



ALEDO ISD BOARD MEETING TEMPLATE

MEETING DATE: September 17, 2012

AGENDA ITEM: REPORT ITEM- Overview of Anti-bullying Training

PRESENTER: Scott Kessel, Lead Counselor, Aledo HS

ALIGNS TO BOARD PRIORITY(S):

Safety- the District will maintain a safe and orderly environment.

Background Information:

ANTI-BULLYING TRAINING being done this school year:

- All faculty and staff trained on new laws enacted from HB 1942 prior to 1st day of school
- All students trained on new reporting mechanisms by end of third week of school
- Two parent/community events scheduled on October 2 (daytime) and October 11 (evening)
- New reporting system developed and implemented across all campuses

Highlights of the content of trainings that have already been delivered to staff:

- New definition of bullying from HB 1942
- Clarification of changes in bullying definition coming from HB 1942
- Rehearsing with sample scenarios
- Overview of reporting process, including:
 - How to report
 - When to report
 - Where to report
 - How to submit report (paper copies)
 - How to access/submit report (online version)
- Awareness of what happens after reports are made
- Required documentation and steps (counseling options, 10-day follow-up, etc.)

FISCAL NOTE: NONE

Administrative Recommendation: REPORT ONLY