

## 9/5/24 PAC Notes

- PAC dates and topics were given. Will send out before the meeting as well
- We completed a needs assessment about the functioning of our PAC meetings
- Mrs. Testamark will be the PAC Chair in charge of meeting minutes, sending out the info for meetings, and share on the school website.
- Mrs. Testamark will also meet with Mr. Boyd
- Parent shared about getting the school to explain what PAC is and why it is important
- Parent suggested sending home explanation about what each meeting is and for with the monthly calendar.
- Mrs. Testamark will use school status to send out the dates and agendas for the meetings
- Mrs. Toledo stated that we need to help the parents to understand what the difference between PTO and PAC
- Mrs. Clary shared her experience with parents is that parents have expressed that they are “too busy” for PAC so understanding will be essential.
- Mr. Boyd shared that PAC is an important part of our CIP
- Mr. Boyd shared what the budget covers and how he allots the federal funds VNES receives
- Mr. Boyd shared that the school will be getting renovated this summer
- We have a total of 8 points out of 20 at our needs assessment. We need 16 to be considered highly functioning.
- We will revisit mid year and end of the year
- Next meeting 10/10
- Parent mentioned that she has had discussions with other parents and they want homework to return. She mentioned that homework is a big help for the student and it is a way for her to connect to her children.
- Open chair- looking for parents input about homework