



OAKLAND UNIFIED
SCHOOL DISTRICT

Community Schools, Thriving Students

Oakland Emiliano Zapata Street Academy

Measure N Commission Presentation



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Design Process Narrative

- The Measure N Design Process
 - 2014-15 school year with planning grant.
 - 2015-16 expanded design team.
- Street Academy Foundation Board Meetings
- Student & Family Surveys & Focus Groups
- WASC Midcycle Review Visit
- School Site Council Meetings
- CTM Circles/Meetings
- Family Circles/Meetings
- Staff Circles/Meetings
- Care Circles/Meetings
- Best Practices





Root Causes

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- Teachers need instructional strategies to accelerate learning for students entering with underdeveloped habits for academic success in high school.
- High Attrition
- Teacher Turnover



Graduate Outcomes

Goals

- Increase the number of students earning full credit by 5% each term
- Increase number of graduates enrolling in colleges and universities by 5% each year.





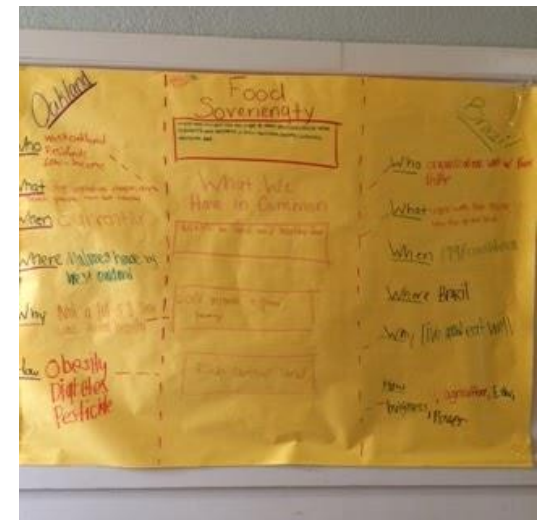
Culture & Climate

Goals Holistic Approaches

- Urban Food Forest
- Restorative Justice
- Transformative Life Skills



Current Partner Work





Instructional Focus and New Design Features

- PBL

“This model helps make learning relevant to students by establishing connections to life outside the classroom and by addressing real world issues.” - NEA

“... achieve higher grades, retain information longer, and have reduced dropout rates, improved communication and collaboration skills, and a better understanding of professional environments.” Edutopia



- Work Based Learning

Elective Wednesday to
Workforce Wednesday





Social Justice & Community Organizing Local and Global

- Professional Development for Staff
- Workforce Wednesdays
 - College & Career Coordinator
 - Global Internship Coordinator



EVERY STUDENT THRIVES!



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