yeah those were my dogs because I'm so busy with my online kids here at home that I just can't attend the other school and have the information so that's why I was wondering no and you can go ahead and call the school and you can ask them that you want to go ahead and speak with their EOD coordinator and ask if they if your child has been reclassified and just tell him that you did receive a notification and you just wanted to follow up and check and see if your students okay perfect thank you so much awesome thank you for asking that yeah especially if they're in high school and they're looking to do maybe like a summer job or summer internships that's something they can definitely add to their resume being a multilingual student so if they did reclassify we're very excited for them and were there any other questions we still have time so if there's more questions send them our way okay so because of the person I am roll my kids here I remember receiving that email from the school saying that they return material or they cuz they used to return it's kind of like I understand it like that like at the end of the story they returned that all the equipment that was borrow like the laptop and all that stuff like that you don't need to return nothing I was wondering like I'm saving the boxes to return the laptops but I was wondering like is it is it not when can I get that information or where I am pretty sure what grades are your students first grade and third grade oh boy I know what the middle and high

school level would be The Home Room teacher helping with that but at the elementary level I'm not sure I know next year we're going to be getting new laptops all students are going to be getting a new Chromebook how they are going to return devices yet I don't know I have yeah I'm not sure but that's something that maybe we can ask but in the question in the tablet so we can go ahead and find out and before we send like all this material to parents will find out like all these questions the answer to all these questions any other questions don't feel sometimes with the males and things that it's going on right now it's almost the school ending and I just wanted to know thank you those are great questions for us to add we'll get the answers to that and awesome thank you so much will that brings us to the end of our meeting today again this is our last elac meeting of the school year so next year we plan on having about four throughout the school year to each semester so keep an eye out for those invites and if you have any additional questions or comments we have all of our contact information here so I will make a movement to adjourn our meeting sorry I have another question education kid he has autism too and he never has taken the the test the elpac and it is really did it like a month ago because the obviously that the special education teacher requested it and they told me they could have like a specifically Dad or I don't know if they just put it randomly or do I have to tell the manager case or I just need when there's an IEP meeting to request it or how will that work when when the Proctor is contacting you then we can go ahead and you can say well you know what I would like to request that you would like to request an in-person session versus remote testing and then we can go ahead and accommodate your request okay perfect thank you so much last call for any last questions or comments we want to express how thankful we are for the parents who have taken the time out of their day to attend our meetings this year we're looking forward to continuing our elac meetings next year so thank you so much everyone and I'll go ahead and stop the recording I hope you all enjoy the long weekend with Memorial Day