Civicorps Corpsmember Academy



Retention, Transformation and Graduation

Program Facts



- A Full-Service Community School
- Serves 18 24 year old disconnected youth
- High School Diploma and Job Training Program
- Founded in 1983 as East Bay Conservation Corps
- Original Charter granted in 1995
- 1:19 teacher to student ratio
- Alternative Schools Accountability Model (ASAM) school since 2005

Student Figures



- 97% are eligible for free/reduced lunch
- 30% are parents
- 30% are homeless or have unstable housing
- 31% are involved with the juvenile or adult justice system
- 32% are emancipated foster care youth
- 14% have current IEP's or 504 Plans

Demographics



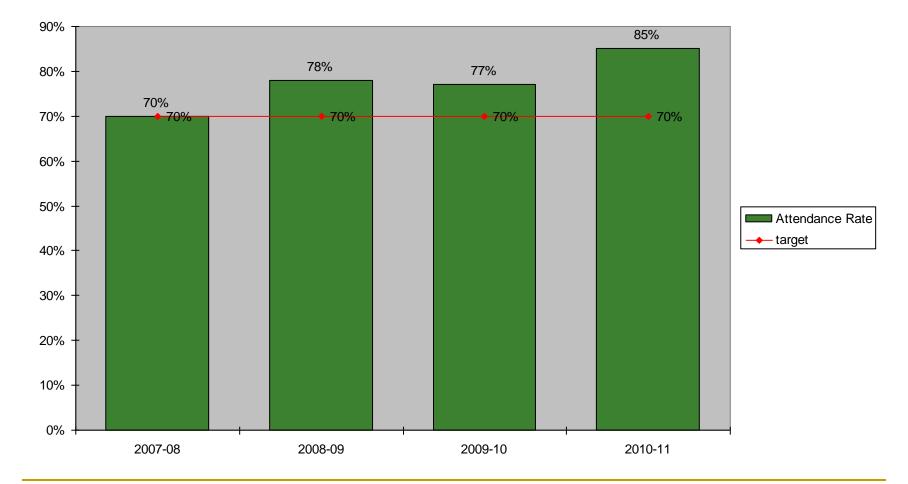
Serving approximately 200 students each year

- 81% African American
- 7% Hispanic / Latino
- 4% Native American
- 4% Asian / Pacific Islander
- 2% Caucasian
- 2% Other

- 64% Male
- 36% Female

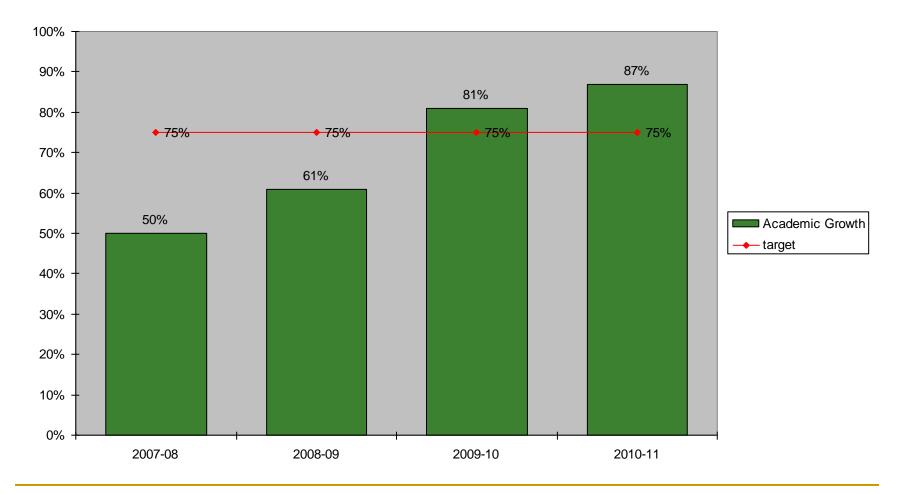
Measurable Pupil Outcome <u>Attendance Rate</u>





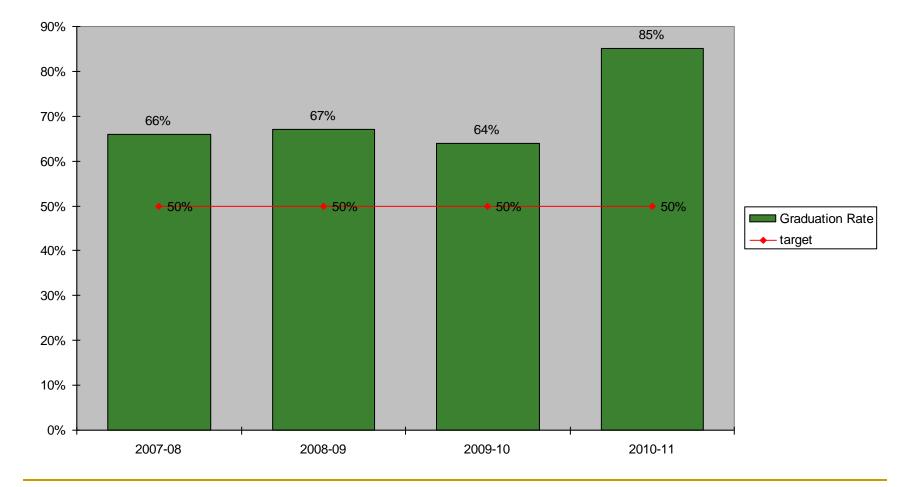
Measurable Pupil Outcome Academic Growth





Measurable Pupil Outcome Graduation Rate





Academic Program



- Portfolio based requirements for graduation
- Passage of CAHSEE and NWEA
- Rigor, Critical Thinking, Applied Knowledge
 - Requirements Include:
 - 5-page research paper on a community issue
 - Public speaking
 - Portfolio presentation
 - Core content (Science, Math, English, Social Studies, Electives)
 - College and Career Exploration assignments
 - Multi-media presentations
 - Community Service and Democratic Participation

Full-Service Community School



- Full-time support services team
 - Resource Specialist
 - Serves 100% of students with IEP's or 504 Plans
 - Case Counselor
 - Serves 100% of students through group education and support sessions
 - Engages in 500+ hours of individual counseling each year
 - College/Career Counselor
 - Serves 100% of students through skills workshops
 - Serves 100% of graduates with job and career transition

Beneficial relationships with Social Service Community Partners

Full-Service Community School



- Paid Environmental Service Job Training
 - Work on supervised crew of 8-10
 - Project sponsors (Caltrans, EBMUD, East Bay Regional Park District, Alameda County Flood Control, City of Oakland)
 - Continues past graduation
- Extra-curricular Activities
 - □ Shakespeare, Camping, Rafting, Skiing, Kayaking
- \$216,220 AmeriCorps scholarships in 2010/11



Corpsmember Testimonials

- Miguel Guitron, Jr.... Retention
- Brihana Hanible

Transformation

- Victor Robles
- Graduation



Summary



- Full-Service Community School Model
- Emphasis on
 - Retention
 - Transformation
 - Graduation
- In 2010/11
 - Attendance Rate = 85%
 - Academic Growth Rate = 87%
 - Graduation Rate = 85%
- Post-Graduation
 - 82% employed and/or enrolled in college

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