

District Accountability Committee (DAC) – Accreditation Subcommittee

Appointed by: DAC Chair appoints the subcommittee chair and volunteers are recruited to participate with the subcommittee composition approved by the board

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DAC Accreditation Subcommittee 2018-19 Charge:

Achievement (District)

1. Study district-wide achievement data in order to:
 - a. Monitor possible disparities with respect to gender, race/ethnic, and other specifically identified groups;
 - b. Monitor the academic growth of students;
 - c. Monitor meeting federal, state, and district achievement goals.
2. Monitor and evaluate policies and practices that influence student achievement.
3. Provide input concerning the preparation of the District’s Unified Improvement Plan.
4. Review district and school climate survey results.
5. Make recommendations to the DAC and BOE, as needed, based on the actions described above.

Achievement (Schools)

1. Assist SACs, directly and indirectly, to analyze and interpret school student achievement data.
2. Assist/coordinate with the DAC Training and SAC Support Subcommittee in developing and delivering training and assistance to SACs on Unified School Improvement Plan (USIP) requirements, School Performance Frameworks (SPF), and school accreditation requirements

Accreditation (District to Schools)

1. Monitor and provide input, including achievement data, to the process of accrediting schools.
2. Monitor School Performance Framework processes and make recommendations to maintain relevancy and alignment to district goals, state requirements, and federal requirements.
3. Make recommendations to the DAC and BOE, as needed, based on the analyses described above and in compliance with Policy AED.

Accreditation (State to District)

1. Monitor the process of accrediting the District.

Meeting Dates: Generally, 2nd and 4th Monday from 5:00pm-6:30pm throughout the school year

Name	Position	Location
Janeen Demi-Smith	Executive Director (ex-officio)	Educational Data & Support Services
Lyman Kaiser	Community Member	80918
John Keane	Executive Director	K-12 Schools
Paul Medina, Jr.	Research Analyst	Educational Data & Support Services
JoAnn Meyers	Community Member	-
Patricia (Trish) Nixon	Community Member	80917
Ed Plute (Chair)	Community Member	80919
Manuel Ramsey	Elementary School Principal	Bristol ES
Parth Malpakam	DAC Chair (ex-officio)	-
Carolyn Graham	Elementary Teacher/Parent	Madison ES
Ama Dei	Assistant Principal	Russell MS
Clara Hoellerbauer	Assistant High School Principal	Palmer HS
Jenny Courtier	Elementary Teacher/Parent	Rogers ES
Velvet Stepanek	Parent	Sabin MS/ Scott ES
Jan Rennie	Community Member	-