

Superintendent's Report



February 1st, 2017

Recent Events

- DLCAP Meeting
- Conscious Kitchen Pilot at Peres and Madera bringing organic farm to table lunches to students
- Community Meetings at Fairmont and Wilson regarding next steps with facilities
- African American Advisory Group

Deepening our work right now

Recommendations of the Forensic Audit. To date we have implemented 30 of the recommendations from the Forensic Audit. A report will be coming to the Board soon.

Preparing for a District Ombudsperson. I am working on a proposal to the Board to create a district Ombudsperson to handle complaints for the district. This person would be more independent and we would have a central office for complaints.

Charter Partnerships. We are currently moving forward with a few small charter partnerships to leverage the strengths of each organization. We are currently looking at a shared summer program with Making Waves, an Early Literacy collaborative with RCP and possibly summer professional learning with Summit. More to come.

Closing the Loop

- **CHINA PROGRAM:** We believe we have helped our partners secure the right amount of increased insurance so the students coming from China to visit our schools, communities and families can make the trip. Thank you to our team for the hard work.
- **STUDY SESSIONS FOR BUDGET AND LCAP:** We are currently planning dates for these sessions for the Board and the public

Data Focus

- **Report from Innovate Public Schools** calling out Fairmont, Montalvin and Hanna Ranch as top schools for Latino and African American Achievement in the Bay Area.
- **GO PUBLIC SCHOOLS Report** highlighting the performance of all schools in the district with heavy emphasis on African American and Latino students.
- **STAR Early Literacy Testing Windows 1 and 2 data grades K-6.** We have only seen small areas of growth in this report between Mark 1 and Mark 2 in our students reading levels, furthering the need to dig deeper into our Early Literacy program.

Upcoming

- African American Site Advisory Team on February 9th
- Instructional Leadership Team Gathering on February 4th
- Continued Conscious Kitchen Breakfasts and Lunches all week long this week