San Diego Workforce Innovation High
School 2026 – 27 Quarter 2 English Learner
Advisory Committee Minutes

November 17, 2026 @ 6:00 PM – 1535 E. Valley Parkway. Escondido, CA 92027

I. Welcome and Introductions

a. Start time- 5:52pm

b. Total attendants: _20_

i. Parents - 3

ii.Students - _4_

ii. Staff - _12_

II. School Updates

a. Tammy - Welcome and Introduction:
Covered agenda for the meeting.

b. Tammy - new staff introductions:
(Vanessa Villarreal, JAG Specialist, Lariece Reyna, CTE Para).

c. Tammy - EL Program informational presentation & encouraged students and parents to attend ELPAC.

d. Guest Presentation - Hector Oviedo of Alliance San Diego: "We are a Legal Rights Department, we provide the services of an immigration law firm as a nonprofit." They offer free consultation services to assess eligibility of cases. They have a focus on education and outreach, informing the community about their rights. Every 2nd and 4th Wednesday,130pm to 500pm have zoom workshops for consultations.

III. LCAP Goals (Review Goals and Feedback)

a. Review 2026 – 2027 School Year Goals

i. Goal 1 - Increase Academic Progress.
Gave a moment for parents/students to consult with supervising teachers on the question - How can we improve student pacing?

ii. Goal 2 - Increase Student Attendance.
Gave a moment for parents/students to consult with supervising teachers on the question - How can we improve student attendance?

iii. Goal 3 - College and Career Readiness
Gave a moment for parents/students to consult with supervising teachers on the questions - Which college and career readiness events have your students attended so far? Does your student have a plan for after graduation?

iv. Goal 4 - Parent Engagement
Gave a moment for parents/students to consult with supervising teachers on the question - Are there any other ways that you would like to be engaged?

IV. Grants Update

a. Clements covering LREBG (Learning Recovery Emergency Block Grant)
   i. "...state funding that addresses learning losses from Covid. Not just academically, but socio-emotionally as well. Receiving $44,518 across 11 learning centers to close achievement gaps and support student wellness."
   ii. Parents given QR code for brief survey on most important strategies. (mental health support, tutoring, intervention programs, education staffing)

V. Comprehensive Support and Improvement Plan (CSI)

a. Tammy: "The county office of education is working with us, monitoring our improvements, and our grad rate has improved by 8% since last year."

VI. Plan Updates, Differentiated Assistance, and more Grant Updates

a. Briefly discussed all supports we offer for students, stressed the importance of credit completion and highlighted new implementation of weekly, personalized credit plans.
b. Parents were given QR code to voice approval or disapproval of strategies implemented at our site.
c. Tammy covered SSPDBG Grants Update, CTEIG Grants as well as amount of funding.

VII. JAG/CTE Updates

a. Vanessa Villarreal covered JAG opportunities for students. "We pay for your certification, offer travel experiences and field trips"
b. Lareice Reyna covered CTE Pathways. CNA, Medical Office Assistant, Digital Technology, Culinary Pre-Apprenticeship, Digital Marketing, Assistant Preschool Teacher, and Business Development. Highlighted first student who acquired digital tech compTIA certification.

VIII. Counselor Updates

a. Thomas reflected on successful field trips and guest speakers. Highlighted central courthouse trip, shared photos of the mock trial. USD Field trip scheduled for November 19th cancelled, informed parents and students.
b. Upcoming College and Career Expo - December 16th. All schools in the region attending, all grade levels of students may attend.
c. Senior Updates - Credit deadlines, portrait day, grad orientation and slide due dates listed. Also listed dates for Disneyland trip, Graduation, and FAFSA application deadlines.

IX. BLAM Update

a. Gwana: Played video about the BLAM challenge. Requested donations for clothing, personal hygiene products. Locations and dates for donation shared - including donation boxes at the Escondido site.
b. Gwana: Listed upcoming holiday dates and credit deadlines for graduation.

X. Student Awards

a. Many proud students and families.

XI. Next Meeting Date: 2/24/27

XII. Meeting Ended: 7:00pm