



Helix English Learner  
Advisory Committee  
(ELAC)

# **ELAC Agenda**

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# Your Helix English Learner Team

**Elena Smith:**

English Learner Administrator

**Grade Level Teams:**

Principals, Counselors, Academic Advisors,  
Social Workers, Administrative Assistants



# Introductions:

An illustration on the left side of the page features a stylized globe with green continents and blue oceans. Below the globe, several hands of various skin tones (dark brown, light brown, pink, and light skin) are shown reaching upwards, some adorned with colorful beaded bracelets. The entire scene is set against a light green background.

**1.**

Your name and your student's name and grade

**2.**

Language(s) you speak and home country

**3.**

What concerns and/or dreams do you have for your student? What questions do you have about Helix and/or the English Learner program?

# What is ELAC?

- The English Learner Advisory Committee is a group for parents whose children are English Learners





# Get involved!

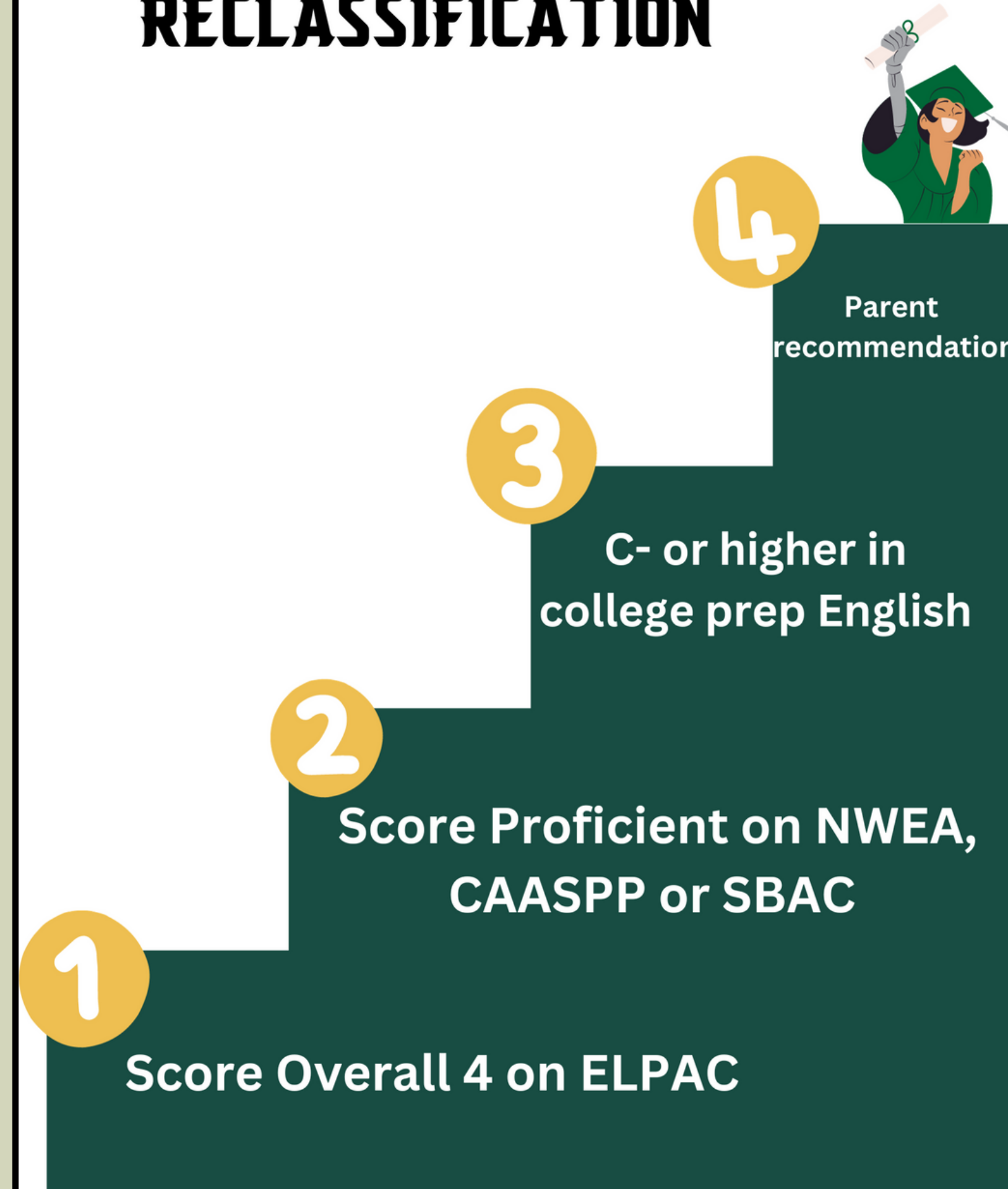
## Elected positions:

- **Chair:** Presides over all meetings and meets with the Principal in advance of meetings to set the agenda for the upcoming meeting.
- **Vice-Chair:** Steps in to fulfill the role of the Chair when the Chair is unable to make a meeting.
- **Secretary:** Records and keeps the minutes of actions taken. Minutes are reviewed at each ELAC meeting.



# How does your student reclassify as fluent English proficient (RFEP)?

## STEPS TO RECLASSIFICATION



# Student Supports

<b>ELD/Academic Support/Study Skills</b>	<b>Bilingual Peer Tutors</b>	<b>Academic Coaches</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Academic reading, writing, speaking, and listening</li><li>• Homework help/tutoring</li><li>• Academic habits (homework planner, grade checks, goal setting, reflection)</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Help English Learners in Academic Support and/or in their math, science, history, etc. classes</li><li>• Academic mentors/tutors</li><li>• Welcome students</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Tutor English Learners in Academic Support and/or in their English class</li><li>• Multilingual</li><li>• Grade checks, assign tutorials, accountability, etc.</li></ul>

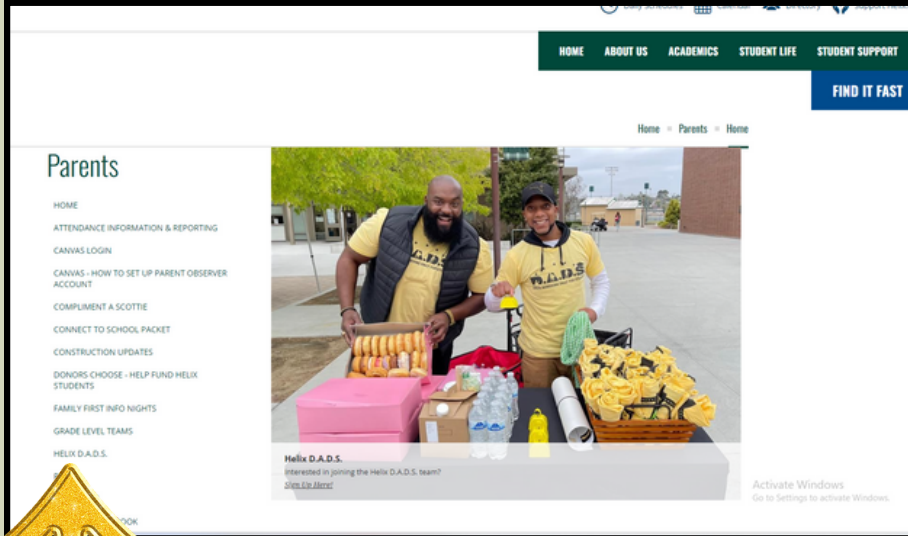


# Student Supports

## Canvas Observer/ ParentVue



- see your student's grades/ missing work
- message teachers



- See your student's:
- report card
  - attendance
  - ELPAC scores

## Tutorials

### Monday-Thursday:

Tutorials in rooms 1340/1350 or 1630

### Monday/Wednesday:

Art, English, LOTE, PE, Performing Arts, Science

### Tuesday/Thursday:

Business, Family/Consumer Science, Math, Social Science, Tech

## Talking Points

Communicate w/ teachers in your home language (Two-way translation)



# Attendance matters!

The most important thing you can do for your student's education is ensure that they are in school every single day.

