

## **PARENT INVOLVEMENT**

### Strengths:

- Active PTA, SPEF, Vecinos, etc.

### Needs/Areas of Growth:

- Improve/extend parent portal/teacher websites
- More communication from the District regarding structure/programs/resources
  - Website expansion/organization
  - School directories/websites
  - Information sent through PTAs or other organization/emails
- Personnel to integrate technology and communication
  - Temporary webmaster?
  - Use of social media
- More involvement from parents from all sub-groups
  - More info in other languages
  - Links to translation services
  - Develop districtwide surveys to identify needs
  - Use parents' expertise as an instructional/experiential resource
  - Better utilize students to engage parents
  - Personnel to help connect parents to activities and students (eg. internships, mentors)
  - Increase parent trainings
  - More information about Common Core in a variety of forms and media
  - Extended hours at media centers/libraries

### Information/Data Needed:

## **STUDENT ENGAGEMENT**

### Strengths:

### Needs/Areas of Growth:

- Increase use of project-based learning
- Increase the number of students that participate in clubs, extra-curricular activities
- More teacher training for gifted students
- More activities for gifted students
- More parent information and training

### Information/Data Needed: