



# Libertas Academy Charter School

## Monthly Academic Achievement Committee Meeting

Published on May 2, 2022 at 11:36 AM EDT

### Date and Time

Thursday May 5, 2022 at 4:30 PM EDT

### Location

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us04web.zoom.us/j/5069946767?pwd=QXEvbzlhb0tYZWE4VHI6MCtrVFIGUT09>

Meeting ID: 506 994 6767

Password: 12345

### Agenda

	Purpose	Presenter	Time
<b>I. Opening Items</b>			<b>4:30 PM</b>
A. Record Attendance		Nick Barker	1 m
B. Call the Meeting to Order		Nick Barker	1 m
C. Approve Minutes	Approve Minutes	Nick Barker	1 m
Approve minutes for Monthly Academic Achievement Committee Meeting on April 7, 2022			
<b>II. Academic Achievement</b>			<b>4:33 PM</b>
A. ED Report	Discuss	Modesto Montero	30 m
<b>III. Other Business</b>			
<b>IV. Closing Items</b>			
A. Adjourn Meeting	Vote	Nick Barker	

# Coversheet

## Approve Minutes

**Section:** I. Opening Items  
**Item:** C. Approve Minutes  
**Purpose:** Approve Minutes  
**Submitted by:**  
**Related Material:**  
Minutes for Monthly Academic Achievement Committee Meeting on April 7, 2022

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## Libertas Academy Charter School

### Minutes

#### Monthly Academic Achievement Committee Meeting

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##### **Committee Members Present**

A. Seymour (remote), M. Montero (remote), N. Barker (remote)

##### **Committee Members Absent**

T. Curtis

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#### **I. Opening Items**

##### **A. Record Attendance**

##### **B. Call the Meeting to Order**

N. Barker called a meeting of the Academic Achievement Committee Committee of Libertas Academy Charter School to order on Thursday Apr 7, 2022 at 4:36 PM.

##### **C. Approve Minutes**

- A. Seymour made a motion to Approve minutes from AAC meeting on 3/3.
  - N. Barker seconded the motion.
- The committee **VOTED** unanimously to approve the motion.

## II. ED Report

### A. Key School Data

COVID update- mask optional now. Families know the policy can change. Policy decisions aligned with Springfield Public Schools. Modesto is considering reinstating mask requirement temporarily following upcoming vacation.

Talent- LACS met March goal and is moving effectively through the process of accounting for staffing needs next year. Zeroing in on a Dean of College hire. Only 2 faculty declined an offer to return, and these decisions were based on the individuals moving out of the area. 85% have confirmed their return- faculty retention is looking great.

Attendance- upward trajectory continues after January challenges. Vacation buy back days are in effect- Modesto expects about 100 students will be strongly encouraged to take advantage. MCAS prep and academic enrichment will be focus- parents love having this option. Faculty present will seek to engage students to help them catch up/ get ahead- fun environment with prizes and high energy.

GPA measurements are looking good on the lower end as students strive to stay above 2.0. Modesto would like to see more movement on the higher end, with more students pushing to get over 3.0 mark. There are remediation steps in place for failing students- individual intervention.

MCAS testing happening this spring and 9th grade students will be taking the Human Geography AP.

First Lottery has occurred and second Lottery will be on April 13. Enrollment on track in 6-9th grades. 10th grade has felt some attrition. Thus, we will be putting forward a motion to expand enrollment in the lower grades, thereby cushioning for natural attrition that can occur as students get older, especially at transition from middle school to high school.

### B. Enrollment Policy

- A. Seymour made a motion to Approve the proposed changes to the Enrollment Policy.
- N. Barker seconded the motion.

Seeking to enroll 92 students in each grade, up from 90. Bringing in more students in the Lower Academy will put the school in stronger position to deal with the natural attrition that occurs in 11th and 12th grades. LACS is prepared to seat 92 students in classrooms with minimal impact on space and classroom experience.

The committee **VOTED** unanimously to approve the motion.

## III. Closing Items

### A. Adjourn Meeting

There being no further business to be transacted, and upon motion duly made, seconded and approved, the meeting was adjourned at 5:25 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,  
N. Barker

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**Documents used during the meeting**

*None*

# Coversheet

## ED Report

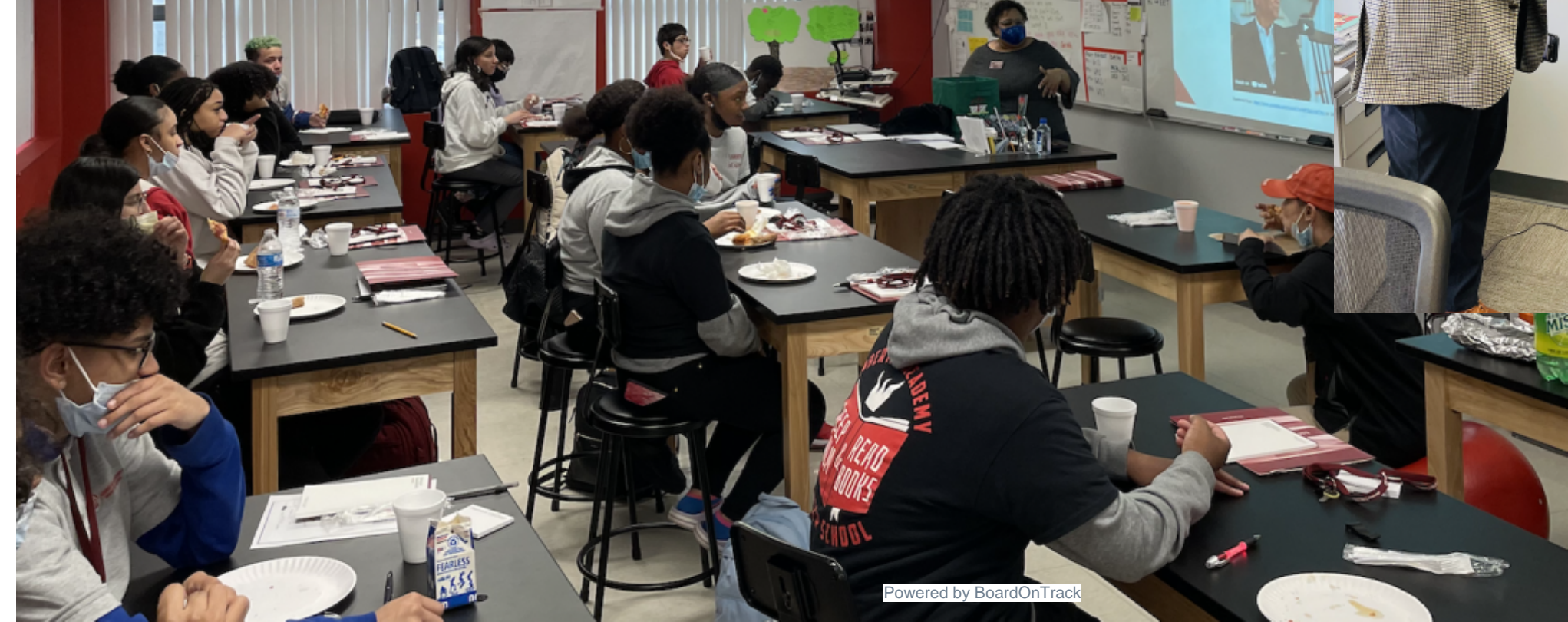
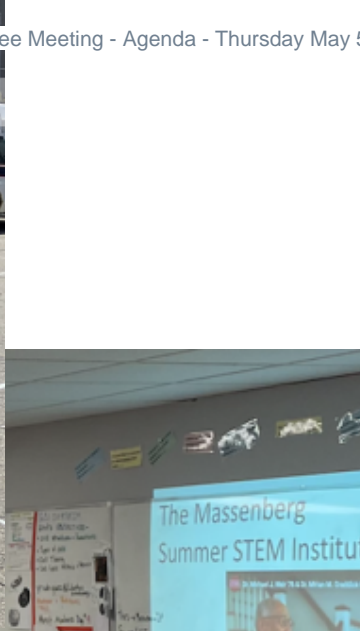
**Section:** II. Academic Achievement  
**Item:** A. ED Report  
**Purpose:** Discuss  
**Submitted by:**  
**Related Material:** FY22 May- AA Committee Updates.pptx



**LIBERTAS ACADEMY**  
CHARTER SCHOOL

**ED Updates**

**AAC Management Report**





# Our Mission

*Through rigorous academics, character development, and strong supports for every learner, **Libertas Academy Charter School** prepares all sixth through twelfth grade students to **succeed within the college of their choice and to be positive, engaged members of their communities.***



# COVID Updates



# Our Reopening Philosophy

*LACS remains committed to executing a Back-to-School that is grounded in our mission, our core values and that is informed by what the current science is telling us, specific to our local community.*



# The Plan

WEEKLY NEW REPORTED CASES

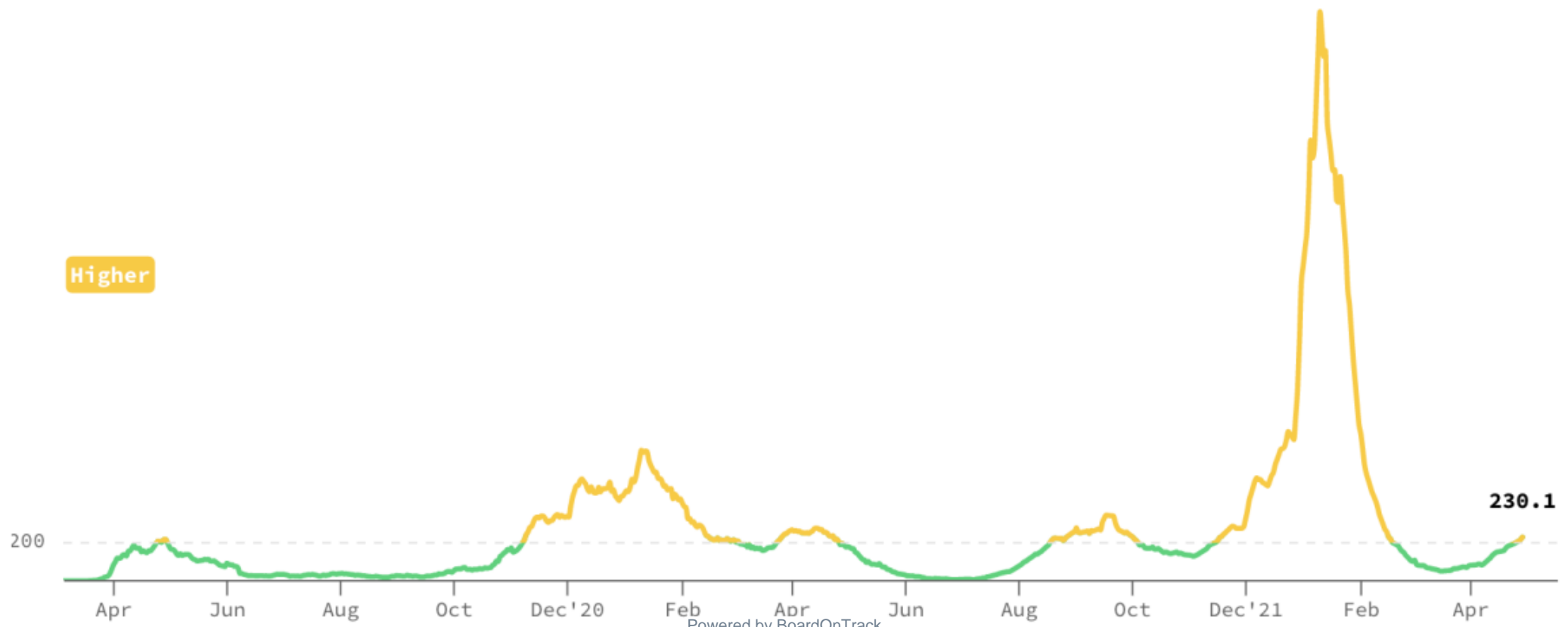
● **230.1** PER 100K

WEEKLY COVID ADMISSIONS

● **5.1** PER 100K

PATIENTS W/ COVID

● **4.0%** OF ALL BEDS



# The Plan

- We've lifted the mask mandate in alignment with SPS
- Currently masks are optional
- We will continue our testing protocols



# Key School Data



# Talent

Month	Goal	Status	On Track	Evidence
Jan.	3	3	Met	
Feb	4	1	Not Met	
March	7	7	MET	This Months Hires: -Chiara -Noah -Natalie -Kimberly -Victor -Ella -Phil
April	3	3	MET	Rochelle C- Managing DOC Brandon B- DOC Brianna W- Math Teacher







# Open Roles

Grade	Open
8	Math
8	Math
8	Science
7	Science
7	History
9	Biology
9	SPED ELA
9	OPS Associate





		1.28	Q1
Headline Goal	 All students meeting reading goal	Partially Meeting	No Data
	Priority students meet reading goal	Partially Meeting	No Data
LA Priority Goals	MCAS goal ELA	Partially Meeting	No Data
	MCAS Goal Math	Not Meeting	No Data
	GPA Goal	Not Meeting	Not Meeting
	 Attendance Goal	Not Meeting	Not Meeting
	Suspension Goal	Meeting	Meeting
	Student Culture Priority Questions	Not Meeting	Not Meeting
	Family Survey Completion	Meeting	Not Meeting
	Family Survey Priority Questions	Meeting	Meeting
	Teacher Retention	No Data	No Data
	Org Health Priority Questions	Meeting	Not Meeting
UA Priority Goals	Bio Goal	Not Meeting	No Data
	AP Human Geo Goal	Not Meeting	No Data
	  GPA Goal	Not Meeting	Not Meeting
	Attendance Goal	Not Meeting	Not Meeting
	Student Culture Priority Questions	Not Meeting	Not Meeting
	Family Survey Completion	Meeting	Not Meeting
	Family Survey Priority Questions	Meeting	Meeting
	Teacher Retention	No Data	No Data
	Org Health Priority Questions	Meeting	Not Meeting

# Reading Data (as of 2.1)

Grade Level	# Grew 3+ Levels (Since BOY)	% Grew 3+ Levels (Since BOY)	# Met MOY Goal	% Met MOY Goal	# Met EOY Goal	% Met EOY Goal
<b>All</b>	<b>182</b>	<b>56.00%</b>	<b>197</b>	<b>60.62%</b>	<b>103</b>	<b>31.69%</b>
6th	41	53.95%	45	59.21%	19	25.00%
7th	54	60.67%	52	58.43%	23	25.84%
8th	51	59.30%	56	65.12%	30	34.88%
9th	36	48.00%	44	58.67%	31	41.33%



# Reading Data (as of 3.3)

Grade Level	# Grew 3+ Levels (Since BOY)	% Grew 3+ Levels (Since BOY)	# Met MOY Goal	% Met MOY Goal	# Met EOY Goal	% Met EOY Goal
All	210	65.02%	274	84.83%	158	48.92%
6th	48	64.86%	64	86.49%	27	36.49%
7th	59	67.05%	73	82.95%	41	46.59%
8th	57	67.86%	75	89.29%	44	52.38%
9th	46	63.01%	62	84.93%	46	63.01%



# Attendance Data- April

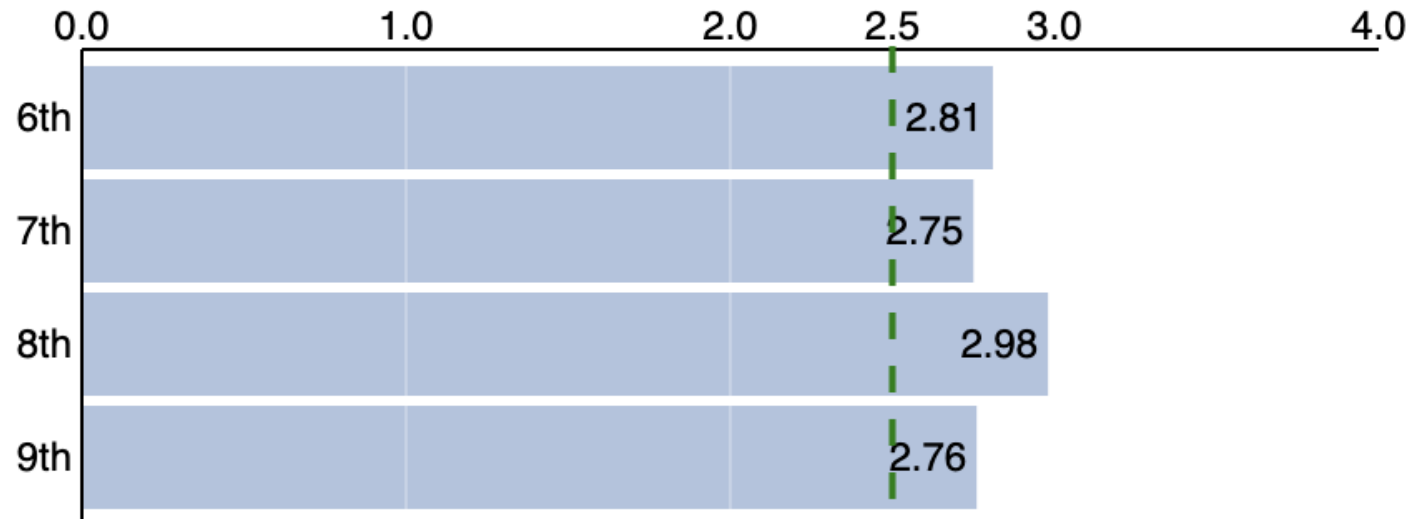
	Students			Attendance
Grade	Female	Male	Total	Daily
6th	41	35	76	95%
7th	39	49	88	93%
8th	51	32	83	93%
9th	36	37	73	96%
<b>Total (4)</b>	<b>167</b>	<b>153</b>	<b>320</b>	
<b>Average</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>94%</b>

# Attendance Data- (May)

Grade	Students			Attendance
	Female	Male	Total	Daily
6th	41	35	76	96%
7th	39	48	87	94%
8th	50	32	82	94%
9th	36	37	73	96%
<b>Total (4)</b>	<b>166</b>	<b>152</b>	<b>318</b>	
<b>Average</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>95%</b>

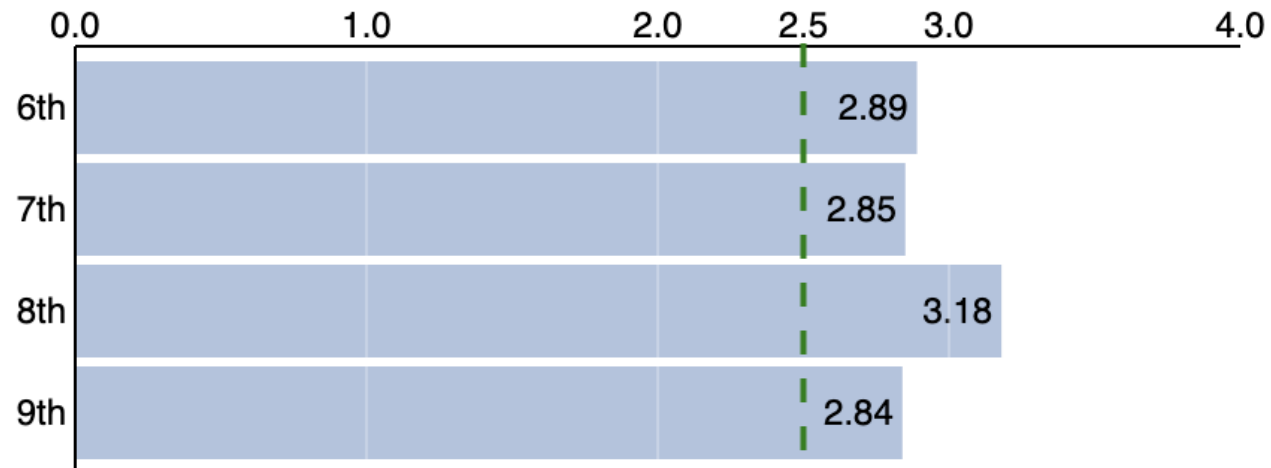
# GPA Data (April)

## Year-to-date GPA by Grade Level



# GPA Data (May)

## Year-to-date GPA by Grade Level



# UA GPA Goals (April)

GPA DATA		
GOAL	Last week's Data (Y1)	Current % data 4/4 (Y1-data)
90% of LACS will have a GPA at or above a 2.0	93.2% (69/74) no change	92% (67/73) -1.2%
75% of LACS will have a GPA at or above a 2.5	61% (45/74) -1%	64%(47/73) +3 %
60 % of LACS will have a GPA at or above a 3.0	36.5%(27/74) +1.5%	37% (27/73) +.5%





# UA GPA Goals (May)

GPA DATA		
GOAL	Last week's Data (Y1)	Current % data 5/2 (Y1-data)
90% of LACS will have a GPA at or above a 2.0	93%	92%
75% of LACS will have a GPA at or above a 2.5	69%	68%
60 % of LACS will have a GPA at or above a 3.0	38%	41%

