



Envision Academy

2024-2025 Measure Education Improvement Plan Presentation



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Introductions



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Overview of School

Envision Academy (EA) is a tuition-free public charter school serving students in grades 6-12, located at 1515 Webster Street in downtown Oakland. **EA is dedicated to preparing students for success in college, career and life**. We offer students and families a rigorous academic experience and a small, diverse community where students are known, loved, and challenged.

Graduate Profile Competencies:

- Knowledge and Love of Self and Land
- Collectivism
- **Critical Thinking**
- **Self-Determination**
- Criticality
- Leadership











Overview of School

- 23-24 Student Enrollment of School Grades 9-12: 174
- Highlights of Student Demographics:
 - o 92% Oakland Residents
 - o 75.8% LCFF
 - o 21% English Learners
 - 11% SPED Mild-Mod, 3% SPED Severe

Schoolwide Systems Supporting Pathway Quality Improvement:

- 10th grade cohorts
- Pathway Coordinator continuing on into 24-25
- Network of counseling supports

Other highlights:

- 88% 4-year College Acceptance, Class of 2023
- 87% Persistence in 4-year Colleges
- Top 10% A-G Completion Rate in the state, for all all groups of students.











Our Pathways

Information and Communication Technology → Software and Systems Development

10th Grade (35 students)	11th Grade (50 students)	12th Grade (48 students)
One semester: Computer Information Systems I (Dual-Enrollment w/ Laney)	One year: AP Computer Science Principles	One year: Cybersecurity
One semester: Digital Media Art II		









Criterion 1: What has your reflection revealed about progress toward your strategic goals? What progress is evident in your school's reflection on Year 1 (2022-23) strategic actions?

- Continued staff turnover (incl. Family and Community Engagement Coordinator)
- Need more integrated projects/curriculum
- Progress on Advisory Board
- Continuation of 11th grade WLE
- Peralta Institute participation
- IEP focal group
- Postsecondary plans are part of portfolio defense and student-led conferences









Criterion 2: What new or revised strategic actions will the school and pathways undertake in the coming year to continue to make progress toward three-year goals?

Goal #1:

- Increase faculty/staff understanding of Linked Learning and Silver Certification.
- Self-assess pathway; compile and review evidence/documentation
- Gather student feedback on pathway experience.

How will these actions impact student achievement and experience to improve schoolwide goals?

- Rigorous, quality pathway
- Professional feedback + student voice









Criterion 2: What new or revised strategic actions will the school and pathways undertake in the coming year to continue to make progress toward three-year goals?

Goal #2:

- Maintain current Advisory Board members and expand further.
- Meet quarterly for feedback on pathway and student supports.
- Learn Advisory Board best practices from charter school partners.

How will these actions impact student achievement and experience to improve schoolwide goals?

- Continuous, professional feedback
- Utilization of external resources









Criterion 2: What new or revised strategic actions will the school and pathways undertake in the coming year to continue to make progress toward three-year goals?

Goal #3:

- Continue current partnerships and expand for more offerings.
- Finalize WBL Continuum for grades 9 through 12.
- Include supports built into IEPs for full engagement in WBL offerings.

How will these actions impact student achievement and experience to improve schoolwide goals?

- Rich range of experiences throughout HS
- Accessible for all students









Criterion 3: How will Measures N and H funds support strategic actions and progress toward goals?

- Career Advisor role:
 - Pathway coordinator
 - WBI continuum
 - 11th Grade internship program + Peralta Institute
- Family and Community Engagement Coordinator:
 - Continue community partnerships + Identify and establish new partnerships
 - Lead community engagement on Advisory Board
 - Student and family input and feedback on pathway
- Other: Field trips, LL Conference, etc.









Integrated Program of Study (CTE + Integrated Academics)

Work-Based Learning

Student **Supports**

Measure N H Investments

Career Counselor

CTE Course Sequence

- 10th Grade: Computer Information Systems (CIS) 1 -One semester, Laney College dual-enrollment
- **10th Grade:** Digital Media Art 2 One semester
- 11th Grade: AP Computer Science Principles Full year
- **12th Grade:** Cybersecurity Full year

Cohorted Academic Classes, by Grade Level

Two cohorts for each grade level that swap periods of STEM, Humanities, and CTE + language courses, respectively.

Pillar Components/Activities

- All students enrolled take an A-G course of study.
- Portfolio defense model that encourages metacognitive thinking across content areas.
- Dual-enrollment offering and Concurrent enrollment.
- Continuing Advisory Board development.
- Focus on rigorous Tier 1 instruction while seeking "early adopter" teachers to leverage the lens of our pathway in their content.

Measure N/H Investments

(WBL)

Career Counselor

Partnerships

- Laney College
- **Envision Education**
- Peralta Institute

Pillar

Components/Activities

- Advisory structure to support 11th grade internship search
- Flexible scheduling for 11th grade internships.
- Career Counselor to continue work on WBL continuum
- CTE program visits to Laney College

Measure N/H Investments

Family and Community **Engagement Coordinator**

Pathway Mentors: EA Graduates at Peralta schools

Partnerships

- Psychological Services Center
- uAspire
- Oakland Promise
- College Track

Pillar Components/Activities

- SEL counseling
- College counseling including field trips.
- Concurrent enrollment supported at multiple sites in the Peralta network.
- Student clubs
- **Community Meetings**
- Peer Forward leaders

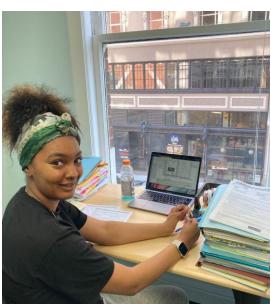
Some highlights from this year's 11th Grade Internships



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The Hidden Genius Project



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Questions?

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