


Roeding Elementary

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Roeding Elementary School Site Council By-Laws

Article I

Name of Council

The name of this council shall be Roeding School Site Council.

Article II

Role of the council

Role of the School Site Council

The School Site Council (SSC) shall develop and recommend the Single Plan for Student Achievement (SPSA including the budgets that support the plan, to meet student academic need. Following approval of a school improvement plan by the school district governing board, the SSC shall review a minimum of one time per year the implementation of the school improvement program and assess the effectiveness of the program with the principal, teachers, other school personnel, and pupils using the district criteria in Board Policy 6191. The SSC shall annually review SSC bylaws and the school dress code and make modifications to the school improvement plan or budget when necessary. The SSC shall carry out all other duties and responsibilities assigned by the district governing board and any state or federal laws and related codes of the State of California.

Role of Board of Education

To the extent that these bylaws are silent on an issue, or to the extent these bylaws are ambiguous, the SSC delegates to the Fresno Unified School District Board of Education the authority to interpret the bylaws or adopt appropriate rules in the sole discretion of the Board of Education. To the extent that the SSC fails to perform its duties as set forth in these bylaws, the SSC delegates to the Fresno Unified School District Board of Education the authority to perform those duties on behalf of the SSC.

Code of Conduct

Among other things, these values require that SSC members:

1. Shall attend noticed meetings regularly.
2. Shall follow State and Federal law and guidance and FUSD Board Policy in the development of the site plan and otherwise.
3. Shall follow the site SSC bylaws.
4. Shall assess consensus of the people who elected them with a method that has been discussed and documented at an SSC meeting on the development of the site single plan for student achievement.
5. Shall conduct all SSC business in a courteous, professional manner.
6. Shall perform their legal duty to develop, monitor and implement the single plan for student achievement site plan. SSC members shall work cooperatively, working speedily to resolve any conflict so as not to jeopardize completion of the site plan.
7. Shall work together to maximize student academic achievement of state content and performance standards.
8. Shall not use their role as SSC members to unduly influence personnel decisions or assert authority not granted to the SSC under law.

9. Shall not meet together or attempt to reach consensus on issues outside of duly agendized school site council meetings.

Article III

Members

Section I – Size and Composition

The SSC shall be composed of 10 members.

The needs and resources of the school improvement program require that membership include broad representation of parents and staff, including all socioeconomic and ethnic groups in the school attendance area.

Representation on the SSC shall be: the Principal, representatives of teachers elected by teachers, parents of pupils attending the school elected by such parents or community members residing or working in the school attendance area and selected by parents of children attending the school. The council shall be balanced with five members representing the school staff, teachers in the majority of school staff representatives and five parent members in equal numbers. Parent representatives of the SSC may be district employees but shall not be employees at the site.

Section II – Election Procedure

Notices in the major languages represented at the school of the SSC election will be sent via mail or sent home with the student to the parents and staff of the school site to solicit nominations including self nominations for available representative vacancies. Oral announcements and written announcements detailing the SSC nomination and election process, role of the SSC, meeting dates, and site plan development will be distributed in a four week period and no later than the end of the first quarter in using a variety of ways to notify the entire school community to the final election ballot distribution. The Principal shall schedule a public meeting prior to the election to explain the role and responsibilities of the SSC, the schedule for nominations and the SSC election process to encourage broad community involvement. Written notices of nomination including self-nomination opportunities will also be posted in prominent places around the campus and the surrounding community to assure community access. Nomination forms will be compiled and carried home by students at least two weeks in advance of the election as agreed upon by the SSC in a formal meeting. Nomination forms will also be available in the school office. Parents will compose a biography or written statement to inform parents of their involvement to the school.

One election ballot per address will be made available on the campus for parent/community representative elections. Election polling times will be at times convenient for parents and announcements are oral, mailed, and posted. Polling times will occur over one week's time. Voters will be considered registered and eligible to vote when they are identified by legal address. Parents may request assistance from school personnel to complete the mechanics of voting without due influence on the vote cast. In a similar manner, each staff member will receive one ballot to elect their representatives. Ballots shall be counted and verified by 2 neutral persons as agreed upon by the members of the SSC. Nominees will be elected in descending order according to the criteria of the highest number of votes. If there is a tie for an SSC representative position, a run-off vote will be taken as soon as feasible using the same election process. The results of all SSC elections shall be recorded in the SSC minutes. Ballots shall be retained for the record in the event of a dispute. Voting will also occur at dismissal and at Parent Meetings.

Section III – Term of Office

All members of the council shall serve for a two year term. However, in order to achieve staggered membership, one half, or the nearest approximation thereof, of the members representing parent or community members and one-half, or the nearest approximation thereof of the members representing teachers and other school personnel (except the principal) shall serve for a one year term only during the first year of the council's existence. After the first year of the council's existence, all terms shall be two years in length. At the first regular meeting of the council after elections, a chance method shall be used to determine which members shall serve one-year terms. At the

conclusion of a member's term, a member may be re-elected through the normal election process (thus, members may serve back-to-back terms).

Section IV – Voting Rights

Each elected representative of the SSC is entitled to one vote and may cast that vote on each formal motion submitted to a vote by the council. Absentee ballots or proxy ballots shall not be permitted.

Section V – Termination of Membership

Other than the principal, membership shall automatically terminate if a member no longer meets the membership requirements under which elected or is absent without good cause from any regular meetings for 3 consecutive meetings. A written warning shall be issued by the principal and chairperson to any member who misses 2 consecutive meetings. SSC with a simple majority may vote to suspend or expel a member for just cause. Other than the principal, membership may also terminate upon two-thirds vote of the SSC upon a finding that the member violated the SSC Code of Conduct.

Section VI – Transfer of Membership

Membership in the SSC is not transferable or assignable.

Section VII – Resignation

Any member may resign by filing a written resignation with the Principal. The written resignation shall become a part of the SSC records in the event of a dispute.

Section VIII – Vacancy

Any vacancy on the council shall be filled for the remainder of the school year by joint appointment of the chairperson and the principal. Every attempt possible will be made to select a replacement based on the ranked election results from the previous SSC member election. In the event this is impossible, the chair and principal shall be provided a list of possible replacements that reflect the constituency of the departed member. If agreement on filling the vacancy is not reached, an election shall be held as soon as possible pursuant to the terms of this Article. If the unexpired term is for another school year thereafter, the term for that year shall be filled by the regular election process described in this Article.

ARTICLE IV

Officers

Section I – Officers

The officers of the SSC shall be a chairperson, vice-chairperson, secretary, and any other such officer as the council may deem desirable.

Section II – Election and Term of Office

The officers of the SSC shall be elected annually by the elected SSC members and shall serve for one year or until each successor has been elected.

Section III – Vacancy

A vacancy in any office because of death, resignation, removal, disqualification, or otherwise shall, by special election, be filled by the members of the SSC for the unexpired portion of the term.

Section IV – Chairperson

The chairperson shall preside at all meetings and sign the assurances in the site plan and other communications from the SSC. The chairperson will normally develop the meeting agenda in coordination with the principal, assigns SSC members to subcommittee work, advances the work of the posted agenda, assures all voices are heard in the SSC and manages the meeting with the assistance of the principal. The chairperson facilitates the meeting pursuant to the Code of Conduct adopted by the Board of Education and these bylaws. The Chairperson may independently add an item to an agenda if relevant to the role of the SSC.

Section V – Vice-Chairperson

The duties of the vice-chairperson shall be to represent the chairperson in assigned duties and to substitute for the chairperson during his/her absence.

Section VI – Secretary

The secretary shall with the assistance of the Principal keep factual, true and accurate minutes of all SSC meetings and shall distribute the copies of the minutes to each of the SSC members at the subsequent meeting. Minutes shall be as brief as possible in a standard format to assist in prompt translation. The secretary shall also keep a current list of all SSC members with role, name, address, phone number and start and end dates of terms. The secretary shall keep all copies of information distributed at meetings attached to the meeting agenda and minutes and give them to the Principal for distribution, organization and storage.

Section VII – Principal

The Principal is a voting member of the Council. He/she provides information and leadership to the council and administers the school level activities in the Single Plan for Student Achievement is legal, based on student achievement data and student needs and is monitored for implementation and effectiveness. The Principal shall consult with the SSC secretary in advance of the meeting to assure minutes are accurate and available and to assure that the SSC membership continues to be duly formed. The Principal shall oversee the public posting of the agenda. The Principal may independently add an item to an agenda if relevant to the duties of the SSC and may independently call a meeting of the SSC. The Principal shall assure all SSC documentation is available to the public upon request. The Principal shall assure that all SSC members are appropriately trained to fulfill their roles and responsibilities.

ARTICLE V

Members of the SSC

Section I – Meetings

The SSC shall meet at least once per quarter. The tentative schedule for the meetings will be sent to all parents, students, and staff at the beginning of each semester to encourage full participation in the SSC. Special meetings may be called by the Chairperson, Principal, or his/her representative in the case of an emergency or by a majority vote of the SSC members.

Section II – Time and Location of Meetings

The SSC shall meet at a time and location that is most convenient for the entire school community to encourage open discussion by the public. The SSC will meet a minimum of two times per year during an overlapping time with

the ELAC to consult on the needs of EL students and one time per year with the Title I parents for the same purpose. The SSC location will be readily accessible to all members of the public, including handicapped persons.

Section III – Notice of Meetings

Written, translated agendas of all meetings shall be posted in the school office window for view by the public and other readily visible locations at least 72 hours in advance of the meetings. When practicable and feasible, efforts to notice the school community of SSC meetings may include but not be limited to: home calls, notice in community centers, the school newsletter (Rocket Review), notes home. The Principal and Chairperson shall normally work together to adopt an agenda. However, agenda items may be added to an agenda by either the Chairperson or the Principal, provided the item is relevant to the role of the SSC.

Section IV – Quorum

A quorum to meet shall be 51% (6 members) of the non-vacant SSC positions. No decision of the SSC shall be valid unless a quorum of the non-vacant duly elected SSC membership is present. Vacant positions should be filled pursuant to Article III above as soon as practicable notwithstanding these quorum requirements.

Section V – Decisions of the SSC

The SSC members as elected representatives will use the following process in their decision making:

1. Determine in each fall whether they themselves will write the site plan or delegate it to a Leadership Team composed of teachers, other staff, parents and student representatives.
2. Determine in the fall, how each representative group (parents, teachers, other staff) will assess the consensus of the people who elected them on matters of significant impact to the school community. The Principal shall assist representatives to develop and implement their plan to assess their constituency. The plan shall become part of the public record in the school minutes and other community groups will be notified.
3. No items may be voted on by the SSC in any meetings unless noticed in the written agenda 72 hours in advance of the meeting. In the event of an unavoidable emergency as defined by SB 355 the SSC may vote on an item that needs immediate action.
4. The SSC members shall vote for the site plan in accordance with their constituency.
5. All decisions of the SSC shall be made only after an affirmative vote of the majority of its members in attendance, provided there is a quorum in attendance.
6. In the event of a split vote on the site plan, the SSC with the assistance of the Principal and district personnel, shall make every attempt to develop a community process to clarify, modify and unify the members of the SSC to recommend a site plan that the school community can live with.
7. If District administration has submitted a model plan to a SSC, including a single plan for student achievement or any other site-based plan, and if a School Site Council has not finally approved a site plan at or before the second to last Board meeting of each school year, the SSC shall be deemed to have adopted and approved the plan submitted by District administration as its own.

Section VI – Meetings Open to the Public

All regular, special or work sessions of the SSC and its standing or special committees are open and accessible to the public. The SSC shall provide for a scheduled period on the agenda for public comments. The public shall submit their name, and concerns to the SSC for the written record and abide by a 5 minute time limit per speaker within the allocated time frame for public. All members of the public will have equal opportunity to raise issues related to the development of the single plan for student achievement. Members of the public may also submit related concerns in writing to the SSC. The SSC may, without taking action, briefly respond to members of the public about other concerns. In the event of public disruption to the meeting, the SSC chair may request a privileged motion to clear the room for a break. Should the disruption continue, the chair may ask the Principal to use Ed Code provisions to request those who are disruptive to leave the campus.

ARTICLE VI

Bylaws

Section I – Bylaws Revision

These bylaws shall be reviewed annually by the SSC, and annually presented to the Board of Education for approval as part of the site plan approval process. Proposed changes shall be posted and subject to public discussion at least one meeting prior to the SSC taking action. Bylaw revision shall be placed on a written agenda and requires a majority vote of the quorum. Bylaws shall not conflict with state or federal law, or Board Policy. Should SSC members be unable to agree on bylaw adoption, or otherwise fail to present compliant bylaws to the Board annually as part of the site plan approval process, the SSC hereby adopts the model bylaws proposed by the Board of Education in effect on June 30 of that year.

ROEDING ELEMENTARY

Title I Parent and Family Engagement Policy

School recognizes that parents are their children's first and most influential teacher and that sustained parent involvement in the education of their children contributes greatly to student achievement and a positive school environment.

School, with input from their Title I parents, has developed and distributed the Title I Parent and Family Engagement Policy. The policy includes four dimensions:

- Policy involvement
- Shared responsibilities for High Academic Achievement
- Building capacity for involvement
- Accessibility

This policy will be updated annually to meet the changing needs of parents and the school.

Policy Involvement

- School will convene Title I Parent Meetings to review, revise and comment on the following items:
 - Site level Parent and Family Engagement Policy
 - School Parent Compact
 - **School Plan for Student Achievement (SPSA)**
 - Title I requirements, involvement rights, and programs offered at the site
 - State adopted ELA/Math curriculum, academic assessment tools and proficiency levels of student achievement at the site
 - Parent survey results related to the academic programs and learning environment at the site
 - Parent involvement opportunities for helping children succeed
 - Parent recommended meetings with flexible dates and times supported by funding for transportation, childcare and/or home visits from Home School Liaisons when available.
 - Parent requested meetings related to the educational decisions for their children

Shared Responsibilities for High Student Academic Achievement

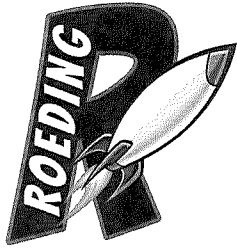
- Staff/Student/Parent Compact – the jointly developed School-Parent compact will identify staff-parent strategies that best support student academic achievement. This compact will be widely distributed to all students, staff and parents of Title I students. The Compact describes and defines the following:
 - The school's responsibilities in providing high quality curriculum and instruction in a supportive learning environment
 - Parent and student responsibilities promoting improved academic learning
 - Effective and ongoing communication methods between parents and teachers

Building Capacity

- During Back to School and Parent Conferences teachers will inform parents about curriculum content, achievement standards, assessment results and monitoring student progress
- Parents will be provided with requested training and materials helping to improve their children's achievement
- Teachers and other staff members will be trained on working with parents as equal partners and building ties between parents and the school
- Teachers will inform parents and students about individual goals based on local and state assessment results
- School will provide opportunities for parents to volunteer and participate in their child's classroom.
- Parents will be encouraged to participate in school activities through memos, weekly letters, surveys, email, phone and flyers. Information will be provided in a language and format parents can understand.
- **School will offer a flexible number of meetings to encourage parent participation.**
- Examples of programs and activities at ROEDING ELEMENTARY that encourage parent participation in the education of their children, include the following:
 - ◆ *English Language Advisory Council*
 - ◆ *School Site Council*
 - ◆ *Parent Training—Parent University*
 - ◆ *Back to School Night*
 - ◆ *Open House*
 - ◆ *Parent Coffee Hour*
 - ◆ *Classroom Participation*
 - ◆ *HACER Spanish Parent Literacy Group*
 - ◆ *Science Olympiad*
 - ◆ *Barn Dance*
 - ◆ *Muffins with Mom*
 - ◆ *Donuts with Dad*
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Accessibility

- School will provide opportunities for full participation to parents with limited English proficiency, parents of migrant children and parents with disabilities. School information and required reports will be provided in a format and, to the extent practicable, in a language, such parents understand.



Reviewed and Updated by SSC
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Roeding Elementary School

Three-Way School Pledge 2016-17 (Parent Compact)

Student Name: _____ Teacher Name: _____

School/Staff Section:

I understand the importance of the school experience to every student and my role as an educator. Therefore, I will voluntarily:

- Foster/encourage parent/teacher partnerships
- Receive training in strategies to effectively communicate with parents
- Teach Common Core State Standards skills, and concepts that provide high quality curriculum Instruction in a supportive and effective learning environment
- Strive to address the individual needs of your child
- Communicate with parents regarding your child's progress
- Provide a safe, positive and healthy learning environment for your child
- Communicate homework and classroom expectations
- Correct and return appropriate work in a timely manner
- Support your child's primary language and culture
- Show respect to self and others at all times
- Provide opportunities for parents to volunteer, participate and observe in child's classroom

Student Section:

I know that my education is important and that I am the one responsible for my own success. Therefore, I agree to carry out the following responsibilities to the best of my ability:

- Attend school everyday on time and ready to learn
- Review my class work with my parent(s) weekly
- Return completed homework on time
- Follow school rules and be responsible for my own behavior at all times
- Actively participate in daily learning
- Frequently check my progress on the ATLAS student portal

Parent Section:

I understand that my participation in my child's education will help his/her achievement and attitude. Therefore, I will voluntarily:

- Ensure my child gets to school regularly and on-time
- Foster/encourage parent/teacher partnerships
- Attend Back to School event, Parent/Teacher conferences, Open House, and other events
- Encourage my child to engage in reading activities for at least 20 minutes every day
- Provide a quiet place/time for my child to complete his/her homework
- Make sure my child gets adequate sleep and has a healthy breakfast (at home or at school)
- Adhere to the school's homework, discipline, dress code, and attendance policies
- Participate in district opportunities for parenting training
- Support all elements of the Parent Involvement Policy adopted by the FUSD School Board
- Show respect to self and others at all times
- Review my child's returned classwork and check student progress frequently on ATLAS Parent Portal and/or EduText

Teacher Signature

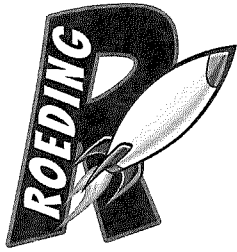
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Student Signature

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Parent Signature

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Revisado y actualizado
por el SSC 01/26/16

Roeding Compromiso de Tres Partes

De la Escuela y los Padres 2016-17 (Parent Compact)

Nombre del Alumno: _____ Nombre del Maestro: _____

Seccion de la Maestro/a:

Entiendo la importancia de la experiencia escolar a cada estudiante y a mi papel como educador. Por lo tanto, voy voluntariamente:

- Animar asociaciones de los padres y el maestro
- Recibir entrenamiento en estrategias para comunicarse efectivamente con los padres
- Enseñar estandares adoptado por el Estaso de California de nivel de grado, habilidades y conceptos que proporcionan instrucciones de curriculo de alta calidad en un entorno de apredizaje eficaz y de apoyo
- Esforzarse por satisfacer las necesidades individuales de su hijo
- Comunicarse con usted en relacion con el progreso de su hijo
- Proporcionar un entorno de aprendizaje seguro, positive y saludable para su hijo
- Comunicar las expectativas deberes y aula
- Corregir y devolver el trabajo adecuado en forma oportuna
- Apoyo de idioma primario y la cultura de su hijo
- Mostrar respeto a si mismo y a otros en todo momento
- Proporcionar oportunidades para que los padres voluntaries, participar, y observar en el salon del nino.

Seccion de la Estudiante:

Sé que mi educación es importante y que yo soy el responsable de mi propio éxito. Por lo tanto, estoy de acuerdo para llevar a cabo las siguientes responsabilidades con lo mejor de mi capacidad de:

- Asistir a la escuela cada todos los días a tiempo y listos para aprender
- Revisar mi tarea de clase con mi padre(s)
- Devolver las tarea terminada y a tiempo
- Seguir las reglas de la escuela y ser responsable de mi propio comportamiento en todo momento
- Pedir ayuda cuando sea necesario
- Monstar respecto a si mismo y a otros en todo momento
- Participar activamente en el aprendizaje diario
- Comprobar con frecuencia mi progreso en el portal del estudiante ATLAS

Seccion de la Padres:

Yo entiendo que mi participación en la educación de mi hijo le ayudará a su / sus logros y actitud. Por lo tanto, yo voluntariamente hará lo siguiente:

- Asegúrese de que mi hijo llegue a la escuela regularmente ya tiempo
- Fomentar / animar a los padres / asociaciones de maestros
- Asistir a evento de Regreso a la Escuela, conferencias de padres / maestros, Casa Abierta, y otros eventos
- Animar a mi niño a participar en actividades de lectura durante al menos 20 minutos cada día
- Proporcionar un lugar tranquilo / hora de mi hijo para completar su / sus deberes
- Asegúrese de que mi hijo duerma lo suficiente y tiene un desayuno saludable (en casa o en la escuela)
- Se adhieren a la tarea de la escuela, la disciplina, el código de vestimenta, y las políticas de asistencia
- Participar en las oportunidades de capacitación para padres del distrito
- Apoyar todos los elementos de la Política de Participación de Padres aprobada por el Consejo Escolar del FUSD
- Mostrar respeto a uno mismo ya los demás en todo momento
- Revisar el trabajo de clase de regresar de mi hijo y comprobar el progreso del estudiante con frecuencia en el Portal de Padres ATLAS y / o EduText

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