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March PAC Meeting Agenda

Date: Tuesday 3/11/25 @ 11:00 am

- Standards and Curriculum
 - PDESAS website
 - Can be accessed through the Arthur Street PTA – Title I website
 - District curriculum was designed to align to the state standards
- Testing Policy
 - Can be accessed through the Arthur Street PTA – Title I website
- Benchmarks
 - End of the year testing window opens April 8th for STAR
 - Classroom testing: ESGI Heggerty, Kid Writing – May 13th
- PSSA Testing
 - Grades 3-8 (Math, Reading, and Science)
 - Preparation begins in second grade
- Title I Planning Suggestions
 - Funds are currently spent on:
 - Imagine Learning and Renaissance
 - Instructional and supplemental materials
 - Suggestions?
 - Effectiveness of Title I program
 - Discuss Title I Parent Survey
 - Results
 - Arthur Street Website
 - Hazleton Area Federal Programs Website
- Title II Planning Suggestions
 - Title II Funds will be transferred to Title I for the 2025-2026 school year

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- Title III Planning Suggestions
 - ELD
 - Suggestions for English Language Learners?
- Title IV Planning Suggestions
 - Well-rounded
 - Keeping students safe and healthy
 - Technology
 - Suggestions for school programs? (ex. Bullying)
- Evaluate the effectiveness of the Parent and Family Engagement Policy
- Suggestions on how to spend set-aside funding – LEA and School
- Parent Engagement Activities
 - September – First Grade: Build-A-Bear
 - October – Kindergarten: Multicultural Movie
 - November – Second Grade: BinGLOW
 - December – First Grade: Holiday Program
 - January – Kindergarten: Dancing with Numbers
 - February – Second Grade: The Magic of Joe Romano
 - April – First Grade: The Masked Reader
 - April - Second Grade: Battle of the Bands
 - New ideas, suggestions, comments, or concerns about previously held events this year
- Improve Literacy
 - Literacy Statistics
 - <https://firstreaders.org/resources/fifty-top-literacy-statistics>
- Parent Handout
 - Learning at home
 - Read Aloud, Know the Power of Conversation, and Create a Place and Time for Studying

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➤ Presentation: Eileen Panzarella

- Mock bedroom
- Pamphlets

➤ PTA

- Suggestions for 2025 fundraisers
- Pizza Fundraiser, School Store Sales, Open House Tricky Trays