

LOS ANGELES UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
LOCAL DISTRICT WEST

HELEN BERNSTEIN HIGH SCHOOL

Shared Decision Making Council
Meeting Agenda and Minutes
Principal's Conference Room
November 19th, 2019 3:10-4:10 pm

- Welcome
- Approval of Minutes
- Continuing Business
 - ✦ Consensus
 - ✦ Norms of collaboration
- Schedule/Events Issues
 - ✦ Final Exam Schedule (1st/2nd semester daily schedules)
- New Business
 - ✦ Budget
 - ✦ Discipline
 - ✦ Development Dean recommendations
- Professional
 - ✦ Inclusion professional development update
- Schedule/Event Issues
 - ✦ Food Festival?
 - ✦ Nutrition
- Public Comments
- Next Meeting: December 17, 2019, 3:10pm-4:10pm

In attendance

Alex Ramirez, Principal	Christopher Wolf, Co-Chair
Rosana Chulia, Teacher Member	Joelle Cohen, Teacher Member
Derek Werthwein, Teacher Member	Nick Deligencia, Teacher Member
James Mayoral, Student Member	Maria Baltazar, Parent Member
Lesbia Perez, Parent Member	

Approval of Minutes

- Consensus to approve the minutes as written from October 15, 2019

Approval of Fall Semester Final Exam Schedule

- Consensus to approve the schedule, Monday exams for periods 1, 2, followed by an afternoon advisory/assembly; Tuesday exams for periods 3 and 4; and Wednesday exams for periods 5, 6, and 7.
- Thursday and Friday, December 17 and 18 will be regular dismissal.

New Business

Other Business

- Next SDM Meeting to be moved to December 10, so as not to conflict with the faculty meeting on December 17.

Budget

- Mr. Ramirez to release the allocation of IMA funds to department chairs. Department orders to be submitted to Mr. Ramirez as soon as possible.

Professional Development

- Workshop for creating an effective co-teaching model for our inclusion classes will be attended next month by our interested inclusion teachers.

Schedule/Event Issues

- We want to start the discussion with the faculty to determine if, before the 8:30 A.M. start time begins in 2023, we want to remove the nutrition period minutes in the bell schedule in order to minimize the change in dismissal time.

Public Comments

- Leadership classes will plan a Latinx Food Festival.

Next Meeting

December 10, 2019