Opportunity Youth Academy

OYA Board Presentation
Charter Renewal Petition
December 10, 2020
Mission and Vision

The Opportunity Youth Academy (OYA) strives to break the cycle of poverty by providing students, who have dropped out of school or are otherwise disengaged from school, the opportunity to complete their high school education. OYA views disengaged students as ‘At-Promise’ as opposed to ‘At-Risk’. To that end, OYA’s organizational mission is to provide a premier high school reengagement program engaging students through relationship-focused, high-tech, and rigorous learning experiences resulting in students and graduates being “Ready to Learn, Ready to Work and Ready to Live”.

SCCOE: Equity | Diversity | Inclusion | Partnership
OYA DASS Certified

- Dashboard Alternative School Status (DASS) is for schools that serve high-risk students.

- Schools that participate in DASS have their information displayed on the same Dashboard and measured on the same set of indicators as non-alternative schools but with modified measures i.e. Graduation Rate.

- OYA did not automatically meet the state’s criteria for an alternative school, upon submission of student data and certification of that data by the OYA governing board, OYA was included in the DASS program.
OYA Student Profile

- Between the ages of 16 – 24 years old
- Female (45%), Male (55%)
- Hispanic (87%)
- Low Income (71%)
- English Learners (32%)
- Student with Special Needs (21%)
- Credit deficient (Average 60 credits)
- Length of time to earn a high school diploma (Average 2 yrs)
- Need employment (66%)
- Need help with transportation (50%)
Resource Link

- Bill Wilson
- Planned Parenthood
- Teen Success
- Work2Future
- Juma Ventures
- City of San Jose Intervention Services
- Second Harvest
- Child Care Programs including 4Cs and Choices for children
Enrollment Trends

- 2017-18: 222
- 2018-19: 320
- 2019-20: 367
- 2020-21: 331
Ren STAR Reading

% PERFORMING GRADE SIX OR ABOVE

- 2017-18: 33%
- 2018-19: 37%
- 2019-20: 42%
CAASSP/ELA

SBAC/ELA - % MEET PROFICIENCY

- All Students: 10.53% (2017-18) vs 13.21% (2018-19)
- Hispanic: 10% (2017-18) vs 13.04% (2018-19)
- Low Income: 12.50% (2017-18) vs 15.55% (2018-19)
CAASSP/Math

SBAC/MATH - % MEET PROFICIENCY

All Students: 4.44% (2018-19)
Hispanic: 0% (2017-18)
Low Income: 0% (2017-18)
California Dashboard

GRADUATION RATE INDICATOR

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COLLEGE AND CAREER READINESS (2018-2019)

- All Students
- Hispanic
- Low Income

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Areas of Challenges/Improvements

• English Learner Reclassification
  – Small group in-person or virtual support
  – Universal Design Learning strategies

• College and Career Readiness
  – Shift to College and Career Going Culture
  – Naviance
  – Linked Learning Pathways (2021-2022)
    • Health Opportunity Pathway Education (HOPE)
    • Information Communication Technology (ICT) Pathway

• Graduation Rates
  – Individual Learning Plan (ILP) Goal Setting
  – Academic and Transition Planning
  – (ILP) Quarter Progress Meeting
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- directly serves students through special education programs, alternative schools, Head Start and State Preschool programs, migrant education, and Opportunity Youth Academy;
- provides academic and fiscal oversight and monitoring to school districts and the 22 county board authorized charter schools;
- provides essential services and technical assistance throughout the region and statewide.
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Dr. Mary Ann Dewan

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