

**Floranada Elementary School
School Advisory Forum (SAF)
Agenda**

Presented: February 3, 2026 @ 6:15 PM

1. Welcome & Meeting Norms
2. District (North Area) Updates
3. Academics & Testing Updates
4. Graduation Updates
5. District Hiring Freeze
6. School Funding & Resources
7. Questions & Discussion
8. Important Dates & Reminders

Meeting Minutes

Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 6:15 PM by Mrs. Kirkman. Mrs. Kirkman then shared the information that she gathered from the meeting with the SAF committee as outlined below.

District Academic & Testing Updates

Students across Broward County are showing strong academic growth. Schools are focusing on targeted interventions, student goal setting, and progress monitoring.

Graduation Updates

Graduation venues may vary due to cost savings and capacity. Some ceremonies will take place on school campuses or smaller venues.

District Hiring Freeze

A hiring freeze is currently in place. Schools are prioritizing classroom coverage and may use district staff to fill vacancies temporarily.

School Funding & Resources

Discussion included SAC/Accountability funding and how funds are used to support student needs.

Parent Questions & Concerns

Parents discussed concerns related to understanding student data, access to tutoring, and fairness in resources.

Important Dates

District Advisory Meeting: February 11, 2026

North Area Advisory Meeting: February 19, 2026

Adjournment




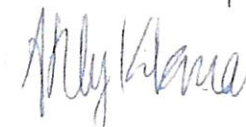
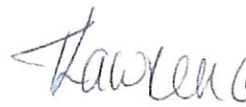
The meeting ended at 6:40 PM with a motion to adjourn by Mrs. Dunhill and seconded by Mr. Balchaitis.

☆ SAC Sign in Sheet for Floranada ES (0851)

SAF


Date: 2/3/26

Time: 6:15

#	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"/>	
4	Cabarcas-Osman, Sarah	Parent	No	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	
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="radio"/>	
13	Nocera, Lourdes	Teacher	Yes	No	

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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	