

## Arthur Street Elementary School

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### **December PAC Meeting Agenda**

**Date: Tuesday 12/17/24 @ 9:30 am**

*\*November meeting cancelled – School closed due to snowstorm. The agenda from November will be covered at the December meeting.*

- Parent engagement activity suggestions
  - September – First Grade: Build-A-Bear
  - October – Kindergarten: Multicultural Movie
  - November – Second Grade: BinGLOW
  - December – First Grade: Holiday Program
  - New ideas, suggestions, comments, or concerns about previously held events this year
  
- Parents as equal partners (parent communication suggestions)
  - Faculty meeting was held to inform teachers and staff about parent suggestions and comments
  - No new forms of communication have been suggested in previous meetings
  - Like best: Paper copies and Parent Square
  - Most questions: Parent Square
  - Any new thoughts or ideas?
  
- Review School Comp Plan (FRCP)
  - Posted on the ASES website under the PTA page
  - Strengths, challenges, goal setting, action plan
  - Professional Development Activities

- Standardized local and state assessments
  - Standardized tests begin in 3<sup>rd</sup> grade
- How to monitor your child's progress
  - Skyward
- How to access report cards – End of Quarter 1: November 4, 2024
  - Posted on ASES website under the PTA page
    - <https://www.hasdk12.org/cms/lib/PA01001366/Centricity/Domain/85/Skyward%20Directions.pdf>
  - Paper copies can be printed upon request
    - Change: All K-6 students will receive paper copies as per parent feedback on wanting hard copies of grades
- Arthur Street website
  - <https://www.hasdk12.org/Domain/70>
  - Parent Compact, Parent and Family Engagement Policy, Assessment Calendar, State and Local Assessment info, Skyward link (progress monitoring), Transition Plan, School Comp Plan, and District Comp Plan
- *Presentation: Eileen Panzarella*
  - *Current drug trends to watch out for with children*
    - **This will be moved to a later date**
- Presentation: Jessica Surkin
  - Keeping an open line of communication with your child
- Parent Handout
  - Attendance
- PTA
  - Friday sales, Candy Cane Grams, Photos with Santa
  - Suggestions?