

Catalina Family Engagement Minutes

Meeting: September 25, 2025

Time: 4:39 pm

Location: Library

I. Review Purpose of Family Engagement Team

*To foster safe and welcoming environments for all students, families and visitors; Strengthen relationships and capacity with families, teachers, school and district administrators, and community partners; and to learn from families using effective two-way communication.

~We really want to encourage our families to engage with us and for our teachers and staff to directly engage with our families. Making sure there's follow-up.

II. Practical Things We Provide

- Opportunities for Family Input and opportunities to be connected to their student's learning
- Family Computers
- Suggestion Box, Awarity *~Dr. Gonzalez would also like for people to feel comfortable coming to her with issues as well.*
- Newsletters via Parent Square & available on the Website
- Family Engagement Survey/Focus Groups *~The annual Family Engagement Survey will be sent out after break. It is meant for all of our families to fill out.*

III. Family Engagement Events & Curriculum Events

8/14 we had our Back to School Night/Annual Title I meeting. 37 adults attended with 38 students.

We hosted Parent/Guardian Teacher Conferences on 9/18. 63 adults for 58 students attended.

- Trunk or Treat, October 30, 2025 *~Sponsored by AVID. Details will be sent out soon.*
- Family Engagement Survey – needs returned by in early November
- Ideas Submitted by Teachers –

~We have a list of possible events that the teachers came up with to use for our Family Engagement events. We will follow-up with them and try to get a few planned.

~12/4 & 12/5 the Science Department will be hosting Science Fair nights.

- Team Ideas:
~Plant sale

IV. Next Meeting: December 11, 2025

V. Adjourn at 4:57pm