

Q4 PAC “Townhall” Meeting Minutes

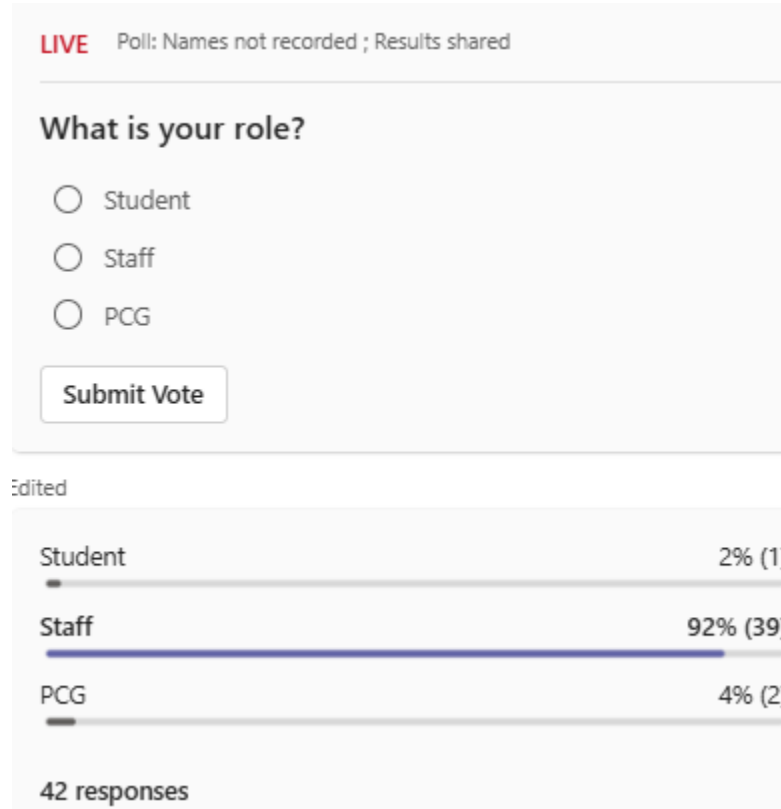
Location: Online

Date: 4.10.25

Time: 6pm

I. Welcome

- a. Note Start Time: 6:00pm
- b. Introductions
 - Matt O’Connell opens
 - He welcomes the attendees and makes introductions; asks attendees to please enter their names/roles into the chat for record
 - Reviews agenda and goes over each item that will be reviewed during PAC meeting
 - Thanks attendees for their attendance and provides poll for recording attendance data
 - Continues to admit PCG to the PAC meeting
- c. Public Comments
 - N/A



II. LCAP LP 1-7 Updates

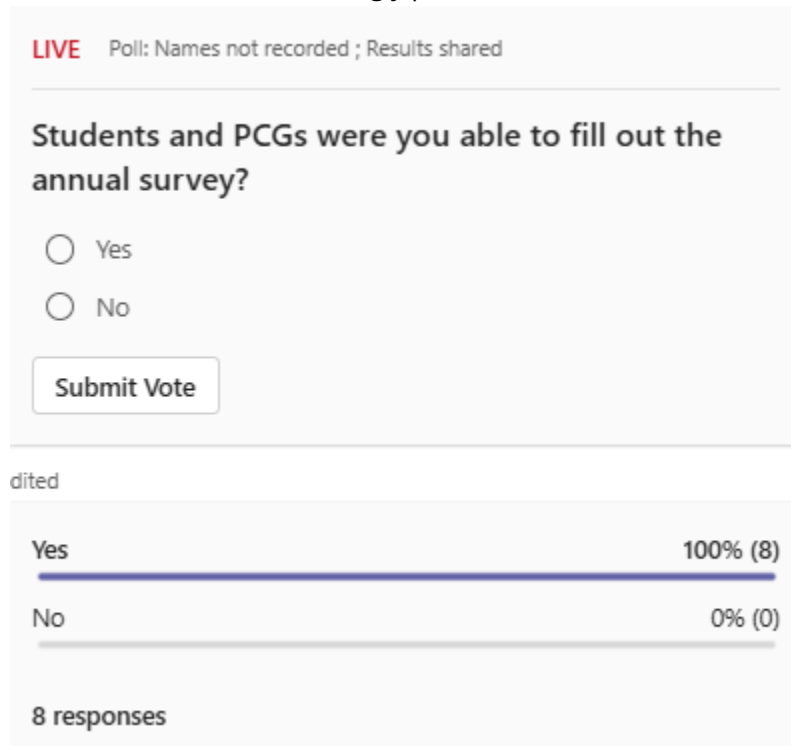
- a. Lisa Samuels provides updates re LCAP; May 2025 Draft posted to websites;

feedback is solicited from PCG/educational partners; encourages attendees to have their voices heard through emailing thoughts either now or at a later date

- b. Jenna Unis provides LCAP Update for LPs1-7 (24/25); data in the following areas is reviewed:
 - Goal 1: Increase Academic Progress: Reading and Math Lexile; Av Credit completion; 1 Year Grad Rate
 - Goal 2: College/Career Readiness: Participation in Dual Enrollment; A-G Graduates; Student Grads Qualified as College/Career Prepared; Participation in State Testing
 - Goal 3: Student Retention: Attendance Rate; % Students Attending Weekly Appt; Suspension Rate; Expulsion Rate
 - Goal 4: Increase Ed Partner Engagement: Participation in School Events; PAC/ELAC Participation; LCAP Survey Participation
- c. 24/25 LCAP LPs 1-7 Update: Enrollment: data reviewed

III. Annual Survey Results

- a. Annual Student Survey Results reviewed by line items; received a lot of positive feedback through this survey
- b. Annual Parent Survey Results; parent advisory group discussed and PCGs encouraged to reach out to join group; results reviewed with meeting participants and results also overwhelmingly positive



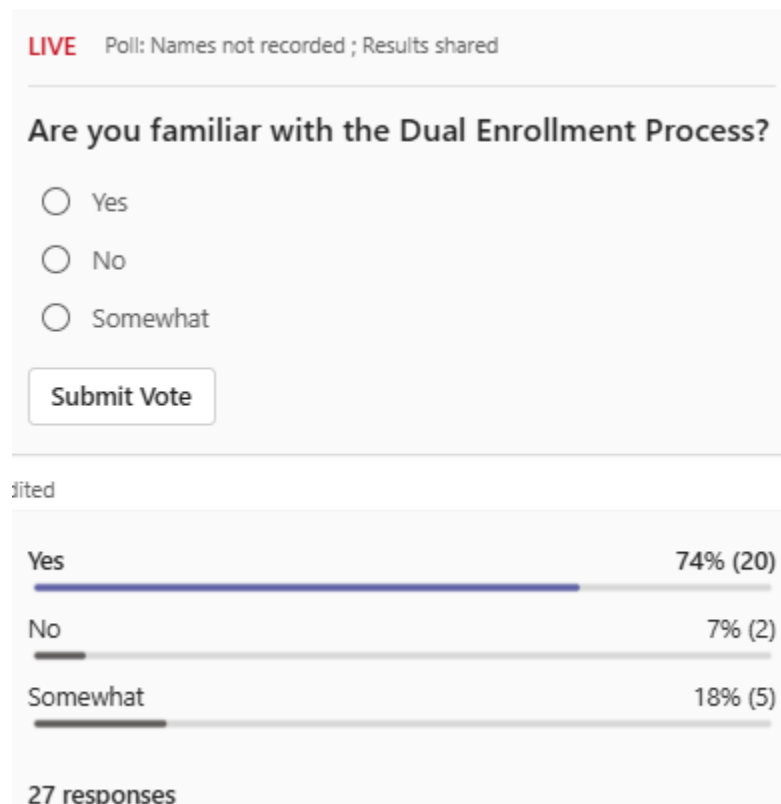
IV. State Testing Updates:

Lily Ramirez-Castro presenting information and updates on the following assessments with Elev8; PCGs asked to speak to and encourage students to test if they have not yet; make-ups reviewed; grade levels reviewed; the WHY behind testing was also discussed: WASC Accreditation, UC/Cal State Acceptance, Diploma Validity

- a. ELPAC
- b. CAASPP
- c. CAST

V. School Updates and Opportunities–Matt O’Connell opens this section

- a. Next In-Person Grad Ceremony is May 22., 2205
- b. Deadlines reviewed by Blair Jenkins
- c. JAG introduced by Matt O’Connell; JAG Video shown; recommended that PCGs/Students reach out to Zenaida Alcantar
- d. Matt O’Connell covers Jennifer Ulie’s role and resources provided to PCGs; upcoming opportunities reviewed



VI. Counselor Updates: Dual Enrollment Process

-Kelly Thiemthath reviews Counselor roles: Post Secondary Planning Support; Academic Planning; SEL Support & Upcoming Events; Office Hours reviewed

-Heather Meeks reviews Dual Enrollment Process; eligibility requirements; poll re DE is sent to PCGs/students–Are you familiar with what DE is?

- VII. Re-enrollment for the 2025-2026 School Year
- Matt reviews secured spot for all students if they plan on remaining enrolled for next school year; poll sent
 - a. Master Agreement (Independent Study Agreement)
 - b. Online Registration

LIVE Poll: Names not recorded ; Results shared

Are you planning on returning to Elev8 for the 25/26 School Year?

☐ Yes

☐ No

☐ Maybe

Submit Vote

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Yes	100% (8)
No	0% (0)
Maybe	0% (0)

8 responses

- VIII. Student GRIT Awards
- a. Awards presented to more than 15 Elev8 Students, each highlighting one aspect of GRIT, along with a narrative from each of the award-giving staff members about how the award-recipient stood out, and how they meet each of the highlighted tenet(s) of GRIT discussed

LIVE Poll: Names not recorded ; Results shared

Students/PCGs would you interested in being a part of the Student/Parent Advisory Committee?

☐ Yes
☐ No
☐ Maybe

[Submit Vote](#)

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Yes	100% (3)
No	0% (0)
Maybe	0% (0)

- IX. Adjournment
- Note End Time: 6:57pm
 - Attendance: 57 Total Attendees

Staff: (36)

Matt O'Connell
 Jessica Hudson-Digital Skills HQT
 Belinda Cabrera- Enrollment SRT
 Ingrid Villa Academic Advisor
 Steven Oviedo-Middle School Supervising Teacher
 Sandra Alcantar Lopez- Multilingual Teacher
 Sarena Divall - Enrollment
 Lisa Romero- Multilingual Paraprofessional
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 Christina Ligh - English Teacher
 Kelly Thiemthath - School Counselor
 Jon Hosea - World History Teacher
 Ms. Coronado, MA Academic Adviser
 Makenzi Gregory-Vierra - Math Teacher
 Miguel Martinez - Multilingual Paraprofessional
 Cayla Barrera - Electives Teacher
 Rachel Champlain- Registrar
 Shaylyn Camacho - Case Manager



Jordynnn Hogue-Registrar
Heather Meeks - School Counselor
Coral Wiley - Teacher
Blair Jenkins (Staff: Tutor Program Coordinator)
Jenna Unis, Principal
Marlon Douglas - Math teacher
Marquisha Black - Student Relations Tech
Heidi Reyes, Academic Adviser
Angela Carr ~ Academic Adviser, SDMA
John Silang - Teacher - Social Studies.
Lily Ramirez Castro: instructional specialist, assessments and data
Alaysia - Academic Advisor
Charis Washington, School Social Worker
Miguel Andrino - Online Tutor
Ashley Green - Teacher
Chyna DuBose - Enrollment SRT
Katie Cheetham-academic adviser, PG
Sam Chong - Student Retention Specialist
John Halliday - Teacher - Social Studies
Vance Garcia - Community Liaison

PCGs/Students:(12)

Krystal R. (Parent of Xavior R.)

Norma A. (Parent)

Lianna (Parent of Allen)

Noah H. (Student)

Mary H.s (Parent)

Jay G. (Parent)

Allen H (Parent)

Esau L. (Student)

Brian H.

Krystal R. (Student)

Santi S. (Student)

Saray(student)

