

Florida School Recognition Program (A+ Funds) Checklist

Kelli S. Blackburn, School Improvement Coordinator

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Additional resources:

- 2025-2026 Florida School Recognition Awards Process Timeline
- Florida School Recognition Awards (A+ Funds) Ballot Count Summary Sheet

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Actions (Must happen in the order presented)	Required Documents	1st Meeting	2nd Meeting (if applicable)	3rd Meeting (if applicable)
School Advisory Council (SAC) Meeting		Date:	Date:	Date:
<p>SAC meets during a scheduled meeting to discuss and create a ballot with written proposals aligned to the approved use of the school recognition awards in Florida Statute 1008.36.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Advertise SAC meeting with the agenda to all stakeholders at least three (3) full business/work days prior to the meeting. Include the agenda. <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Voting will take place. Ensure a quorum is present (50% plus 1 of the total number of required SAC members). 2. Agenda must include "Florida School Recognition Program (A+ Funds) Proposals" as a topic. 3. SAC discusses the proposals and conducts a vote (SAC members only) to approve a written ballot which includes the proposals and "None of the Above" for the allocation of the funds. <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Leftover funds must be addressed on the ballot. 4. Record the A+ Funds discussion and results of the SAC vote in the minutes. 5. SAC should discuss the timeline for the upcoming staff vote. 	<p>Email at least two (2) SAC Meeting Advertisements (flyer, school website, newsletter, email, Parent Link, etc.) that include the meeting agenda (Sent to all stakeholders - staff, parents, community, etc., and includes the agenda, date, time and location of the meeting)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Advertisements must show they were sent/posted at least three (3) full business/work days prior to the meeting the agenda and the recipients (all stakeholders). 	11/30/25	12/17/25	
	<p>Email SAC Meeting Agenda</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Florida School Recognition Program (A+ Funds) Proposals" is shown as a topic. 	11/30/25	12/17/25	
	<p>Email SAC Meeting Minutes</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must reflect A+ Funds discussion, proposals, leftover funds, SAC vote for approved ballot proposals and the outcome of the vote, ballot creation for staff vote and discussion of the timeline for the upcoming staff vote. 	12/02/25	01/06/26	
	<p>Email SAC Meeting Sign-In Sheets</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • For SAC members and guests 	12/02/25	01/06/26	
	General Staff Vote		1st Vote Date:	2nd Vote (if applicable) Date:
<p>Staff votes by secret ballot on A+ Fund proposals.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Advertise general vote along with the official A+ Funds ballot in written form to all eligible staff members at least three (3) full business/work days prior to voting. 	<p>Email Written Advertisement to Staff (email, posted notice, etc.)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Advertisement must: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Go out at least three (3) business/work days prior to the vote and include the purpose of vote (e.g., voting on Florida 	12/11/25	01/13/26	

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2. Staff will vote on the advertised date and time by secret ballot. 3. Absent staff members can vote if they return to work no later than one (1) workday after the-vote. 4. The proposal with the majority of votes will be implemented. 5. If none of the proposals or 'None of the above' gets a majority of the votes, SAC reconvenes to restart the process.	School Recognition Program (A+ Funds) distribution, a copy of the SAC approved 2025-2026 Florida School Recognition Program (A+ Funds) Ballot, date, time and location of the vote.			
	Email 2025-2026 Staff Roster of Eligible Voters • All staff members that vote must sign next to their names on the roster.		01/07/26	
	Email Approved Ballot A copy of the 2025-2026 approved Florida School Recognition Program (A+ Funds) ballot.	12/05/25	01/07/26	
	Email Florida School Recognition Program (A+ Funds) Ballot Count Summary Sheet 2025-2026 • Each section of the form must be completed and must have all the required signatures.		01/16/26	



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Housekeeping

Florida School Recognition (A+) Funds Award

Save the Date: We will be having our SAC meeting on Tuesday, December 2nd at 5:15PM in the media center. This meeting will include developing and approval of the A+ School Recognition ballot. We look forward to seeing you there and hearing your input.

Deadlines Today

Holiday Party

With our annual holiday party quickly approaching, please make sure you pay by the end of the day. This party gets bigger and bigger every year and we look forward to seeing you and your partner/spouse there !!!

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Teachers - self assessment due today by 11:59 PM.

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SAC MEETING!

PARENTS & STAFF, JOIN US TO DISCUSS THE

FLORIDA SCHOOL RECOGNITION PROGRAM

(A+ FUNDS) BALLOT

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 2, 2025 • 5:15 PM

IN THE MEDIA CENTER

Looking forward to seeing everyone to give their input on the development & approval of the ballot!

The flyer features a vibrant blue background with white stars and clouds. At the top, a blue banner contains the school name. Below it, the words 'SAC MEETING!' are written in large, colorful, block letters. A central green chalkboard displays the program name and ballot title. A red banner below the chalkboard provides the date and time. The bottom section includes an illustration of school supplies (lightbulb, ruler, coins, pencil, globe, calculator) and a concluding message.

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December SAC Meeting - This TUESDAY!

Reminder

From Kirsten L. Gamber <kirsten.gamber@browardschools.com>

Date Sun 11/30/2025 5:28 PM

To Ann P. Landley <ann.landley@browardschools.com>; natasha.teague17@gmail.com <natasha.teague17@gmail.com>; 'naburge8@gmail.com' <naburge8@gmail.com>; 'nicolemurawski23@gmail.com' <nicolemurawski23@gmail.com>; 'jvarraso@gmail.com' <jvarraso@gmail.com>; Ashley Kirkman <ashrkirkman@gmail.com>; 'catzero617@gmail.com' <catzero617@gmail.com>; Danielle Bouchard <danielle8848@gmail.com>; Erica Bartfay <erica1201@gmail.com>; Anne M Russell <annerussellrp@gmail.com>; Elizabeth N. Harvey <elizabeth.harvey@browardschools.com>; 'dulce7240@gmail.com' <dulce7240@gmail.com>; Michelle L. Moyano <michelle.moyanowalker@browardschools.com>; Amanda Tietjen <artietjen@optonline.net>; Riva M. Frezza <riva.frezza@browardschools.com>; Stephanie S <stephaniesticht98@gmail.com>; FNE_ALL_STAFF <FNE_ALL_STAFF@browardschools.com>; Luke F. Balchaitis <luke.balchaitis@browardschools.com>; Natalie D. Smith <natalie.smith@browardschools.com>; 'catzero617@gmail.com' <catzero617@gmail.com>

2 attachments (405 KB)

SAC Minutes November 25-26.pdf; SAC December 25-26 Agenda.pdf;

Good afternoon Floranada SAC members,

I apologize for the short notice and I hope everyone had a nice holiday! Our next SAC meeting will take place this Tuesday, December 2nd at 5:15PM in the media center.

This is an important meeting! We will be discussing our Florida School Recognition Program (A+ Funds) award and developing our ballot for funds distribution.

Please find attached:

- November minutes to approve
- Agenda

-Ms. Gamber & Mrs. Landley



Ms. Kirsten Gamber

✉ kirsten.gamber@browardschools.com

3rd Grade Teacher - Floranada Elementary

Reading Education, M.Ed

ESOL, Reading Endorsed



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5251 NE 14th Way, Fort Lauderdale, Fl. 33334

Luke Balchaitis, Principal Karen Dallas, Assistant Principal

School Advisory Council (SAC)

December 2, 2025 – 5:15 pm

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- Call to order, Welcome, and Norms – Mrs. Landley
- Roll Call and Approval and/or Correction of minutes for November – Ms. Gamber
- New Business
 1. Florida School Recognition Program (A+ Funds) Award
 1. Develop/Approve Ballot Creation (Sample Ballot)
- **Principal – Mr. Balchaitis - Reports**
 1. School Improvement Plan [2024-2025]
 2. SAC Accountability Funds – \$14,013.36
 3. Review Parent Involvement Allocation Funds - \$2,911.00
 4. School Environment Safety Incident Reporting (SESIR)
 5. School Recognition Funds - \$41,018.70
- Old Business
- Announcements
 1. Next Meeting: January 6, 2026
- Concerns/Questions

Dates to Remember:

- December 2-11: FAST PM2 Reading & Math
- December 9: PTA Birthday Table
- December 12: Super Citizen Ceremony
- December 13: PTA Winter Wonderland
- December 15-18: Classroom Holiday Parties
- December 19: Terrific Kids Ceremony

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School Advisory Council (SAC) Meeting Minutes

December 2, 2025 – 5:15 PM

Media Center

1. Call to Order, Welcome, and Norms

The meeting was called to order at 5:15 PM by Mrs. Landley.

Meeting norms were reviewed: attend meetings on time, begin meetings on time, adhere to the agenda, keep a tone of decency, respect speakers, keep comments brief, ensure equal participation, and avoid dominating discussions.

2. Roll Call and Approval of November Minutes

Roll call was conducted by Ms. Gamber. A quorum was confirmed (50% + 1 of required SAC members).

The November meeting minutes were reviewed. A typographical reference from the previous meeting (“grooming school”) was clarified to mean “grooming school fence.”

Motion to approve: Amanda Straka

Second: Ashley Kirkman

Minutes approved.

3. New Business

A. Florida School Recognition Program (A+ Funds) Award

1. Development and Approval of Written Ballot

Ms. Landley presented the written ballot, required by Florida Statute 1008.36, consisting of the following options:

- Proposal 1: *100% of funds are for a one-time bonus to be divided equally among all 2024–2025 faculty and staff that worked at least 100 days (excluding Personal/Sick days) including our school psychologist and social worker who will each receive 50% of the equally divided amount.*
- Proposal 2: *None of the above.*

Additional discussion included: Committee reviewed the statutory requirement that ballots **must** include “None of the Above.” Members discussed that this year’s A+ funds were lower statewide due to a significant increase in the number of A-rated schools. Clarification was given that staff employed less than 100 days do not qualify for distribution. SAC discussed whether staff not full-time need a reduced percentage and confirmed the ballot wording reflects that proportional distribution. Mr. Cherson raised a question about whether schools with larger or smaller staff “dilute the pot,” and the principal confirmed allocations statewide are formula-based.

Motion to approve the A+ Funds ballot: Sandy Barry

Second: Danielle Bouchard-Evans

Ballot approved unanimously.

SAC confirmed the ballot will be distributed to faculty and staff for the official staff vote, meeting all A+ Funds Checklist requirements.

4. Principal's Reports – Mr. Balchaitis

1. School Improvement Plan (SIP) 2024–2025

Staff were encouraged to review SIP goals in preparation for monitoring discussions in January. No questions were raised.

2. SAC Accountability Funds – \$14,013.36

Mr. Balchaitis provided an update on the use of accountability funds: Proposal for January–March Academic Camp for grades 3–5.

- \$12,487 would be used for teacher salaries (\$40/hour).
- \$1,526.36 would be used for instructional supplies.

Discussion included: Camps often improve student performance and free teachers to run small instructional groups. Other schools sometimes struggle to run camps due to staffing or funding limitations. Mr. Cherson asked whether students from other schools could attend; the principal clarified that programs must serve Floranada students only.

Motion to approve allocation of funds: Nathan Cherson

Second: Amanda Straka

Allocation approved unanimously.

Motion approved.

3. School Recognition Funds – \$41,018.70

Mr. Balchaitis reviewed non-A+ recognition funds intended for instructional benefit. The school ordered materials in September, but orders have not yet been released by the district. Recognition funds would help bridge gaps while awaiting district fulfillment.

Discussion included: Use of funds for UFLI materials due to delays in district-ordered instructional items. Need for substitute coverage for grade-level planning days. The district provides some substitute funds, but not enough to cover needed collaborative planning. SAC members discussed balancing materials vs. staffing needs.

Final proposal:

\$10,000 for substitutes for collaborative planning

\$7,500 for instructional materials

Motion to approve: Stephanie Dunhill

Second: Sandy Barry

Allocation approved unanimously.

Motion approved.

4. Parent Involvement Allocation Funds – \$2,911.00

Funds reviewed; no questions were raised.

5. School Environmental Safety Incident Reporting (SESIR)

No update. No questions were raised.

6. Additional Principal Updates

a. Testing Calendar – FAST PM2

Third grade testing began December 2. Grades 4–5 reading and math assessments scheduled throughout the week. K–2 has flexible scheduling.

5. Old Business

No old business was discussed.

6. Announcements

Next SAC Meeting: January 6, 2026

PTA and school event reminders: FAST PM2 Reading & Math: Dec. 2–11, PTA Birthday Table: Dec. 9, Super Citizen Ceremony: Dec. 12, PTA Winter Wonderland: Dec. 13, Classroom Holiday Parties: Dec. 15–18, Terrific Kids Ceremony: Dec. 19

7. Concerns/Questions

A question was raised about AI references in school recognition documentation; the principal clarified that this was tied to broader district initiatives. Members asked follow-up questions regarding A+ funds distribution, staff requirements, and timelines for the staff vote.

No additional questions were presented.

8. Adjournment

Motion to adjourn: Ashley Kirkman

Second: Sandy Barry




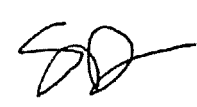



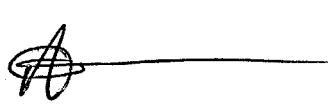
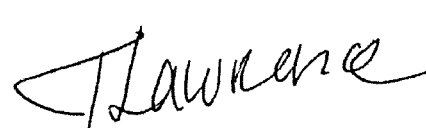
Meeting adjourned at 6:27 PM.

☆ SAC Sign in Sheet for Floranada ES (0851)

SAC

Date: 12/2/25



Time: 5:15

#	SAC Member Full Name	Position	SBBC Employee	Parent of Student	Sign Here
1	Balchaitis, Luke	Principal	Yes	No	
2	Barry, Sandy	Community / Business Representatives	No	No	
3	Bouchard Evans, Danielle	Parent	No	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	
4	Cabarcas-Osman, Sarah	Parent	No	Yes	
5	Cherson, Nathan	Community School Representative (if applicable)	No	No	
6	Dunhill, Stephanie	Gifted Parent of a student at the school	No	Yes	
7	Feluren, Oshrat	SAC Secretary	Yes	Yes	
8	Foresi, Candice	BTU Steward (or designee)	Yes	No	
9	Gamber, Kirsten	SAC Co-Chair	Yes	No	
10	Kirkman, Ashley	SAF Chair (or designee) Parent of a student at the school	No	Yes	
11	Landley, Ann	SAC Co-Chair	Yes	No	
12	Lawrence, Terri	I-Zone Representative (must be a parent)	No	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	
13	Nocera, Lourdes	Teacher	Yes	No	

SAC

Date: 12/2/25

Time: 5:15

#	SAC Member Full Name	Position	SBBC Employee	Parent of Student	Sign Here
14	Persaud, Geeta	Non-Instructional Support Employees	<u>Yes</u>	No	
15	Persaud, Tony	Non-Instructional Support Employees	Yes	No	
16	Ryan, Lauren	BTU Steward (or designee), Teacher	Yes	Yes	
17	Siegel, Taylor	Pre-K (if applicable - parent or certified teacher)	No	Yes	
18	Smith, Natalie	Teacher	Yes	No	
19	Straka, Amanda	Parent	No	Yes	
20	Teague Maderos, Natasha	Parent	No	Yes	
21	Yset, Ana	Parent	No	Yes	
22	Zhukvskaya, Irina	ESOL Parent of a student at the school	No	Yes	
23	Zimmerman, Gina	ESE Parent of a student at the school	No	Yes	



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Florida School Recognition Program (A+ Funds) Staff Ballot

Directions: ONLY vote for 1 of the Proposals

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Proposal 2:

None of the above: _____



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None of the above: _____



Outlook

Re: SAC/SAF Meeting for January 6, 2026

From Ann P. Landley <ann.landley@browardschools.com>

Date Wed 12/17/2025 3:31 PM

To Kirsten L. Gamber <kirsten.gamber@browardschools.com>; natasha.teague17@gmail.com <natasha.teague17@gmail.com>; 'naburge8@gmail.com' <naburge8@gmail.com>; 'nicolemurawski23@gmail.com' <nicolemurawski23@gmail.com>; 'jvarraso@gmail.com' <jvarraso@gmail.com>; Ashley Kirkman <ashrkirkman@gmail.com>; 'catzero617@gmail.com' <catzero617@gmail.com>; Danielle Bouchard <danielle8848@gmail.com>; Erica Bartfay <erica1201@gmail.com>; Anne M Russell <annerussellrp@gmail.com>; Elizabeth N. Harvey <elizabeth.harvey@browardschools.com>; 'dulce7240@gmail.com' <dulce7240@gmail.com>; Michelle L. Moyano <michelle.moyanowalker@browardschools.com>; Amanda Tietjen <artietjen@optonline.net>; Riva M. Frezza <riva.frezza@browardschools.com>; Stephanie S <stephaniesticht98@gmail.com>; FNE_ALL_STAFF <FNE_ALL_STAFF@browardschools.com>; Luke F. Balchaitis <luke.balchaitis@browardschools.com>; Natalie D. Smith <natalie.smith@browardschools.com>; 'catzero617@gmail.com' <catzero617@gmail.com>

 2 attachments (181 KB)

SAC Minutes December 25-26.docx; SAC January 25-26 Agenda.docx;

Good morning Floranada SAC Members,

We hope this message finds you well and enjoying a joyful holiday season. As we prepare to usher in the new year, we extend our warmest wishes for health, happiness, and blessings in 2026.

Our **next School Advisory Committee meeting (SAC)** will be held on **Tuesday, January 6, 2026, at 5:30 PM in the Media Center.** Our **SAF meeting** will follow immediately after SAC.

This meeting is very importance as we will be revisiting our **Florida School Recognition (A+ Funds) Award Ballot** for funds distribution, reviewing our **mid-year school data**, and other **important matter**. Your presence and input are essential to ensuring that Floranada finishes the school year strong. Together, we'll set the tone for success in 2026 and continue building momentum for our students, staff, families, and community.

Thank you for your dedication and leadership.

Mrs. Landley and Ms. Gamber

2nd Grade Teacher

SAC Co-Chair

Floranada Elementary

<https://www.donorschoose.org/Ms.BrownLandley>

"A teacher affects eternity; he can never tell where his influence stops." — Henry Adams

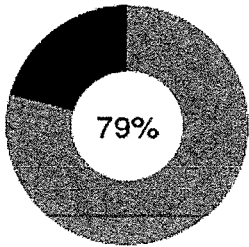
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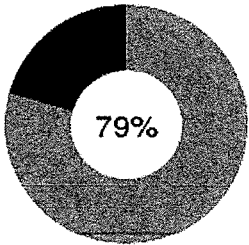
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This meeting is very important as we will be revisiting our **Florida School Recognition (A+ Funds) Award Ballot** for funds distribution. We look forward to your input.

Thank you!



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 2. Mid-Year Data Review based on the School Improvement Plan goals
- **Principal – Mr. Balchaitis - Reports**
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- Concerns/Questions

Dates to Remember:

- January 9: Picnic and Flick
- January 13: Birthday Table
- January 16: Super Citizen Ceremony [Respect]
- January 22: Honor Roll Assembly
- January 23: 5th Grade Field Trip [Disney]

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January 6, 2026 – 5:15 PM

Media Center

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Roll Call and Approval of December Minutes

Roll call was conducted by Ms. Gamber. A quorum was confirmed (50% + 1 of required SAC members).

The December meeting minutes were reviewed.

Motion to approve: Nathan Cherson

Second: Gina Zimmerman

Minutes approved.

New Business

1. Florida School Recognition Program (A+ Funds) Award

A. Development and Approval of Written Ballot

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Motion to approve the A+ Funds ballot: Sandy Barry

Second: Danielle Bouchard-Evans

Ballot approved unanimously.

- Luke Balchaitis: Yes
- Sandy Barry: Yes
- Danielle Bouchard-Evans: Yes
- Nathan Cherson: Yes
- Oshrat Feluren: Yes
- Candice Foresi: Yes
- Kirsten Gamber: Yes
- Ashley Kirkman: Yes
- Ann Landley: Yes
- Geeta Persaud: Yes
- Amanda Straka: Yes
- Ana Yset: Yes
- Gina Zimmerman: Yes

SAC confirmed the ballot will be distributed to faculty and staff for the official staff vote, meeting all A+ Funds Checklist requirements.

Principal's Reports – Mr. Balchaitis

1. Mid-Year Data Review

Student assessment scores were sent home and are also available in FOCUS. Mr. Balchaitis shared that while each cohort differs year to year, reviewing multi-year trends provides valuable insight.

Key highlights included:

- Kindergarten math proficiency increased from 28% (three years ago) to 37% (last year) and now 72%.
- Similar growth trends were observed in kindergarten reading, attributed to strong VPK programs and parent support.
- Fourth grade math and reading were among the top in Broward County by PM3 last year and remain in the top five for PM2 this year.
- Third grade math showed a decrease in PM2 proficiency compared to last year, currently at 42% proficient.

Overall trends indicate strong growth across grade levels. Notably, the number of students scoring in the yellow range has surpassed those in the red range, indicating more students are approaching proficiency.

Mr. Balchaitis emphasized the mid-year instructional shift toward PM3 preparation, focusing on building testing stamina and test-taking strategies while maintaining a balance of approximately 90% core instruction and 10% test preparation, increasing as assessments approach.

Mr. Cherson asked when intervention camp would begin. Ms. Dallas shared that camp will begin the last week of January and continue through spring break (mid-March). Interest surveys have been sent to teachers, and student invitation letters will be distributed shortly.

2. School Improvement Plan (SIP) 2024–2025

No updates. No changes are being made to goals. No questions were raised.

2. SAC Accountability Funds – \$14,013.36

Mr. Balchaitis reviewed previously approved expenditures for intervention camp and instructional resources, including substitute coverage. Due to district budget constraints, substitutes must be properly coded or sent home. The approved funds will assist with planning coverage, particularly for upcoming teacher data chats.

Ms. Barry asked for clarification on how data chats operate. Mr. Balchaitis explained their purpose and structure.

Mr. Balchaitis also shared that a district-wide hiring freeze remains in effect. Vacancies due to maternity leave, retirement, or resignation must be covered internally (e.g., by instructional coaches). Ms. Zimmerman asked whether paraprofessionals could substitute; Mr. Balchaitis clarified that only certified personnel may do so.

Budget scrutiny also extends to field trips, instructional materials, and professional development.

Mr. Cherson asked about funding for the teacher supply store. Mr. Balchaitis stated he was unsure of the funding source but noted it often relies on fundraising and donations.

Ms. Yset asked about projected enrollment declines for next year. Mr. Balchaitis shared that district projections were previously off by approximately 10,000 students, and current projections remain uncertain.

No update was available regarding whether unused funds will be reclaimed.

3. School Recognition Funds – \$41,018.70

Funds reviewed; no questions were raised.

4. Parent Involvement Allocation Funds – \$2,911.00

Funds reviewed; no questions were raised.

5. School Environmental Safety Incident Reporting (SESIR)

No update. No questions were raised.

6. Old Business

No old business was discussed.

7. Announcements

Next SAC Meeting: February 3, 2026

PTA and school event reminders: Picnic and Flick, Birthday Table, Super Citizen Ceremony, Honor Roll Assembly, 5th Grade Field Trip

8. Concerns/Questions

No additional questions were presented.

9. Adjournment

Motion to adjourn: Nathan Cherson

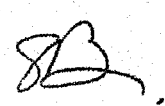

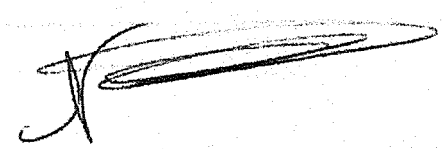
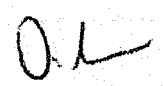
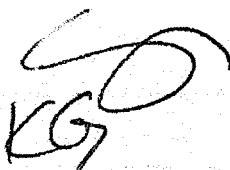
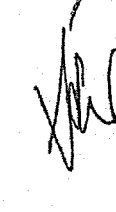
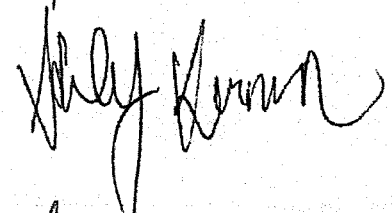
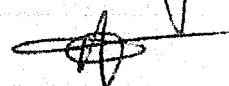
Second: Sandy Barry

Meeting adjourned at 5:56 PM.

★ SAC Sign in Sheet for Floranada ES (0851)

Date: 1/6/26

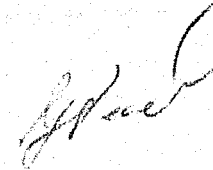
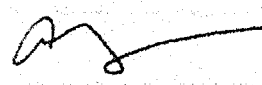
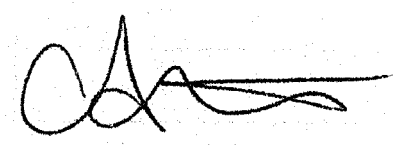

Time: 5:15

#	SAC Member Full Name	Position	SBBC Employee	Parent of Student	Sign Here
1	Balchaitis, Luke	Principal	Yes	No	
2	Barry, Sandy	Community / Business Representatives	No	No	
3	Bouchard Evans, Danielle	Parent	No	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes	
4	Cabarcas-Osman, Sarah	Parent	No	Yes	
5	Cherson, Nathan	Community School Representative (if applicable)	No	No	
6	Dunhill, Stephanie	Gifted Parent of a student at the school	No	Yes	
7	Feluren, Oshrat	SAC Secretary	Yes	Yes	
8	Foresi, Candice	BTU Steward (or designee)	Yes	No	
9	Gamber, Kirsten	SAC Co-Chair	Yes	No	
10	Kirkman, Ashley	SAF Chair (or designee) Parent of a student at the school	No	Yes	
11	Landley, Ann	SAC Co-Chair	Yes	No	
12	Lawrence, Terri	I-Zone Representative (must be a parent)	No	Yes	
13	Nocera, Lourdes	Teacher	Yes	No	



Date: _____

Time: _____

#	SAC Member Full Name	Position	SBBC Employee	Parent of Student	Sign Here
14	Persaud, Geeta	Non-Instructional Support Employees	Yes	No	
15	Persaud, Tony	Non-Instructional Support Employees	Yes	No	
16	Ryan, Lauren	BTU Steward (or designee), Teacher	Yes	Yes	
17	Siegel, Taylor	Pre-K (if applicable - parent or certified teacher)	No	Yes	
18	Smith, Natalie	Teacher	Yes	No	
19	Straka, Amanda	Parent	No	Yes	
20	Teague Maderos, Natasha	Parent	No	Yes	
21	Yset, Ana	Parent	No	Yes	
22	Zhukvskaya, Irina	ESOL Parent of a student at the school	No	Yes	
23	Zimmerman, Gina	ESE Parent of a student at the school	No	Yes	

Re: Notification of Florida School Recognition Program (A+ Funds) Voting – December 11

From Ann P. Landley <ann.landley@browardschools.com>
Date Fri 12/5/2025 7:35 AM
To FNE_ALL_STAFF <FNE_ALL_STAFF@browardschools.com>

VOID


Good afternoon, Floranada Family,

This message serves as the official notification that voting for the Florida School Recognition Program (A+ Funds) will take place on **Thursday, December 11, 2025**. The voting will take place in **Mrs. Ryan's office**.

Voting Times:

- **Morning:** 7:35–7:55 AM
- **Afternoon:** 2:15–2:55 PM

Please see the ballot below for your review. **You do not need to print it.** Printed copies will be provided for you to complete when you arrive to vote.

 **Floranada Elementary School**
5251 NE 14th Way, Fort Lauderdale, FL 33334

Florida School Recognition Program (A+ Funds) Staff Ballot

Directions: ONLY vote for 1 of the Proposals

Proposal 1: _____
100% of funds are for a one-time bonus to be divided equally among the 2024-2025 faculty and staff that worked at least 100 days (excluding Personal/Sick Days) including our school psychologist and social worker who will each receive 50% of the equally divided amount.

Proposal 2:
None of the above: _____

Thank you in advance for participating in this process. Your voice matters in this process, and we appreciate your engagement and support.

Please reach out if you have any questions. Stay awesome.

2nd Grade Teacher
Floranada Elementary
<https://www.donorschoose.org/Ms.BrownLandley>

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2025-2026 Staff Routing Roster

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ADMINISTRATION

___ Balchaitis, Luke
___ Dallas, Karen

CLERICAL (6)

HP Hutcheson, Harriett Media Clerk
ML Lichtenberg, Marcia Tech Support Spec
GP Persaud, Geeta Clerk
CO Ruttenberg, Renee Office Manager
SM Tueros, Martha I.M.T.
RT Tobin, Rita Clerk

Pre-KINDERGARTEN (2)

___ Costello, Victoria
FR Delacruz, Isabella

KINDERGARTEN (5)

EW Edmondson, Maria
___ Harvey, Elizabeth
AL Konowalchuk, Aspen
___ Russell, Anne
CW Wood, Candi

1ST GRADE (5)

DD Black, Jennifer
___ Burns, Maribel
KCP Crunkleton, Kristin
D Nocera, Lourdes
___ Wright, Lindsay

2nd GRADE (5)

AL Landley, Ann
W Moyano, Michelle
MR Rutherford, Michele
R Schradel, Kristy
SW Walden, Stephany

3rd Grade (5)

KB Bitar, Kirsten
RP Botero, Rocio
KG Gamber, Kirsten
MM Mobley, Melissa
AA Tietjen, Amanda

4th GRADE (4)

VC Curtis, Vicki
OP Feluren. Oshrat
IN Nitowski, Tara
MR Steffes, Marianne

5th GRADE (5)

___ Anderson, Stephanie
DC Carracino, Dena
___ Frezza, Riva
PR McGrew, Robin
Z Zide, Jennifer

SPECIAL PROGRAMS ESE (7)

NP Burger, Nicole Autism
MC Calderon, Maria Autism
CC Charles, Cherise Autism
MM Murawski, Nicole Autism
SO Obusan, Geanievive Autism
RI Reyes, Israel Autism
HN Vargas, Heidi Autism

ELECTIVES (4)

___ Flower, Mary Art
MS McSweeney, James Music
MP Morgan, Peggy Science
SV Vuguin, Sergio PE

SUPPORT PERSONNEL (13)

PP Barclay, Kriss Guidance Counselor
SC Christoff, Severina Autism Coach
CD Doyle, Jane ESE Support Facilitator
CF Foresi, Candice Math Coach
SH Hernandez, Stacey ESE Support Facilitator
KAT Jordan, Kate School Psychologist
EM Matthews, Emily Speech ✓
___ McGarry, Lisa Social Worker
LR Ryan, Lauren ESE Specialist
NS Smith, Natalie Literacy Coach
MT Thomas, Meenu Speech ✓
___ Twells, Elizabeth ESE Clerk

Paraprofessionals (19)

LIB Bess, Lawana
CS Carlson, Sunshine
CM Corll, Mary
CC Coyer, Camille
PD Damore, Donna ✓
DM Doe, Miranda
GD Duarte, Georgia ✓
KS Khadhraoui, Sarra
ML McCann, Lucy

___ Morales-Garcia, Melar
PN Naveira, Patricia
RP Pascual, Rosa
LP Poer, Lena
RR Rizzo, Rosemary
JK Rodriguez, Josselyn
NR Rosen, Natalie
NR Ryan, Nicole
TV Tanelus, Valansta
JR Ussa, Ruby

FACILITIES (4)

HJF Flores, Henry
CH Holmes, Carrie
AP Persaud, Anthony ✓
___ Wright, Thomas

DINING ROOM (5)

MP Piedrahita, Maria ✓
RA Arias, Romelia ✓
CP Pulver, Cindy ✓
NQ Quintero, Marlyn
HE Hasna Eddamiri

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Security (3)

MM Maurin, Magaret/Monitor
___ Parker, Fred/ Guardian
___ Harden, Priscilla

2025-2026 Florida School Recognition Program (A+ Funds) Ballot Count Summary Sheet

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SCHOOL INFORMATION

School:	Floranada Elem.	Date of Staff Vote:	12-11-2025
Principal:	Luke Balchaitis	BTU Steward (or Designee):	Lauren Ryan
SAC Chair/Co-Chairs:	Landley and Gumber	Other (if applicable):	

Provide the information below.

RECORD SAC APPROVED PROPOSALS BELOW

1.	100% of the funds are for a one-time bonus divided equally among 24-25 faculty and staff who worked at least 100 days (excluding sick/personal days) including social worker and school psychologist who will each receive 50% of the equally divided amount.
2.	
3.	None of the Above

STAFF VOTE




The proposal that receives a majority of the votes shall be considered the winning proposal.

Proposal 1	Proposal 2	Proposal 3
(a) Total number of eligible staff members that voted for this proposal: 70	(a) Total number of eligible staff members that voted for this proposal: N/A	(a) Total number of eligible staff members that voted for this proposal: 3

FINAL RESULT

Check the proposal below that received a majority of the votes. *If "None of the Above" received a majority of the votes, follow the directions below.					
Proposal 1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Proposal 2	<input type="checkbox"/>	Proposal 3	*None of the Above Directions
Total number of eligible staff members that voted for the winning proposal/option: 70				If "None of the Above" received a majority of the votes, SAC must reconvene to restart the process and complete it by Sunday, February 1, 2026.	

SIGNATURES (must have all that are applicable)

Principal:		BTU Steward (or Designee):	
SAC Chair/Co-Chairs:		Other (if applicable):	

Re: Notification of REVOTING for the Florida School Recognition Program (A+ Funds) Voting – January 13, 2026

From Ann P. Landley <ann.landley@browardschools.com>
Date Wed 1/7/2026 3:08 PM
To FNE_ALL_STAFF <FNE_ALL_STAFF@browardschools.com>

Good afternoon, Floranada Family,

This message serves as the official notification that revoting for the Florida School Recognition Program (A+ Funds) will take place on **Tuesday, January 13, 2026**. The voting will take place in **Mrs. Ryan's office**.

Voting Times:

- **Morning:** 7:35–7:55 AM
- **Afternoon:** 2:15–2:55 PM

The **make-up day** for those who were unable to do so on Tuesday is **Wednesday, January 14, 2026**, at the same times mentioned above.

Please see the ballot below for your review. **You do not need to print it**. Printed copies will be provided for you to complete when you arrive to vote.



Floranada Elementary School

5251 NE 14th Way, Fort Lauderdale, FL 33334



Florida School Recognition Program (A+ Funds) Staff Ballot

Directions: ONLY vote for 1 of the Proposals

Proposal 1: _____

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Proposal 2:

None of the above: _____

Additionally, below is a copy of the sign in sheet for all the staff members who CAN vote. If your name is **NOT** on the list, please **DO NOT** come down to vote. Everyone will not vote, however, everyone eligible to earn the funds will receive it.

2025-2026 Staff Roster

ADMINISTRATION

Belchettis, Luke, Principal _____
Dallas, Karen, AP _____

CLERICAL

Hutcherson, Harriett, Media Clerk _____
Lichtenberg, Marcia, Tech Supp Spec _____
Persaud, Geeta, General Clerk _____
Ruttenberg, Renee, Office Manager _____
Tuesos, Martha, I.M.T. _____
Tobin, Rita, Clerk Typist _____

Pre-KINDERGARTEN/VPK

Castello, Victoria _____
Roy, Isabelle _____

KINDERGARTEN

Edmondson, Maria _____
Harvey, Elizabeth _____
Konawalchuk, Aspen _____
Russell, Anna _____
Wood, Candi _____

1ST GRADE

Black, Jennifer _____
Burns, Maribel _____
Crunkleton, Kristin _____
Nocera, Lourdes _____
Wright, Lindsay _____

2nd GRADE

Landley, Ann _____
Moyano, Michelle _____
Rutherford, Michele _____
Schrader, Kristy _____
Rouse-Walden, Stephany _____

3rd Grade

Blaz, Kirsten _____
Botero, Rocío _____
Gamber, Kirsten _____
Mobley, Melissa _____
Tietjen, Amanda _____

4th GRADE

Curtis, Vicki _____
Feluren, Oshrat _____
Nitowski, Tara _____
Steffes, Marianne _____

5th GRADE

Anderson, Stephanie _____
Carracino, Dana _____
Frezza, Riva _____
McGrew, Robin _____
Zide, Jennifer _____

AUTISM CLUSTER/SPECIAL PROGRAMS ESE

Burger, Nicole, Autism _____
Calderson, Maria, Autism _____
Charles, Cherise, Autism _____
Murawski, Nicole, Autism _____
Obusan, Geanliviwe, Autism _____
Reyes, Israel, Autism _____
Vargas, Heidi, Autism _____

ELECTIVES

Flower, Mary, Art _____
McSweeney, James, Music _____
Morgan, Peggy, Science _____
Vugulin, Sergio, PE _____

SUPPORT PERSONNEL

Barclay, Kriss, Guidance Counselor _____
Christoff, Severina, Autism Coach _____
Doyle, Jane, ESE Support Facilitator _____
Foresi, Candice, Math Coach _____
Hernandez, Stacey, ESE Support Facilitator _____
Matthews, Emily, Speech _____
Ryan, Lauren, ESE Specialist _____
Smith, Natatic, Literacy Coach _____
Thomas, Meenu, Speech _____
Twells, Elizabeth, Classroom Monitor _____

Paraprofessionals

Bess-Kates, Lewana _____
Carlson, Sunshine _____
Corll, Mary _____
Coyer, Camille _____
Damore, Donna _____
Doe, Miranda _____
Duarte, Georgiia _____
McCann, Lucy _____
Morales-Garcia, Melanie _____
Naveira, Patricia _____
Pascual, Rosa _____
Poe, Lena _____
Rizzo, Rosemary _____
Rodriguez, Josselyn _____
Rosen, Natalie _____
Ryon, Nicole _____
Tanelos, Valansta _____
Ussa, Ruby _____

Thank you in advance for participating in this process. Your voice matters in this process, and we appreciate your engagement and support.

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2025 - 2026 Staff Roster for Floranada Elementary School

ADMINISTRATION

Balchaitis, Luke, Principal [Signature]
Dallas, Karen, AP _____

CLERICAL

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Lichtenberg, Marcia, Tech Supp Spec _____
Persaud, Geeta, General Clerk [Signature]
Ruttenberg, Renee, Office Manager [Signature]
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KINDERGARTEN

Edmondson, Maria [Signature]
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Konowalchuk, Aspen _____
Russell, Anne [Signature]
Wood, Candi _____

1ST GRADE

Black, Jennifer [Signature]
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Nocera, Lourdes [Signature]
Wright, Lindsay _____

2nd GRADE

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Carlson, Sunshine [Signature]
Corll, Mary [Signature]
Coyer, Camille [Signature]
Damore, Donna [Signature]
Doe, Miranda [Signature]
Duarte, Georgia [Signature]
McCann, Lucy _____

Patricia Naveira [Signature]

3rd Grade

Bitar, Kirsten Kirsten Bitar
Botero, Rocio _____
Gamber, Kirsten Kirsten Gamber
Mobley, Melissa Melissa Mobley
Tietjen, Amanda _____

4th GRADE

Curtis, Vicki Vicki Curtis
Feluren, Oshrat Oshrat Feluren
Nitowski, Tara Tara Nitowski
Steffes, Marianne Marianne Steffes

5th GRADE

Anderson, Stephanie _____
Carracino, Dana Dana Carracino
Frezza, Riva _____
McGrew, Robin Robin McGrew
Zide, Jennifer _____

Morales-Garcia, Melanie _____

Naveira, Patricia _____

Pascual, Rosa Rosa Pascual

Poer, Lena Lena Poer

Rizzo, Rosemary _____

Rodriguez, Josselyn Josselyn Rodriguez

Rosen, Natalie Natalie Rosen

Ryan, Nicole Nicole Ryan

Tanelus, Valansta _____

Ussa, Ruby Ruby Ussa

FACILITIES

Flores, Henry _____

Holmes, Carrie _____

Persaud, Anthony _____

Wright, Thomas _____

Votes
(58)

Proposal 1: 54

Proposal 2: 4

Re: Thank You for Participating in the Florida School Recognition Program (A+ Funds) Vote

From Ann P. Landley <ann.landley@browardschools.com>
Date Thu 1/15/2026 4:31 PM
To FNE_ALL_STAFF <FNE_ALL_STAFF@browardschools.com>

Good afternoon, Staff,

Thank you for taking the time to participate in the Florida School Recognition Program (A+ Funds) vote. Your willingness to share your voice was greatly appreciated and help ensure a transparent and collaborative decision-making process.

We would like to share the results of the vote. A total of **58 staff members** participated. Of those votes, **54 staff members selected Option 1**, and **4 staff members selected Option 2**.

Thank you again for your commitment and continued support of our school community. Your participation truly makes a difference.

Sincerely,
Ann Landley (SAC Co-Chair)

2nd Grade Teacher
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From: Ann P. Landley <ann.landley@browardschools.com>
Sent: Tuesday, January 13, 2026 5:59 AM
To: FNE_ALL_STAFF <FNE_ALL_STAFF@browardschools.com>
Subject: Re: Notification of REVOTING for the Florida School Recognition Program (A+ Funds) Voting – January 13, 2026

Good morning Staff:
This is a friendly reminder to stop by Mrs. Ryan's office this morning to vote.
Thanks you

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2025-2026 Florida School Recognition Program (A+ Funds) Ballot Count Summary Sheet

SCHOOL INFORMATION

School:	Floranada Elementary School	Date of Staff Vote:	January 13, 2026
Principal:	Mr. Luke Balchaitis	BTU Steward (or Designee):	Mrs. Lauren Ryan
SAC Chair/Co-Chairs:	Mrs. Ann Landley Ms. Kristin Gamber	Other (if applicable):	

Provide the information below.

RECORD SAC APPROVED PROPOSALS BELOW

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3.	None of the Above

STAFF VOTE

The proposal that receives a majority of the votes shall be considered the winning proposal.

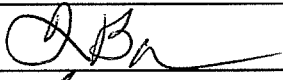
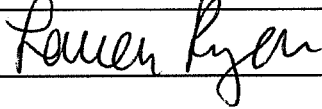
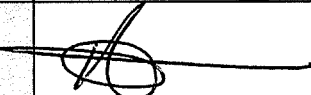
Proposal 1	Proposal 2	Proposal 3
(a) Total number of eligible staff members that voted for this proposal: 54	(a) Total number of eligible staff members that voted for this proposal: 4	(a) Total number of eligible staff members that voted for this proposal: NA

FINAL RESULT

Check the proposal below that received a majority of the votes. *If "None of the Above" received a majority of the votes, follow the directions below.

Proposal 1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Proposal 2	<input type="checkbox"/>	Proposal 3	<input type="checkbox"/>	*None of the Above Directions
Total number of eligible staff members that voted for the winning proposal/option:				54		If "None of the Above" received a majority of the votes, SAC must reconvene to restart the process and complete it by Sunday, February 1, 2026.

SIGNATURES (must have all that are applicable)

Principal:		BTU Steward (or Designee):	
SAC Chair/Co-Chairs:		Other (if applicable):	