



School Family & Community Council Meeting Notes

Wednesday, January 21, 2026

3:00 pm - Library

[HHA's Vision and Mission Statements](#)

- **Attendees:**

- See Google Forms Spreadsheets.

- **Notes:**

- Welcome and introductions
- The Budget Process ([the budget video](#))
 - The budget is calculated with data collected in stages: Priority Engagement -> Budget Forum -> Budget Review.
- School Overview (school plan, data, current priorities)
 - Charter schools must go through a renewal process every few years. HHA went through the renewal process during the 2022-23 school year & received an 8 year renewal.
 - The school's mission and vision statements were reviewed. Families are always welcome to offer feedback and suggestions for updating these statements.
 - HHA is a 5-star school based on test scores, attendance, and other data collected by the district and state.
 - HHA is showing a downward trend in regards to chronic absenteeism (missing 10% of school days), due in large part to the efforts of the Student Outcomes Committee (SOC). The SOC's goal is to prevent chronic absenteeism & targets students that are on track to be chronically absent. They follow a holistic and supportive phased approach including a letter from the principal, phone calls & home visits.
 - The Family Survey goes out each year to help calculate the school's budget. The top 3 resources that families are asking to include in the budget are after school programming, arts and music, and world languages. Other budget needs include extracurricular activities, mental health support, and bilingual staff & parent education.

- The highest priority needs include building the new playground, improving attendance, reducing class size, and improving technology/AI education.
 - Playground renderings for a potential vendor were reviewed.
- Discussion and input for next year's budget
 - District priorities for next year's budget include accelerating student achievement, college readiness, improving attendance, and supporting mental health.
 - HHA will continue to monitor revenue projections for FY27, which remain uncertain due to projected enrollment totals, potential changes to the Blueprint implementation, and potential federal funding changes.
- Next Steps
 - Please complete the [priority input form](#) to voice your thoughts and concerns about the budget and the [evaluation form](#) to share your opinions about today's presentation and the overall budget process.

- **Next Meeting:**

- February 18th, 3:00 pm - Library