










Janie Howard Wilson SAC Sign-In

Friday, March 6, 2026

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SAC Agenda School Advisory Council Friday, March 6, 2026

- Welcome
- Approve January minutes
- SLA- Mrs. Maldonado or Dawn Snider
- Administrative Report—Mrs. Griffiths
 - SIP Needs Assessment 2026-2027
- SAC Co-Chair
- Vote SAC By-Laws 2025-2026- Mr. Miller
- School Compact- Vote in March- Mrs. Finnell
- Board Seat Members- Mrs. Griffiths

Next Meeting: Friday, May 1, 2026 @ 1:00p.m.

Thank you for supporting Janie Howard Wilson!

Janie Howard Wilson Elementary SAC Minutes – January 23, 2026

Attendance: Kim Griffiths; John Miller; Esmeralda Getthmann; Eric Stoudermire; Charlisha Lloyd-Venson; Jeanette Sepulveda; Jasmine Gray; Lynn Johnson; LaQuanda Burroughs

Call to Order:

A meeting of the Janie Howard Wilson Elementary School Advisory Council was held in the Professional Learning Community (PLC) Room on 01/23/2026. Chair John Miller called the meeting to order at 1:09pm. Kim Griffiths will record minutes for this meeting.

Minutes:

Jeanette Sepulveda motioned to approve the minutes of October 24, 2026 with no corrections. No opposed.

Old Business:

- JHW has been awarded several grants. We have received the Florida Blue grant to provide snacks to the clinic, the resiliency grant for us to have an area for students to reflect and work towards improvement when having a difficult day, creative art grant for much needed art materials, and a grant for our IB exhibition. We want to thank Mrs. Simpson, Ms. Gunn, and Mrs. Stull for their efforts.
- Mrs. Gethmann's class won a pizza party for the can food drive in November.
- Our second-grade team did an amazing job kicking off our first IB Exhibition in November. They focused on historical landmarks.
- Our fifth-grade flag football team did an outstanding job taking first place and shout out to our cheer team! They provided a solid team performance and we look forward to their upcoming cheer competition. Thank you to Coach Stull and Ms. Gunn for their work with the students and the multiple practices. We also want to thank Mr. Stoudermire, Mrs. Howard, and Mrs. Whitaker for their work with the students.
- Girl Scouts has been growing strong and we have a waiting list for each grade level. We are moving towards creating a cookie booth this year to have cookie sales this year.
- To prepare for Thanksgiving, our first-grade team kicked off a parade for their Balloons Over Broadway and we had a fantastic Thanksgiving Lunch. Mrs. Spor and her team did an amazing job and we are so thankful for their work.
- Our Great American Teach in showcased the strong community support. We are thankful for all those that took their time to share their knowledge and volunteer their time.
- Our second graders also got to go to Green Meadows Farm, Pinklicious, and Circle B.
- Our fourth and fifth graders have the opportunity to go to Bok Tower. Thank you to the Splash Grant for providing this opportunity.
- Our first graders also had the opportunity to attend the Pinklicious performance at South Florida Community College.
- Second grade, third grade, and Kindergarten have gone to Frazier Field to give back to the community with clean ups at the park. We appreciate their efforts!
- Thank you to First Baptist Church for hosting our Memories with Santa night. It was a great event. Thank you to our Kindergarten team, our leadership team, and our families.
- Thank you to Jan Lewis for organizing and supporting our holiday party for our Silver Streaks.
- Our fifth grade A-Team recently showed huge growth with their competition skills and earned fourth place in the Polk County competition. Thank you to Ms. Gunn for her work preparing our students.

New Business:

- Bok North. She has been a great mentor and advisor. We also thank her for having her students volunteer with our primary classes with increasing literacy.
- Thank you to Mrs. Simpson for her organization and training as well as our teachers for a successful progress monitoring testing session. We were able to complete our testing successfully and with much teamwork.
- Mrs. Borders and Mrs. Ballentine supported our fourth and fifth grade teachers for a successful winter writing experience.
- Our kindergarten students and third grade dance elective had a great show at the Lake Wales Tree Lightening Ceremony. Thank you to Mrs. Coffman for all your hard work!
- Our after-school dance elective also had a strong performance at the Bilingual Christmas event. Mrs. Coffman choreographed a strong performance. We appreciate her hard work. Thank you to Ms. Pooser for her help with these practices and performance.
- Thank you to Coach Stull for organizing our Silver and Blue Classic. This is a traditional flag football game between fourth and fifth graders.
- We also want to thank Ms. Bush and Mrs. Sotomayor for preparing our kids for the Lake Wales Martin Luther King Oratorical contest. We had several students place and we are so proud of them.
- Ms. Bush and Mrs. Irwin also had two students place in the Daughters of the American Revolution Essay writing contest. We look forward to celebrating with the students and their families in February.

1. SLA Menu- Presented by Kim Griffiths

- a. Non-Voting Item
 - i. The cafeteria had to repair the milk cooler.
 - ii. The breakfast counts have been decreasing as students are excited to run laps in the morning.
 - iii. New metal tables are now located by the media center. Classes are excited to utilize this outdoor space for eating lunch outside.
 - iv. We are excited to welcome our new cafeteria manager, Stormy Wilbanks.

2. Midyear Data Reflection - Presented by Kim Griffiths

- a. Non-Voting Item for this meeting
 - i. Reviewed PM2 data from the FAST Portal
 - ii. Reviewed comparison data from PM1 to PM2

3. SAC Co-Chair- Presented by John Miller

- a. Non-Voting Item
 - b. Discussed procedures for Co-Chair
 - c. Voting item at next meeting

4. SAC By-Laws 2025-2026 – Presented by John Miller

- a. Voting Item
 - b. All in favor; No opposition

5. Reflection of SIP Plan – Presented by Kim Griffiths

- a. Voting Item
 - b. Reviewed the progress on School Improvement Plan goals.
 - c. Reviewed the changes the school is making based on data.
 - d. All in favor; no opposition

6. Parent & Family 1% Funds Vote – Presented by Kim Griffiths

- a. Voting Item
 - b. Discussed family workshop materials
 - i. Provided a sample from the math workshop to each member.
 - c. Discussed the food provided at family events and the colored paper used.
 - d. All in favor; No opposition.

7. School Compact- Presented by Kim Griffiths

- b. Discussed family workshop materials
 - i. Provided a sample from the math workshop to each member.
 - c. Discussed the food provided at family events and the colored paper used.
 - d. All in favor; No opposition.
- 7. School Compact- Presented by Kim Griffiths**
- a. Non-Voting Item for this meeting
 - b. Need to correct the Spanish version.
- 8. Future Vision for JHW- Presented by Kim Griffiths**
- a. Non-Voting Item for this meeting
 - b. Input is valued from all stakeholders to ensure the school is meeting the needs of our families and community.
 - c. Encouraged to attend Snack and Chats with Superintendent
 - d. Input needed for 26-27 Needs Assessment

Reports:

- Focus FAST Report
- School Improvement Plan- Reflection Report
- School- Parent Compact

Open Agenda

Request for second SAC chair.

Next Meeting Date & Time:
Friday, March 6, 2026

Meeting Adjournment:

Motion: John Miller, motioned to adjourn the meeting at 2:33 pm. Motion carried unanimously.

Submitted by,

Name of Recorder Kim Griffiths
 Name of Position on Board Municipal
 Approval Date: 3/6/20

School- Parent Compact (Agreement) 2025-2026
The administration, teachers, and entire staff of
Janie Howard Wilson will work to ensure that:



Your child will be provided with a high- quality curriculum and instruction in a supportive and effective learning environment this will enable the participating children to meet the FDOE student academic achievement standards as follows:

- Hiring highly qualified teachers
- Applying effective teaching strategies through the following:
 - Universal design of learning and literacy centers
 - Data analysis
 - Hands-on Science
 - Reading Wonders
 - Extra intensive remediation during the school day (Period 6)
 - After school enrichment groups.
 - Provide current teaching materials

Hold parent/teacher conferences for this compact to discuss as it relates to the individual child's achievement. Specifically, those conferences will be held:

- Beginning of the school year and before state testing
- Additional conferences may be scheduled any time during the school year as needed.
- Schedule appointment with teacher (863)-678-4211
- School-wide conference days

Provide parents with frequent reports on their child's progress. Specifically, the school will provide reports as follows:

- Encourage parent portal
- Interim Reports
- Report Cards each nine weeks
- Progress monitoring reports
- State standardized test results and final report card
- Reports will be sent home with students
- Results are discussed with students and at parent/teacher conferences
- Contact the school at (863) 678-4211 for questions

Pacto Escuela-Padres (Acuerdo) 2025-2026
La administración, los maestros y todo el personal de
Janie Howard Wilson trabajará para garantizar que:



Su hijo recibirá un plan de estudios e instrucción de alta calidad en un entorno de aprendizaje eficaz y de apoyo, lo que permitirá a los niños participantes cumplir con los estándares de rendimiento académico de los estudiantes del FDOE de la siguiente manera:

- o Contratación de profesores altamente cualificados.
- o Aplicar estrategias de enseñanza efectivas a través de lo siguiente:
 - Diseño Universal de Centros para el Aprendizaje y Centros de Alfabetización
 - Análisis de datos
 - Actividades manipulativas/prácticas
 - Programa de Lectura *Wonders*, Instrucción Fonética Fundamentada (*UFLI*)
 - Remediación extra intensiva durante la jornada escolar (Periodo 6)
 - Grupos de enriquecimiento después de la escuela
 - Proporcionar materiales didácticos actualizados

Realizar conferencias entre padres y maestros para discutir este pacto en relación con el rendimiento académico individual del estudiante. Dichas conferencias se llevarán a cabo, específicamente:

- o Comienzo del año escolar y antes de las pruebas estatales.
- o Se pueden programar conferencias adicionales en cualquier momento durante el año escolar según sea necesario.
- o Para programar una cita con el maestro se puede comunicar al 863-678-4211
- o Días de conferencias a nivel escolar

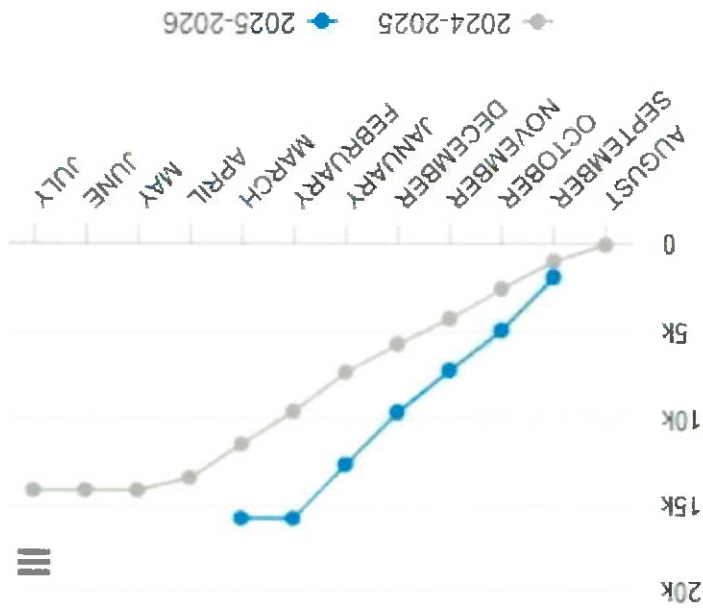
Proporcionar a los padres informes frecuentes sobre el progreso de sus hijos. Específicamente, la escuela proporcionará informes de la siguiente manera:

- o Recomendar el portal para padres
- o Informes de calificaciones (notas)
- o Boletas de calificaciones cada nueve semanas
- o Informes de monitoreo de progreso
- o Resultados de las pruebas estandarizadas estatales y boleta final de calificaciones
- o Los informes se enviarán a casa con los estudiantes
- o Los resultados se discuten con los estudiantes y durante las conferencias entre padres y maestros
- o Comuníquese con la escuela al (863) 678-4211 si tiene preguntas.

Proveer a los padres acceso razonable con el personal escolar. Específicamente, el personal escolar estará disponible para consulta con los padres de las siguientes maneras:

- o Antes y después de la escuela o durante un tiempo designado dentro del día escolar, según lo acordado con el maestro.
- o En el salón de clases u otros lugares apropiados dentro del campus
- o El padre y/o el maestro escriben notas en la agenda del estudiante.
- o Llame a la escuela al (863)678-4211 para hacer una cita
- o Contacte a los maestros por correo electrónico localizado en el sitio web de la escuela: www.janiehowardwilson.com

EXPLORE



Accelerated Reader Quizzes Passed School

Year to Date?

Year to date: 2025-2026

