

College & Career Specialists Action Plan

Supporting LCAP (Local Control & Accountability Plan) Objectives

Pleasanton Unified School District



2014-15 School Year

Our College & Career Specialists

- **Deborah Walker** – Amador Valley High School
- **Susan Ballas** – Foothill High School

Each is assigned 20 hours per week to address LCAP objectives

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Program Services, Supervisor

Background on LCAP Process

Focused outreach for English Language Learners, Soci-Economically Disadvantaged, and Foster Youth in the areas of:

- Pupil Achievement
- Parent Involvement
- Pupil Engagement
- School Climate

Pupil Achievement

Identified common challenges

- ❑ ELL (English Language Learners)
- ❑ Attendance
- ❑ Grades
- ❑ Test Scores

Parent Involvement

Parent Liaison Meeting

Reviewed Home Language Data

Parent Information Events (Spanish)

Parent contact incorporated into Action Plan

Pupil Engagement

Monthly meetings to measure:

Attendance

Grades

Goal Setting Progress

Academic Planning

Parent Support

School Climate

Data Needed to Assess

- Pre and Post Student Survey
- Measure Suspension Rates
- Review Engagement Improvement

Middle School Program Development

Data Gathering

- Student Data
- Home Language Data

Program Research

- Best Practices

Feasibility Research for Implementation

First Semester On Site Activities

Approximately 400 HS Students per site (Classroom/Individual)

- 65-85 LCAP students meeting individually
- Grades 9-12
- Resume Building and Career Development
- College Planning

Implementation

Utilize College and Career Specialists

- One Day Per Week at MS Site
- 243 Total 6-8 Graders District Wide
 - 20 Students with 3 or More F grades
 - 40 Harvest Park MS LCAP Students
 - 117 Pleasanton MS LCAP Students
 - 66 Thomas Hart MS LCAP Students
- Goal-Monthly Student Meetings
 - Monthly Incentives for Completion

Monitoring & Accountability

- Meet regularly with Educational Services Staff – Student Services & Curriculum Departments and Secondary Counselors
- Review student achievement data and course placements of identified student sub-groups