



Maple Creek Elementary
IDAC Meeting Agenda
Tuesday, September 17th, 2024

- 1. Welcome**
- 2. Campus Update**
 - a. CA PBIS Platinum
 - b. New School year
 - c. Fitness Frenzy
 - i. New Track & Cross Country Uniforms
- 3. Parent Connect**
- 4. Bond**
- 5. CUSD Comprehensive Wellness**
<https://www.cusd.com/ComprehensiveWellnessProject.aspx>
- 6. Upcoming Events**
 - a. Carnival: October 11th
 - b. Fall Harvest Parties: October 27th
 - c. Parent Conference Day: November 1st
 - d. Awards 4th-6th: November 4th
- 7. Questions/Input**
- 8. Thank you for coming and adjournment.**



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1. Mrs. Emami welcomed and thanked everyone for bringing their children to Mac & Kids to learn about the Latican culture. Mrs. Emami explained that plans and expectations for Mac & Kids this year, she reiterated the criteria for Block H as well as reminded students to join the Google classroom where the assignment would be submitted. Mrs. Emami excused parents to follow Mrs. Kismet to the tech lab for an IDAC meeting.
2. Mrs. Kismet welcomed families to our IDAC meeting. She explained the purpose of IDAC serving as a parent advisory committee. She highlighted that this quarter's IDAC agenda was very much similar to this quarter's SART agenda. She went over the total agenda and emphasized that she welcomed parent feedback and questions along the way. Mrs. Kismet highlighted the importance of IDAC and that it is a good way to stay connected with the school.
3. An update of the campus was shared. Maple Creek was recognized with the highest level of recognition Platinum on the CA PBIS Award. The school year is off to an incredibly smooth start, students and staff alike continue to speak highly of all things going on. Parents were thanked for their support of our Fitness Frenzy, and we raised just over 24,000 which are ASB funds. Mrs. Kismet provided information on the use and restrictions with respect to ASB funding and mentioned Fitness Frenzy is our only ASB fundraiser. Parents were informed that we are purchasing new track and cross-country uniforms that will cost just over \$9,000.
4. Parent Square was shared with parents. Mrs. Kismet highlighted how teachers, administration, and coaches are currently using Parent Square. She highlighted the hyperlinks and future use of it for scheduling conferences. Mrs. Kismet Parent Square will handle all of our communication needs with one platform making it easier for parents, parents can also adjust the notifications to suit their preferred communication.
5. A presentation regarding the Measure A bond was shared with families. Specific highlights on how the bond would benefit Maple Creek as well as the district were shared. Mrs. Kismet highlighted upgrades for Maple Creek, to mention some roofing, electrical, safety, and MPR. It was stated that approving the bond would not result in an increase in taxes. The presentation also provided information on the rising costs of construction and the need to ensure Clovis Unified continues to maintain equitable facilities from school to school. One question was asked regarding the duration of the bond and Mrs. Kismet said she would confirm the duration (appears 25 years is the length the bond is issued)
6. The CUSD Comprehensive Wellness website and the wheel were shared with parents. Mrs. Kismet talked about CSI at Maple Creek, the use of the BCT team, and several of the other interventions / supports that are on the wheel. Mrs. Kismet encouraged parents to get this information out to others if they were in conversation with parents who were looking for resources.
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7. The following upcoming dates and events were highlighted.

- a. Carnival: October 11th
 - b. Fall Harvest Parties: October 27th
 - c. Parent Conference Day: November 1st
 - d. Awards 4th-6th: November 4th
 - e. Winter Program
8. A few basic comments on dress code were given. Mrs. Kismet highlighted the shorts policy and inseam of 4 inches. She stated there is some misinformation circulating out there like brands being band. She asked parents to continue to screen students at home for inseam.
 9. An invitation for questions or comments was provided. Meeting adjourned

Clovis Unified School District **Comprehensive Wellness Project**



**Educating the *WHOLE* student
in *MIND, BODY* and *SPIRIT***



The Impact

Facility Bonds at Our School

The 2024 Measure A facility bond would fund the following projects at Maple Creek Elementary School:

- Roof Replacement
- MPR Modernization
- Safety Enhancements
- AV Technology Improvements
- LED Lighting Upgrades

Since 2012, Maple Creek Elementary School has received the following projects funded by two Measure A facility bonds:

- Expanded library for instructional areas and storage
- Replaced flooring in restrooms and snack bar
- Updated snack bar facility
- Replaced aging heating systems
- Updated multipurpose room
- Repaired play fields
- Upgraded Heating, Ventilation, Air-conditioning (HVAC) system
- Replaced roofing on entire campus
- Added security cameras
- Repaired and upgraded power distribution system
- Upgraded classroom audio-visual systems
- Implemented lighting efficiency improvements
- Improved exterior lighting
- Upgraded technology network and wireless access
- Replaced plumbing fixtures and upgraded restrooms
- Completed Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) required upgrades



Every school facility in Clovis Unified has benefited from bond projects not once or twice, but many times over. Across the District, bond funds have been used for:



Fixing leaking roofs, electrical wiring, fire safety doors and smoke alarms



Repairing and upgrading deteriorating science, engineering and math classrooms to provide modern learning spaces at all of our schools



Building new schools and adding space at existing schools to reduce overcrowding



Building new performing arts and athletic spaces and upgrading others



Making needed updates to facilities to provide safe, clean drinking water



Improving school safety and security by updating communication systems and security systems



Maintaining equitable facilities at schools of all ages through modernization and maintenance projects



And many, many other upgrades and repairs

Learn More About Our Facilities Program

Many people don't realize that as of 2024, our community has a lower tax rate on school bonds than it did in 2020, 2010 or even 2000. They also don't know that Clovis Unified residents pay a lower tax rate than people living in neighboring school districts like Fresno, Sanger and Central. Learn more about our facilities program and the use of facility bonds in Clovis Unified at www.cusd.com/Facilities.aspx