

Board Report Ruben Dueñas, Interim Executive Administrator May 20, 2024

The mission of the YPI Charter Schools (YPICS) is to prepare students for academic success in high school, as well as post-secondary education; prepare students to be responsible and active participants in their community; and enable students to become lifelong learners. Students at YPI Charter Schools will become active citizens who characterize the ideals of a diverse and democratic society. Students will provide service to their community, take responsibility for their own learning, and develop the habits of mind and body that will empower them to be successful in high school and beyond.

Instruction & Performance Data

CAASPP

CAASPP scores are being received daily. We anticipate receiving all of our student data in July or August, and we will dive into the CAASPP data at that time and share the results with the board at that time.

College Readiness

Graduation

Graduation was held on the Maclay Middle School Quad. As usual, the ceremony was an emotional time for all in attendance. The Class of 2024 was a special class as it started during the pandemic. This year's ceremony had 4 valedictorians and a graduation rate of 96%. That is approximately a 10% increase from the previous class. In addition, we had 65% of our scholars complete the FAFSA, an increase of over 25% despite all the challenges with this year's application process. The A-G completion rate increased for the second consecutive year to 76% resulting in more of our scholars gaining admission to competitive UCs.

Graduating Seniors have been invited to attend the Summer Program to ensure that college-going students have the support they need to enroll and arrive at their new schools (colleges and universities). The summer before beginning college is plagued with "summer melt." Summer melt refers to students who decide not to attend college during the summer before their freshman year even though they have been accepted.



Community Schools

Summer Program

BCCHS, Think Together, and San Fernando Valley Partnership are partnering to provide a summer program for our students. Currently, 40 students are participating in the program. The Summer Program focuses on providing academic support for students (credit recovery), enrichment including art, silk screening, field trips, and athletic conditioning.



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Operations

Facilities

We are still negotiating our final Prop 39 space offer for the 24-25 school year. The final offer will be an alternative agreement. The district will be adding the additional space not originally included in the overall square footage (for example: lofts in rooms 46 and 47) and reducing the space for student bathrooms that we do not use.