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All Systems GO!

SAVE THE DATE: August 1 and August 2, 2024, for the **ALL SYSTEMS GO!** conference held in Fresno. The event aims to foster partnerships between education and community systems to empower educators in student-centered decision-making. You will not want to miss out! Click [HERE](#) for more information, or contact the CV R-TAC.

Annual Progress Reporting (APR)

The CV R-TAC is offering Annual Progress Report (APR) online and in-person technical assistance to support all Planning and Implementation grantees. Click [HERE](#) to access the times/dates of technical assistance. Our partners in Kern County are also offering technical assistance. View days and times [HERE](#). In addition, access important due dates, resources, and links to help you complete your reporting [HERE](#).

Update on Cohort 3 Community Schools Grant

The CCSP team emailed the proposed list of Cohort 3 Implementation Grantees. The State Board of Education (SBE) will approve the list on May 8, 2024. Please see the SBE posted May 2024 Meeting Agenda, item 02. Access the agenda [HERE](#).



Firebaugh Unified School District

Firebaugh Unified showcased a thriving community school through impactful events like the SHINES meeting at Bailey Elementary. This event united teachers and parents to support students academically and emotionally, integrating diverse needs and cultural backgrounds.



The tour featured the high school's Vintage Closet, a clothing store-like space offering students various clothing items, from shoes to sweaters. The afternoon continued at the "Hoops with the SROs" event, where students could win a free Gatorade by shooting free throws with the School Resource Officers (SROs). Such activities are crucial for fostering stronger relationships between students and their support network.



The collaborative food distribution event, providing fresh produce to over 500 community members, was the day's highlight. It illustrates how community schools serve as hubs of trust and resource sharing, crucial for sustaining family and community engagement.

These initiatives highlight Firebaugh Unified Community School's role as a pivotal community center, uniting schools, families, and organizations to address local needs and aspirations.

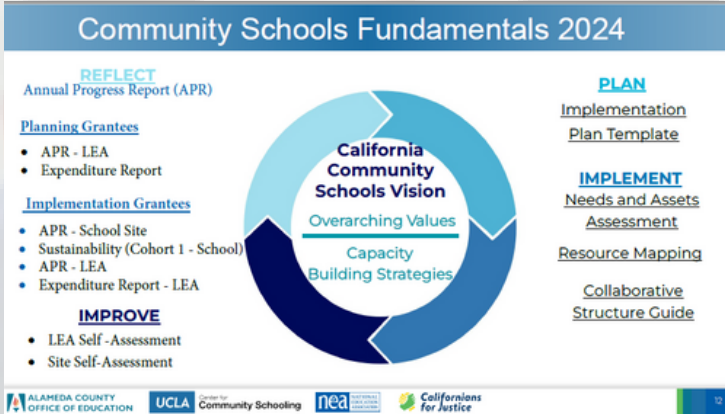


RESOURCES

UPDATED

Community Schools Fundamentals

The Community Schools Fundamentals “one-page” with hyperlinks has been updated for your reference. Click and download to access all the links.



CV R-TAC Peer Learning

The CV R-TAC is eager to enhance our peer learning calendar with grantee events such as advisory/steering committee meetings, family engagement nights, food pantries, medical services, etc. If your LEA/school is hosting a Community Schools event that others can learn from, please add the event, and any supporting documents [HERE](#).

Community Schools Resource Network

This [tool](#) offers a directory to connect Community Schools with Community Based Organizations (CBOs). Check out the [“How-to-Guide”](#) video!

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Evidence in Action: Learning Together Through Continuous Improvement Webinar

Thank you to our partners, West Ed, for hosting a virtual session on how to establish teams for continuous improvement. The session highlighted how the CCSPP APR can help support improvement efforts in your LEA/school. You can access the participants' folder [HERE](#). The video recording of the webinar is coming soon!

Community Schools Boot Camp

Sign up for one of the TWO-DAY Community Schools boot camps for district/site administrators and/or district/site coordinators. Click [HERE](#) to see dates and locations for boot camp sessions. Don't miss out!

CV R-TAC Websites

CV R-TAC websites for more tools and resources to support the Community School strategy.

[FCSS Community Schools](#)
[KCSOS Community Schools](#)

S-TAC APR Office Hours

The S-TAC is also offering multiple opportunities for technical support with the APR. If you are unable to attend the CV R-TAC technical support, sign up for S-TAC office hours [HERE](#).

Upcoming Events

[California Community Schools EMPOWER Summit 2024](#)

[FCSS Community of Practice \(COP\) Networking](#)

[KCSOS Community of Practice \(COP\)](#)

[Networking](#)
[S-TAC Webinars](#)

