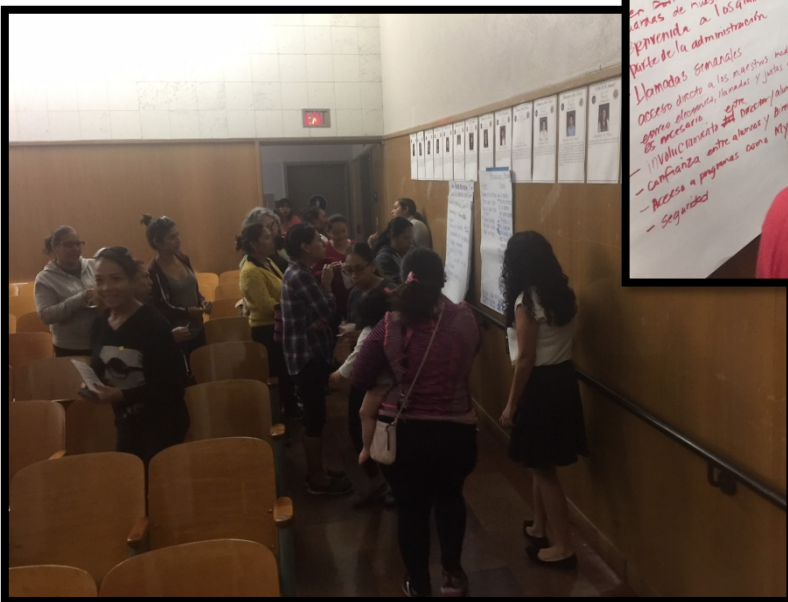
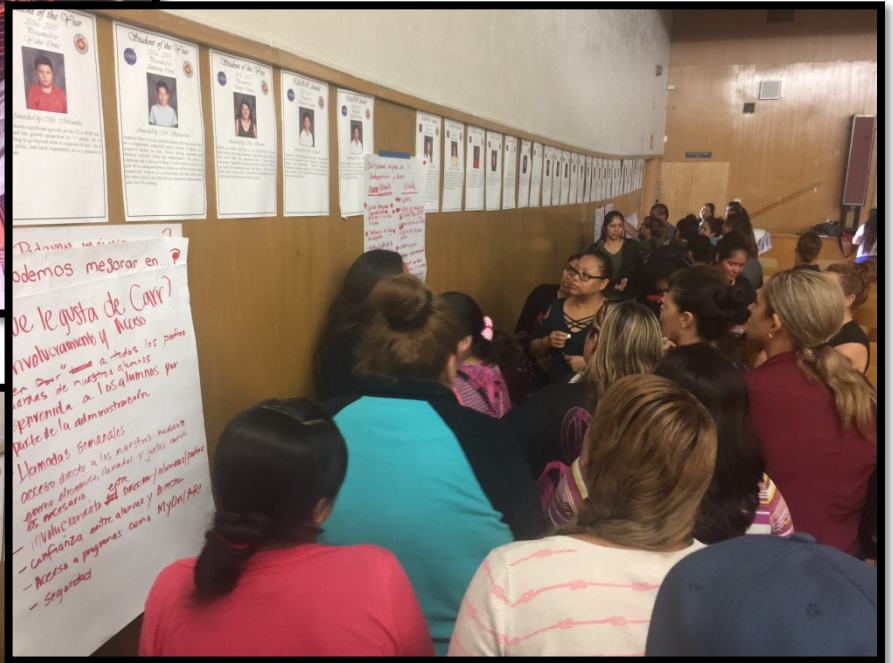


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Happy Halloween, Carr Astros! Last week we had our LCAP meeting with our parents, and we were able to receive a lot of praise and ideas for improvement from our parents. Our parents are now able to print out their own reports in the lobby of the auditorium, using the 6 computer stations. They appreciated the printouts and improved access to the data. We are very grateful for our staff members who organize these meetings and our parents for giving us their input.



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Please find below the data that our parents provided to us.

## Items parents like about Carr

Comment	Number of Parents in Agreement
Principal makes phone calls to keep parents informed about grades	32
Curricular Programs that help students	30
Teachers offer student support	19
Principal welcomes students/doing a good job	18
Student motivation	15
Student learning	14
School focus on reading	12
Discipline	11
Attention given to students/parents from principal	10

## Items parents would like improved at Carr

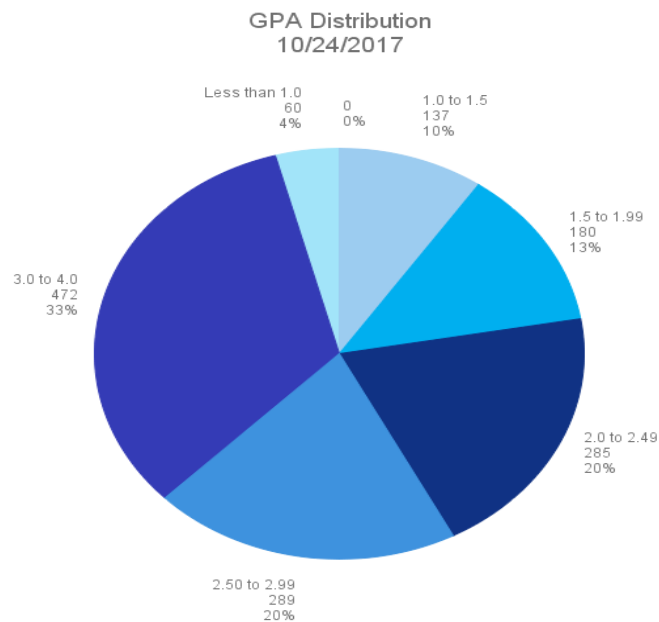
Category	Comment	Number of Parents in Agreement
Enrichment at School	Reading/Writing Programs	69
Enrichment at School	Teachers need to have more communication with parents	60
Enrichment at School	Supervision in the bathrooms	30
Enrichment at School	Foster teacher/student relationship to build trust	30
Enrichment at School	More reading at school in all classes	28
Enrichment at School	Motivate the students	28
Enrichment at School	Prepare students better for exams	25
Enrichment at School	Focus more on student reading	25
School Climate	More security at dismissal time	21
Enrichment at School	Safe environment for students	20
Enrichment at School	More security at dismissal time	19
Enrichment at School	Tutoring	17
Enrichment at School	Tolerance, find a solution	12
Enrichment at School	Hold students accountable	11
Enrichment at School	Understanding of students, moral support	8
Enrichment at School	Parent Involvement	7
Enrichment at Home	Motivate the students	4
Enrichment at Home	Tolerance, find a solution	1

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Thank you to all of you for giving our parents and students your time and support. There are several things we are going to work on improving immediately, for example, supervision in the 600 building bathrooms.

I would also like to remind you to keep your grades updated so we can continue to provide our parents with accurate information. Our latest GPA distribution chart shows that about 40% of our students don't have their 2.5 GPA at this point. I do want to add a new dashboard tile which will show what academic interventions you are providing to students, such as before and after school tutoring and going over assignments. This will help us to be in sync with each other and with parents so that we can help to show our students where they need to make an effort. Additionally, please speak with all of your classes and provide them time and opportunity so that they can make up assignments and improve their grades. Sometimes a quick check in once a week or a half period organization time with teacher support might be needed. Let's not forget to take time to help our kids with their executive functioning.



I have great news about our Tools for Teaching class. In addition to 10 Carr teachers who are currently participating in Tools for Teaching, we also have 5 Engage 360 staff. I believe it's more effective for our students to have everyone on the same page. Great job Mandel, Sawyer, Ells, Venturelli, Covey, Supernaw, Rakheja, Hernandez, Tomlinson, MacLean, Guzman, Crystal, Moreno, SanJuana and Bustos!

We also have after school now a Super Snack, which is a hot meal for all of our Engage 360 participants. This program will be extended to include our sports teams as well. Many of our teachers are also providing our students with support after school. Thank you to Ms. Menaldo, Dr. Qafaiti, Mr. Alegre, Ms. Le, Mr. Galvan, Mr. Cervantes, Rakheja, and Supernaw for their participation in math tutoring. For language arts, Ms. Morrell's



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reading program and Ms. T and Mrs. Ells's writing program has over 50 students participating. We are holding our students accountable for their work and providing them the support to be able to be successful.

In honor of Red Ribbon Week, we had grade-level drug presentations from Officers Castellanos, Baca and Luevano (pictured below). Thank you for helping the officers to provide this essential information to our students.

