

# *Advanced Learning Academy*

## **Board Meeting Agenda**

**Wednesday, November 4, 2015  
5:30 p.m.**

**Flex Lab  
335 E. Walnut Street  
Santa Ana, CA**



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### *Mission Statement*

*We assure well-rounded learning experiences, which prepare our students for success in college and career.  
We engage, inspire, and challenge all of our students to become productive citizens, ethical leaders, and positive contributors to our community, country and a global society.*

## **BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING INFORMATION**

### **Role of the Board**

The Governing Board is elected by the community to provide leadership and citizen oversight of the District's schools. The Board works with the Superintendent to fulfill its major role, including:

1. Setting a direction for the District.
2. Providing a basic organizational structure for the SAUSD by establishing policies.
3. Ensuring accountability.
4. Providing community leadership on behalf of the District and public education.

Agenda Items provided to the Board of Education that include the description of items of business to be considered by the Board for approval at Board Meetings. These items contain recommendations; the Board may exercise action they believe is best for the SAUSD.

### **Board Meeting Documentation**

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### **Public Comments at Board Meetings**

The agenda shall provide members of the public the opportunity to address the Board regarding agenda items before or during the Board's consideration of the item. The agenda also provides members of the public an opportunity to testify at regular meetings on matters which are not on the agenda but which are within the subject matter jurisdiction of the Board.

Individual speakers are allowed three minutes to address the Board on agenda or nonagenda items. The Board may limit the total time for public input on each item to 20 minutes. With the Board's consent, the Board President may increase or decrease the time allowed for public presentation, depending on the topic and the number of persons wishing to be heard. The Board President may take a poll of speakers for or against a particular issue and may ask that additional persons speak only if they have something new to add.

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Persons wishing to address the Board on an item on the agenda or an item of business in the Board's jurisdiction are requested to complete a card. This card is to be submitted to the Recording Secretary. The *Request to Address the Board of Education* cards are located on the table in the foyer.

BOARD OF EDUCATION  
REGULAR MEETING

ADVANCED LEARNING ACADEMY  
335 E. WALNUT STREET  
SANTA ANA, CA 92701

MONDAY  
NOVEMBER 4, 2015  
5:30 PM

## AGENDA

CALL TO ORDER

CONVENE REGULAR MEETING

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

PUBLIC PRESENTATIONS (Pursuant to Government Code 54954.3)

- Individuals or groups may make presentations or bring matters to the Board's attention that is within the Board's subject matter jurisdiction. Individual speakers are allowed three minutes to address the Board on agenda or non-agenda items.

### CONSENT AGENDA

1.0 Approval of Minutes for October 5, 2015 Board Meeting

### PRESENTATIONS

- BoardDocs Online Agenda Manager Overview
- Advanced Learning Academy Program Update

### BOARD REPORTS

ADJOURNMENT

MINUTES

Regular Meeting  
ALA Advisory Board

October 5, 2015

CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 5:30 pm by Mr. Allen. Other members in attendance were Ms. Douglas, Mr. Kriesel, and Ms. Tate.

CONVENE REGULAR MEETING

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The meeting was opened with the Pledge of Allegiance led by Mr. Allen.

PUBLIC PRESENTATIONS

There were no public presentations at this time.

REGULAR AGENDA-ACTION ITEMS

By a vote of 4-0, the Board took action to approve the Mr. Allen to the position of ALA Advisory Board President.

Moved: Allen \_\_\_\_\_ Douglas \_\_\_X\_\_\_ Tate \_\_\_\_\_ Kriesel\_\_\_\_\_

Seconded: Allen \_\_\_\_\_ Douglas \_\_\_\_\_ Tate \_\_\_\_\_ Kriesel\_\_\_X\_\_\_

Ayes: Allen \_\_\_X\_\_\_ Douglas \_\_\_X\_\_\_ Tate \_\_\_X\_\_\_ Kriesel\_\_\_X\_\_\_

Noes: Allen \_\_\_\_\_ Douglas \_\_\_\_\_ Tate \_\_\_\_\_ Kriesel\_\_\_\_\_

Final Vote: Ayes\_\_\_4\_\_\_ Noes \_\_\_0\_\_\_ Abstain \_\_\_\_\_ Absent \_\_\_\_\_

By a vote of 4-0, the Board took action to approve the Ms. Douglas to the position of ALA Advisory Board Vice-President.

Moved: Allen \_\_\_\_\_ Douglas \_\_\_\_\_ Tate \_\_\_\_\_ Kriesel\_\_X\_\_  
Seconded: Allen \_\_X\_\_ Douglas \_\_\_\_\_ Tate \_\_\_\_\_ Kriesel\_\_\_\_\_  
Ayes: Allen \_\_X\_\_ Douglas \_\_X\_\_ Tate \_\_X\_\_ Kriesel\_\_X\_\_  
Noes: Allen \_\_\_\_\_ Douglas \_\_\_\_\_ Tate \_\_\_\_\_ Kriesel\_\_\_\_\_  
Final Vote: Ayes\_\_4\_\_ Noes \_\_0\_\_ Abstain \_\_\_\_\_ Absent \_\_\_\_\_

By a vote of 4-0, the Board took action to approve the Mr. Kriesel to the position of ALA Advisory Board Clerk.

Moved: Allen \_\_\_\_\_ Douglas \_\_\_\_\_ Tate \_\_X\_\_ Kriesel\_\_\_\_\_  
Seconded: Allen \_\_X\_\_ Douglas \_\_\_\_\_ Tate \_\_\_\_\_ Kriesel\_\_\_\_\_  
Ayes: Allen \_\_X\_\_ Douglas \_\_X\_\_ Tate \_\_X\_\_ Kriesel\_\_X\_\_  
Noes: Allen \_\_\_\_\_ Douglas \_\_\_\_\_ Tate \_\_\_\_\_ Kriesel\_\_\_\_\_  
Final Vote: Ayes\_\_4\_\_ Noes \_\_0\_\_ Abstain \_\_\_\_\_ Absent \_\_\_\_\_

#### 1.0 Approval of Advanced Learning Academy (ALA) Organizational Structure and Advisory Board Meeting Dates for the 2015-2016 School Year

It was moved by Mr. Allen, and seconded by Ms. Douglas, and carried 4-0, to approve the Organizational Structure and Meeting Dates as follows:

ALA Advisory Board Meetings will be held on the 1st Monday of every month, beginning at 5:30 pm.

#### PRESENTATIONS

- Overview of the Brown Act  
Mr. Ron Wenkart, Senior Counsel from the Orange County Department of Education provided a presentation that overviewed the Brown Act as it relates to ALA.

#### BOARD REPORTS

##### Mr. Allen

- Thanked the Board and is excited to see the continued growth at ALA.

##### Ms. Douglas

- Thanked Board President Allen and is interested in learning more about ALA.

##### Mr. Kriesel

- Congratulated the Board and is encouraged by the ALA staff's hard work.

#### ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business to come before the Board, the Board meeting was adjourned at 6:23 pm by Board President Allen.

The next Regular Meeting will be held on November 2, 2015 at 5:30 pm.

Attest:

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Kimberly A. Garcia  
Secretary  
ALA Advisory Board

**AGENDA ITEM BACKUP SHEET**  
**November 4, 2015**

**Board Meeting**

**TITLE:** BoardDocs Online Agenda Manager Overview  
**ITEM:** Presentation  
**SUBMITTED BY:** Kimberly Garcia, Site Lead, Advanced Learning Academy  
**PREPARED BY:** Alexandra Ito, Director, Learning Innovation with Technology

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**BACKGROUND INFORMATION:**

The purpose of this agenda item is to present to the Board an overview of the online agenda management program, BoardDocs, which has been developed by Emerald Data Solutions.

**ITEM SUMMARY:**

Presented for information

**RATIONALE:**

BoardDocs is an online board meeting management solution that is used to create and manage board packets, access information and conduct meetings. Board members will have the opportunity to see a presentation as an overview of the BoardDocs functionality, and to compare the features in the LT version with the features in the Pro version.

**FUNDING:**

Not Applicable

**RECOMMENDATION:**

Presented for information.

**AGENDA ITEM BACKUP SHEET**  
**November 4, 2015**

**Board Meeting**

**TITLE:** Advanced Learning Academy Update  
**ITEM:** Presentation  
**SUBMITTED BY:** Kimberly Garcia, Site Lead, Advanced Learning Academy  
**PREPARED BY:** Kimberly Garcia, Site Lead, Advanced Learning Academy

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**BACKGROUND INFORMATION:**

The purpose of this agenda item is to present to the Board an update on the Advanced Learning Academy.

**ITEM SUMMARY:**

Presented for information

**RATIONALE:**

The Advanced Learning Academy is an innovative program that supports competency-based personalized learning. A key component of personalized learning is the mentoring and goal setting component that occurs on both a daily and weekly basis. The Board will be given continual updates on components of Advanced Learning Academy that will accelerate student learning.

**FUNDING:**

Not Applicable

**RECOMMENDATION:**

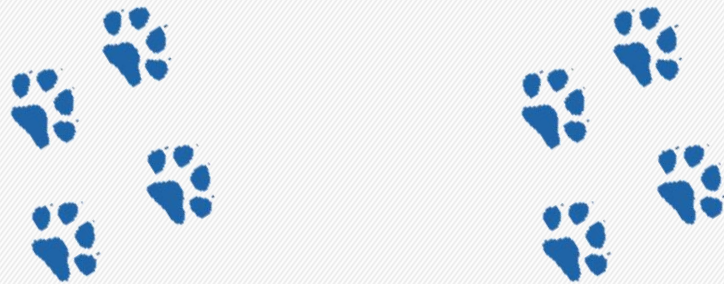
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# Advanced Learning Academy

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Advisory Board Meeting  
November 4, 2015



ALA Advisory Board Meeting



11/5/2015

The Digital Learning Log is an interactive tool that students will use for their goal-setting and mentoring conferences.



## ALA Learning Log: From the Ground Up

### Daily Learning Plan

ELA

Math

Flex

PBL

Check my learning

### Icons



Add an image



Read



Create a video



Write



Watch a video

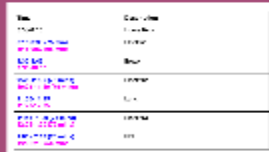


Math Representation

# The Digital Learning Log will be a place where students can track and share their schedule.



## My Schedule



(Click for larger image)

Where am I going this week?

Homeroom	
Block 1	
Block 2	
Block 3	
PBL	

ALA Advisory Board Meeting

**About my schedule:**

**I like....**

**I wonder....**

**I have....**

11/5/2015

The Digital Learning Log will be during homeroom to set weekly goals



## My Weekly Goals



ALA Advisory Board Meeting

Think about your goals for the week. What do you hope to accomplish and what do you need to get there?

11/5/2015

The Digital Learning Log will be used during homeroom to set daily goals.



## My Daily Goals for Monday



ALA Advisory Board Meeting

Think about your goals for today. What do you hope to accomplish and what do you need to get there?

11/5/2015

# The Digital Learning Log will be used for Student to Teacher and Student to Parent Communication



**First Take: Share what you are learning with a parent or guardian.**

Replace the image below with a video of you explaining to a parent or guardian what you are learning (30-45 seconds)



**What are your triumphs, concerns, wonderings?**

11/5/2015

# Teacher Feedback to Goal Setting Slides in the Digital Learning Log



## My Daily Goals for Monday

Think about your goals for today. What do you hope to accomplish and what do you need to get there?

*My goals for today are...*

*playing lexia to go to a next level, read myON, and learning respect which is in PRIDE*

*I will accomplish my goals by ...  
today*

*Today I did/did not meet my goal of ...  
reading an hour on myON*

*(If you did not meet your goal, explain what you will do differently tomorrow.)*



 Melissa Bohinc  
4:57 PM Oct 10 [Resolve](#)

What level on Lexia? How many minutes?

 Melissa Bohinc  
4:57 PM Oct 10 [Resolve](#)

In the future be more specific

 Jordan Alcazar  
8:26 AM Oct 28 [Resolve](#)

OK - I will do this in the future

# Teacher Feedback to Goal Setting Slides in the Digital Learning Log



## My Daily Goals for Wednesday

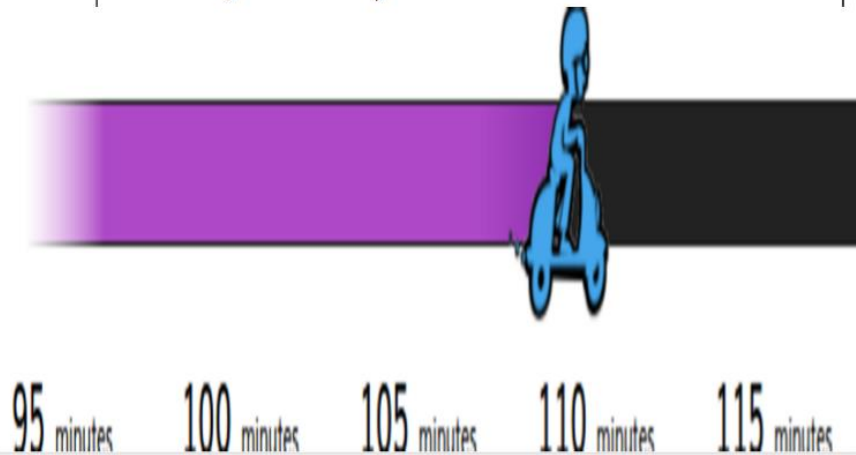
Think about your goals for today. What do you hope to accomplish and what do you need to get there?

*My goals for today are to do myon for 30 minutes.*

*I will accomplish my goals by .doing it in 360.*

*Today I did/did not meet my goal of But i did met my goal at 360*

*(If you did not meet your goal, explain what you will do differently tomorrow.)*



Melissa Bohinc  
9:04 PM Oct 4

Resolve

Please give me more effort and be specific on your daily goals. I want you to set goals that push your learning. You are a very intelligent 5th grader!



# Teacher Feedback to Goal Setting Slides in the Digital Learning Log



## My Daily Goals for Friday

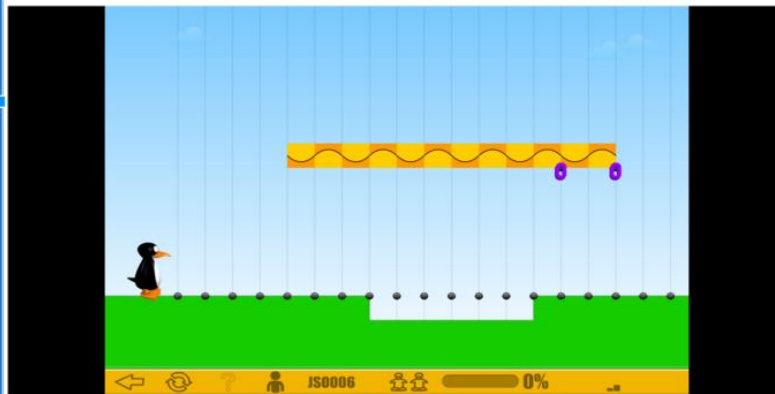
Think about your goals for today. What do you hope to accomplish and what do you need to get there?

*My goals for today is to finish my levels on ST Math. I want to do this because I got stuck on one level.*

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*I will accomplish my goals by doing ST Math on recess, lunch, and in the after school program during homework time.*

*Today did not meet my goal of ST Math because i'm still stuck.*



Melissa Bohinc  
4:45 PM Oct 10

Resolve

What level? I can work with you during homeroom, recess, or lunch with the level you need to pass. I have other lessons that will help you pass your levels on Jiji.