

EXCEL ACADEMY

March & April

HIGHLIGHTS

May 9, 2024



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Looking Forward to 2024-2025:

Academic Path



Personalized



Virtual

10

All About Excel Webinars
scheduled

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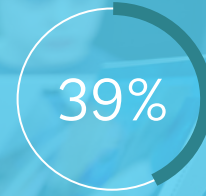
Summer Social events
for new families

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Summer Liaisons to
support new families



Students
returning for the
2024/25 school
year



Growth in
applications from
May of 2023 to
May of 2024

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



General Education Highlights

- Introduced S.O.A.R. program for junior high honors - Students Optimizing Academic Reach for 24/25
- Expanded NCAA curriculum approval to include all College Prep for the Warner scope.
- Created Curriculum Collages which provide enrichment through field trips, hands-on experiences and more that are aligned to grade-level science and social studies standards
- Designed GATE specific, and Intervention specific, core curriculum guides to best support curriculum selection for gifted or at-promise students.
- Virtual Path: Began Lexia in April as a literacy tool for 1st and 2nd grades, as well as older students in need of literacy support. For 24/25, planned an “Essentials” track for 7th/8th grade students in need of intervention, as well as additional intervention programs for all grade levels.

Assessment Updates

Summative
ELPAC
Testing -
March - May

Test prep
packets
provided to
every student
in grades 3-8,
& 11

GATE Testing
offered for
the first time!



TEST PREP SESSIONS

 <p>TEST PREP SESSIONS WITH MRS. CASSARO</p> <p>ELA: Monday, April 8th 11:00 am - 12:00 pm Math: Wednesday, April 10th 1:00 - 2:00 pm ELA: Wednesday, April 17th 1:00 pm-2:00 pm Math: Wednesday, April 24th 1:00 pm-2:00 pm</p>	<p><i>3rd & 4th Grade</i></p>
 <p>TEST PREP SESSIONS WITH MRS. HITZLER</p> <p>ELA: Monday, April 8th 12:00 - 1:00 pm Math: Thursday, April 11th 12:00 - 1:00 pm Math: Tuesday, April 23rd 9:00 - 10:00 am</p>	<p><i>5th & 6th Grade</i></p>
 <p>TEST PREP SESSIONS WITH MRS. WETMORE</p> <p>ELA: Tuesday, April 9th 12:00 - 1:00 pm Math: Monday, April 8th 9:00 - 10:00 am</p>	<p><i>7th & 8th Grade</i></p>
 <p>TEST PREP SESSIONS WITH MRS. CHEEVER & MRS. SURMAN</p> <p>ELA: Wednesday, April 10th & April 17th 12:00 - 1:00 pm ELA: Monday, April 15th 12:00 - 1:00 pm Math: Wednesday, April 24th 11:00 - 12:00 pm Math: Friday, April 26th 12:00 - 1:00 pm</p>	<p><i>11th Grade</i></p>



48 High School Students attended our 2nd annual Prom!





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STATE OF PUBLIC CHOICE SCHOOLS

OUTDOOR CLASSROOM

Bubble-ology
March 25 or 29





Students were given the opportunity to create and sell their homemade crafts and items to Excel families and friends! Over 160 Excel students set up tables and sold their handmade goods.



Professional Development in March & April

Education:

- ❖ Lexi Core 5
- ❖ CogAT Testing Platform
- ❖ Asthma, Allergies, Diabetes, Oh My! Section 504 Updates & Refresher
- ❖ Teaching an American History of Rock and Soul with TeachRock

Assessment:

- ❖ CCSC Conference
- ❖ LCAP Training Webinar
- ❖ Prop 28 Webinar

Human Resources:

- ❖ Charter Compliance: Navigating California Wage and Hour Laws
- ❖ Embracing the Future: The Shift from HR to People Management, Mastering HR Admin: Why Size Doesn't Matter
- ❖ YMC Public Records Act: Legal Updates

Special Education:

- ❖ AALRR Special Education Training Academy

Leadership

- ❖ CCSA Conference



Looking forward to...



Our very own Excel students will be performing “Dear Edwina Jr.” – a culmination of all they’ve learned in Excel’s Theater Arts Program!



The Staff will be celebrating at their annual End of Year presentation!



Our final Excel Academy event will be held in 9 regions across Southern California, with over 500 students planning to attend!



Thank you!

