

# EXCEL ACADEMY FEBRUARY HIGHLIGHTS

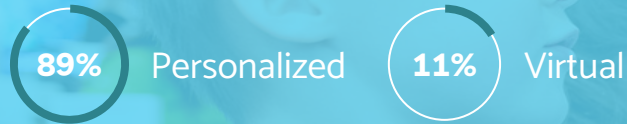
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EXCEL ACADEMY



# Enrollment Data

## Academic Path



69 English Learners

8 Homeless

4 Foster

185 Special Education

## Student Count: 1,623



TK-3rd  
636 Students



4th-8th  
674 Students



9th-12th  
313 Students

***57 New Students currently  
registered for the 2024-25  
School Year!***

# Parent PowerUp Conference

**Register on Feb. 2nd!**

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## Parent PowerUp WORKSHOPS FOR HOME EDUCATORS

Join dozens of other Excel Academy parents and gain impactful insights, practical tools, and teaching strategies from Excel Academy leaders!

**26 FEB** 9:00 - 1:30 PM  
BREA COMMUNITY CENTER

**KIDS ZONE**  
Educational activities for all students hosted by EACS ToRs-- drop them off and enjoy the conference!

**PARENT COMMUNITY**  
Connect with other EACS parents!

**FREE LUNCH**  
Enjoy a taco lunch on us!

**RAFFLE**  
Win amazing prizes!

**GUEST SPEAKER**  
CYBER SAFETY

Effectively protect your child - protect media sites, protect them from online threats, and bring technological balance back to your home.

BLUE RIBBON SCHOOL

PARENTING IN THE DIGITAL WORLD

InShot



Our inaugural Parent PowerUp event was a huge success!

- 54 parents
- 71 students
- 6 workshops
- 1 keynote speaker





Several Virtual Pathway students participated in the Spelling Bee. Asma, a 3rd grader, won the 3-5th grade category!

# General Education Highlights

- 17 Students were inducted into the National Junior Honor Society!
- The High School team held Freshman Orientation week, which consisted of 8 parent/student webinars for upcoming 9th graders to start preparing for the next school year.
- First and second grade Virtual Path students started their seed projects and saw them begin to sprout.
- The 5th grade class began their “space suit project” (working in teams to create a space suit for an assigned planet that will enable humans to survive on the planet’s surface.)

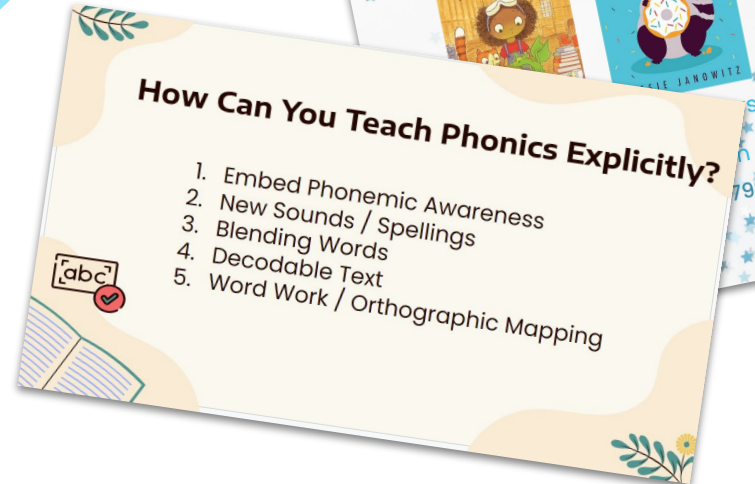
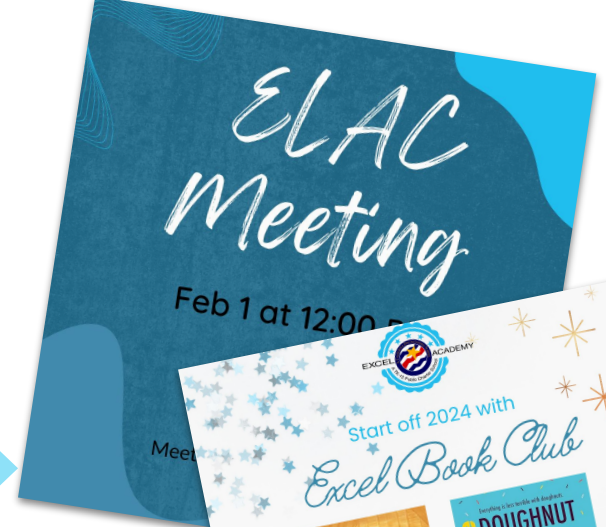


# Intervention Updates

ELAC Meeting was held with record-breaking parent attendance!

Presented Phonics Instruction for Parent Power Up with positive feedback for desire to learn more about this topic

Students finding meaning and life applications through Book Club discussion



# February All Staff PD

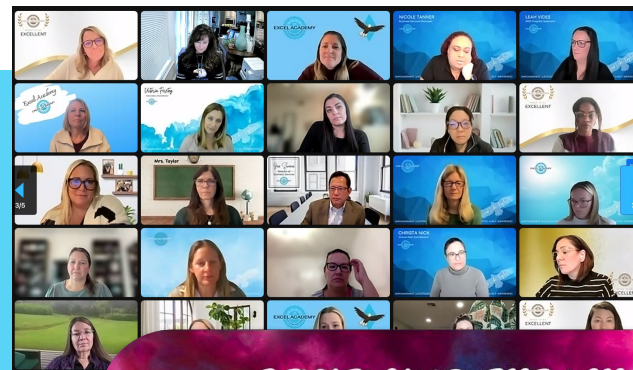
# MAGIC SCHOOL

AI made specifically for educators

- ❖ 60+ AI tools to help you lesson plan, differentiate, write assessments, write IEPs, communicate clearly, and more.

All Tools

<p><b>Multiple Choice Assessments</b> Create a multiple-choice assessment based on any topic, standards, or content.</p>	<p><b>Report Card Comments</b> Generate report card comments with a student's strengths and areas for growth.</p>	<p><b>Lesson Plan</b> Generate a lesson plan for a topic or objective across teaching.</p>
<p><b>Text Rewriter</b> Take any text and rewrite it with custom criteria however you'd like!</p>	<p><b>YouTube Video Questions</b> Generate guiding questions aligned to a YouTube video.</p>	<p><b>Informational Texts</b> Generate original informational texts for your class, customized to the topic of your choice.</p>
<p><b>Academic Content</b> Generate original academic content customized to the interests of your choice.</p>	<p><b>Text Dependent Questions</b> Generate text dependent questions for students based on any text that you input.</p>	<p><b>Rubric Generator</b> Make AI write a rubric for an assignment you are creating your class in a table format.</p>
<p><b>IEP Generator</b> Generate a draft of an individualized education program (IEP) customized to a student's needs.</p>	<p><b>Student Work Feedback</b> Based on a custom criteria, have AI give praise of strength &amp; areas for growth on student work.</p>	<p><b>Text Leveler</b> Take any text and adapt it for any grade level to fit a student's reading level/ skills.</p>
<p><b>Professional Email</b> Generate a professional email communication to colleagues and other professionals.</p>	<p><b>Text Summarizer</b> Take any text and summarize it to whatever length you desire.</p>	<p><b>Text Translator</b> Take any text and translate it into any language instantly.</p>



## REVIEWING THE WHY & HOW OF RECALIBRATION

### THE WHY - OUR MISSION & VISION

Where we've been

- What's working?
- What's not working?

Where we'd like to go

- How do we get there?
- What help do we need?

### THE HOW - WHERE TO START

What recalibration looks like: Revisiting our Charter's Mission, and using that Mission Statement to develop a common understanding of goals and purpose

# Completed Admin Credential Program!



**Erin Petersen**  
Elementary Coordinator



**Keri Schneeweiss**  
Director of Educational Services





Jurupa Mountain



# Field Trip Highlights



Medieval Times



Star Eco Station



March Air Field





# Outdoor Classroom: Skittles Lab





# Student Leadership Day

The students in Excel Academy's Leadership class got to experience the phenomenal 24th Annual Youth Leadership Day at Disneyland! This opportunity allowed our students to strengthen their passion to lead. Our students walked away from this experience equipped to become active and responsible citizens, contributing positively to their communities.







*Gifted Program* \*

**BUILD**

**A TRUSS BRIDGE**



Materials Provided  
Open to 3rd-8th Graders





# BUILDING COMMUNITY

EXCEL ACADEMY  
Harris Public Charter School

# GAME TIME

Over 250 Excel Academy students attended our Game Time event, an exclusive, schoolwide event that Excel hosts to connect students and build school culture! Students participated in chess & checkers tournaments, minute-to-win-it games, and enjoyed playing games with one another!





# Staff Spotlight

We have 10 Community Liaisons who have collaborated together and worked hard this school year to ensure that our events are a success!





# Professional Development in February

## Education:

- ❖ STAR PD: Learning to Pull Score Reports/Data Analysis
- ❖ Managing Multiple Priorities, Projects and Deadlines
- ❖ Be the Manager Your Employees Want to Follow



## Communications

- ❖ Social Media Marketing World



## Counseling Department:

- ❖ Mental Health First Aid

## Classified:

- ❖ ACSA Classified Leaders Institute







A young boy with dark hair is looking through a white microscope in a classroom. A teacher with long dark hair is leaning over him, assisting. The table is covered with a blue cloth and has various science supplies like a lamp and containers. A circular logo for 'DELACADEM' is visible on the boy's shirt. A large, semi-transparent blue box with the text 'Thank you!' is overlaid in the center.

**Thank you!**

