



VAN BUSKIRK
ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
The school next to the Rodeo.

Van Buskirk Parent Involvement Policy

Van Buskirk acknowledges that a strong partnership must exist between the home and school so that each child is empowered to achieve his or her full potential to become a life-long learner and responsible citizen. Our staff is committed to strengthening that partnership by:

- Establishing effective communication between the school and the home which provides families with information regarding school programs and activities, parent night opportunities for family involvement, and information regarding student progress.
- Providing students with challenging learning opportunities using learning resources that reflect the diversity of our community.
- Promoting the general health, welfare and safety of children.
- Actively involving families in the decision making process through monthly informal Cafecitos with the Principal, and Site Council opportunities for decision-making
- Working with families to assure good student attendance.
- Communicating and collaborating with families regarding expectations and celebrations in the area of student conduct.